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In harvest time;
The hardest of my days is hard to bear,
But God knows best;
And I have prayed—but vain—I have been my prayer—
For Rest—sweet Rest.

The hard to plant in spring and never reap
In harvest time;
The hard to till, and when the tilled to weep
Why fruitless field.

And so I cry, a weak and human cry,
So heart oppressed;
And sad, sad, weary, weak and hands—sigh,
For rest—for Rest.

My way has wound across the desert years,
And seem never
My path; and through the dreaming of hot years
I pine for Rest.

Twas always so, when still a child I laid
On mother's breast
My wearied little head—even then I prayed,
Aas now, for Rest.

And I am restless still—Will seem be nice,
Be down the nest
The sun is setting, and I see the shore
Where I shall Rest.

DRIFT BETWEEN THE TIDES.

A flawless day was the twenty-third of April in the year eighteen hundred and seventy nine. The regulation morning breezes had been forced into the poppy fields of Angel Island, put to sleep by the narcotic kisses of 4 o'clock, and even the zephyrs—gentle pages to the erstwhile brawlers—had been shut up in the weather clerk's signal box until three o'clock in the morning. Then the pacific came out, and the zephyrs were released. It was not very good weather for sailing the zephyrs made, though they knew till their prey clerks were like soap bubbles and the white sails were scarcely fanned by the lumbering schooners staggered in zigzag pathways, as if they meant to slice away the island nose with their dull prows; and, indeed, the yachts sailed scarcely any faster; only the little plunges made unchecked headway, running at their own sweet will, I ocean; the north harbor was dotted with sails. Everybody and everybody's wife and children and friends were out. So there was nothing strange about the mere presence of a young man and young woman in a small rowboat amidst the scene of busy commerce and busy gaiety. Certainly it was not strange, for there were a hundred other people out that afternoon in row boats, to say nothing of the professional boatmen, the which they knew all their prey clerks were like soap bubbles and the white sails were scarcely fanned by the lumbering schooners staggered in zigzag pathways, as if they meant to slice away the island nose with their dull prows; and, indeed, the yachts sailed scarcely any faster; only the little plunges made unchecked headway, running at their own sweet will, I ocean; the north harbor was dotted with sails. Everybody and everybody's wife and children and friends were out. So there was nothing strange about the mere presence of a young man and young woman in a small rowboat amidst the scene of busy commerce and busy gaiety. Certainly it was not strange, for there were a hundred other people out that afternoon in row boats, to say nothing of the professional boatmen, the which they knew all their prey clerks. If the people on the yachts which they met had noticed them, they doubtless would have thought the pair jaunted with contempt, or else looked at them attentically, and thanked God for poverty and the picturesque.

As for the people in the boat, they did not notice anything. They had other real least except as the young man found it necessary to change his position in rowing to avoid being run down. After a while even that was done away with. They were rowing with the tide, and after they had passed the town it disappeared from the east of the old Mogg's wharf, the channel was comparatively clear, it was than about half past three.

"Let us float," said the young man; "pretty soon the tide will turn, and we will turn."

"Very well, Tom," said the young woman.

Really she was yet a girl. She could not have been more than nineteen. Her figure was slight, but indicative of more grandeur. Her face was very pretty; that is, most would not think it prettiness. Both mouth and nose were large. Her eyes were blue, and held an odd look—half earnest, half carelessness, difficult to define, impossible to disregard. It was a striking face—a face in which heart showed first and intellect afterwards.

The man was, exteriorly, commonplace. You might take a description at random from your scrap book of conventional current fiction, and it would be likely to do him more than justice. But what of that? She was "Laura" and he was "Tom."

They had been talking gaily ever since they left the wharf in the direction of Washington street. When Tom spoke they had apparently reached some common and very satisfactory conclusion, for they looked very happy, and she said loudly, and very low, and sweet, low voice, tunable as a perfect flute at a wave sea:

"You ask her to-morrow, Tom?"

"Yes, I mean, or to-morrow if you like."

"She will look at you, wild-eyed, and, perhaps, scorn you a bit.

"O, I'm not afraid! How could I be with such a prize to gain?"

They had passed the point, the swimming beach, the Presidio; they were nearing the foot of the gate. A wave, which the current carried the bow of the boat sharply around. Tom had been running forward, and, in order to talk to Laura, the more easily to hold her hand, perhaps, he had shifted his position, he instinctively reached for the oars. His hands touched the empty row locks. The oars were gone. He looked about, but when they were no more, he was only of horror arose up from his lips. Luckily he stilled it there. He looked quickly, and hurriedly at his companion, who looked and understood. He forced a laugh, but his companion was deceived by it.

"Then it is not so very bad?" she said, and the color came back to her cheeks.

"No, it is a good joke," he replied, "for we will be off very soon. When the tide turns we will go back a boaming."

Really he had very little hope. His judgment told him that the tide had not yet turned, and that it did turn almost insantly, the swift current would run; it is out, carrying the offing, and as, also, the breeze, [illegible] the boat would not be [illegible] in an instant. And then—he could not swim a stroke. If he could, the distance to the shore was too great for that of any use. If only they had a rudder, they might run the boat ashore; but, unfortunately, they had been in time to secure the last, rudderless oar. "Thank the fates it does not leak," "Does not leak!" He looked down, half hoping that the water in the bottom of the boat was covered with water to the depth of almost a half a foot. When they had started away from the pier landing Tom had braced his feet against the forward seat, and Laura's stout boots rested on the same dry foothold. Tom had noticed it, and noticed the water.

Tom searched in the boat for a bailing can. He could not find one. Laura moved so as to look into the little locker under the stern seat. There was no can there.

"Yet shall we do?" she said.

"I must bail with my hat," he replied slowly, as if thinking it out; "the water must come in very slowly, it is a long time since we left Washington street wharf. Jet looked at his watch; it was then past four and they were near Fort Point. So far as they could see there was not a single sail in the offing. They looked back at the city; there were no out coming tugs or schooners even. Then they looked out through Golden Gate and wondered.

There is an untranslatable something about our Golden Gate that the sympathetic beholder, incoming or out going, or gazing upon it from any standpoint never fails to realize. Something which, perhaps, he acknowledges, yet may never put into words. Perhaps it is because it seems so to hold the keys of our Alhambra; but, he may dissociate it from either our history or our future. Perhaps it is because in looking at it one can never quite discern its bay beyond of weal or woe, of sunshine or tempest.

"We should never have had this sunshine anywhere else, Laura," and Tom pointed to the declining sun, hanging without a cloud above the wilderness of waves. They looked back at the city and all the western windows were aflame.

"I did not think before there was much gold in Tom's pocket," said Tom.

"Oh, Tom, I don't want to die and leave it all," said Laura, trembingly.

The shadow of fear was called out the spell. The air had grown sudden-ly chill. Far ahead they could see the ominous white of the careening swell, and along the shore they heard the dull roar of the surf. Lower and lower sank the white, electric dazzle; half and pink, and orange; the bows were in to narrow belts of opal. Right ahead rose the black Farallones, and, as the sun sank still lower, they stood out in unbroken outline against its disk.

With the sun hat Tom made slow progress in bailing. Until then the water had crept in so slowly that danger from leakage had not alarmed him; then it increased, too, had carried them so gently that the danger of upsetting had not presented itself. But after they passed the fort the motion of the waves changed, not suddenly but gradually, until at last the boat was rocking like a cedar chip not turned.

Ceasing his bailing for an instant, Tom thought he heard the sound of water trickling into the boat. Perhaps it was his instinct of danger and not his ears that warned him. Perhaps the waves were spashing against the side, and the motion caused a constant lapping of the water within the boat. Tom made a fearful examination, and at last found a little hole through which the water poured in a fifth stream as the boat rocked from side to side.

"I must stop that leak," he said. "Can you bail?"

The sun had set, and the flush was fading from the western sky. Laura took one long look around. In all the wave of waters there was no moving object. If there had been a ship in sight, perhaps eyes were in the ship, almost despairingly.

She began to bail as she could with the felt hat and in her cramped position. A long line of gray was coming up from the south.

"It is fog," said Tom in a whisper.

"I did not said 'it is fog'" she did not realize the almost utter hopelessness of their position. Even if the tide turned turn before they reached the bar, it would be impossible to protect themselves from the fog. In a moment she thought she should quite break down. The fate before them was terrible. If Tom had succeeded in stopping the leak and had resumed bailing. To make the fate before them, she felt, it was from his hat. The fog was now all around them, and the sun was gone. They thought they heard the surf more distinctly.

"The tide has turned," said Tom.

"And so it had, but just how long could be only guess. Perhaps they could not tell. Tom kept on bailing, and Laura, as she could, bailed, materially decreased. They had not spoken to each other for some moments. At the fog Laura leaned forward. Her hand touched Tom's, and he took it in his right. Then he leaned between the two things unspeakable. Her hand was very cold, almost as cold as his own. In his pocket was a silk handkerchief; he handed it to her, and bade her tie it about her neck. For he dared not rise to fasten it there himself. Then he sat down, and leaned between the two, striving to keep them warm.

Laura was first to speak, and her voice was quite firm, scarcely even sorrowful: "Tom, dear, I do not want to die and yet death can not take from us the boon of having died together."

Tom was silent for a time. Then he said, "I know we'll not."

There was a ring of conviction in his tones. The profound religious undertaking in her voice had struck the right key in his own nature, and the strength of his first despairing mood made him almost angry. "But it's awfully hungry we are, my dear, and we have not tasted."

"I'm ashamed of you," said Laura, and she smiled at him, for he was pleased also.

The two persons in such a position can laugh it is either "very brave" or "very shocking," according to the point of view that one and the "on a forty of our salad days."

The fog was all around them, and neither could see the other's face. The fog was so cold, and from time to time Laura had shivered once or twice, and, idly, though quite involuntarily, for she was a brave little woman. Then a ripple of the young girl's laughter rang out from the fog, clear and sweet as the surf, the far away barking of the sea lions on Seal Rock, and the near, gurgling, swirling sound of the tide, and when his own laughter was smothered in the fog he felt that he was happy.

"But I am hungry, awfully—"

"What he might have gone on to say is forever lost. The next moment the boat struck something with great momentum, and that is all Laura remembered till she awoke in the queer little room of the Seal Rock Cottage, antique, in-bound from Australia.

A woman's gentle face bent above her pillow, and Laura, drowsily regard, and Tom sat on a locker behind regard, and Tom sat on a locker behind regard, and Tom sat on a locker behind

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Washington News.

Conkling has declined the Supreme Judgeship. The place was then tendered to Edwards, the ex-Chief Justice of New Hampshire, who has also declined it.

The wife of Judge Harlan, of the Supreme Court, is quite ill with chronic gastritis.

The several decisions of the Supreme Court, reversing John Sherman's rulings as to the amount of duty on soaps while he was Secretary of the Treasury, will result in the Government having to refund to the importers of sugar $3,000,000.

Thomas M. Cardwell, an original Grant man, has been appointed Postmaster at Lexington, Ky.

The tariff commission bill has been put back at the foot of the list, which virtually kills it for this session. The truth is, a majority of Republicans and Democrats do not care to tackle the tariff, and nothing will be done with it this session of Congress.

The House has passed a bill to establish the Louisville postal route in Kentucky, which we hope will soon pass the Senate, viz: Louisville, thence to Tyrone, Tyler's Ferry, Enterprise, Bennett's Mills, and Lynn; from Wartland to Greenup; from Greenup Lime Works to Wheelersburg, O., from Walk's Mills to Winchester; from Augusta to Brightspoor, O.; from Fernbank to Beaty's Mills; from Stanton, via Pelilo, to Beaty's Mills; from Beaty's creek, via Nada's creek, to Isabel's ferry; from Powell's Mill to Sand Lick, Virginia; from Falls of Rough, via Pattieville and Dwyer's Mills to Belmont; from Hutchison's Mill creek, to Whitesburg.

Sergeant Mason, for shooting at Guiteau, while guarding him as a prisoner, has been acquitted by a court-Martial in eight minutes. Court-Martials composed of regular army officers rarely convict, as they are by private soldiers or non-commissioned officers.

Good Work of Senator Adams.

Senator A. T. Adams, of Pike, introduced and has enacted a bill amending the charter of the A. & M. College, by providing and enacting that each Representative district should be entitled to send four (instead of three) students for free tuition, and in order that every district may, however, always have the full benefit of free collegiate education, his amendment provides that when two counties form a district, the Board of Trustees of the College may, at their option, allow the students of any district selected to be unable to defray the expense of tuition in the college, it shall be the duty of said Trustees to send a student from some other purpose.

This school has provided work for students and fixed working hours and compensation so that an industrious young man may defray all expenses of an education. We, as one a member of Congress, from Tennessee, has obtained an allowance in this way at this same school. For time affording the aspiring youth of Kentucky an equal opportunity for obtaining a collegiate education, we sincerely wish it certain success, and the thanks of all people, and especially the young men of Kentucky for whose benefit he urged the amendment, and for which we, and many thousands of them will be grateful to the Senator, and while we have not had the honor of being in his party's ranks, it will serve to add much to his reputation as a good and conscientious legislator, and greatly add to his already well established popularity.

Rev. Wm. Henry Highland Garnett, U. S. Minister to Liberia, died at Monrovia, on the 13th inst. He was a tall, shambling, full-blooded negro, but well informed and highly educated, and like the rest of all who knew him, a little pocket of the 13th street reserved Democrat. He was a fluent talker, he spoke at any immediate celebration from the same stand with Douglass, Phillips, Beecher, Henry M. Wilson and Lyman Trumbull, and he spoke, and expressed those of the two distinguished senators, in eloquence and pathos.

Judge Hotchkiss, of New York, has been appointed Minister to Chili, vice Pinkney, resigned. Solomon Bulch, John Jacob Young has been appointed Minister to China, upon the urgent request of General Grant, who is to spend the time of his voyage around the world, on the New York Herald correspondent.

The grand jury have indicted General Grant, in his stead, for expounding some of his political purposes while special treasury agent of the Government, and charging him with the invention of "the civil service reform." So it seems the Cortis family are not opposed to political assessments, when they go to help their faction.

Hon. J. N. Wilkinson, a member of the Kentucky bar, and a Trimble County man, and a grandson of the image, at Frankfort, on the 6th inst., died from the effect of his wife. He was a lawyer and publicist of the Democrat, at Cadiz. A committee of the Legislature accompanied his remains to his home for burial.

Robinson, who murdered Tom Marshal Belcher, at Maidon, and was sentenced to be hung in April 1881, has been granted a new trial by the Supreme Court of West Va., and as his case will be tried in Mercer, January, he will get two years more of life, even if he is again convicted.

A freight train on the Scioto Valley Railroad ran over a horse last Monday, near Kingston, and was thrown from the track, a wreck broken and seven mules killed outright. Thos. Howan, a brakeman, of Louisville, was thrown from the engine and killed instantly.

Hazzard was the last days walking match at New York, Hegeman was second and Seldner third. The time was 606 miles in 142 hours, the 1st mile was made in 14 minutes, the former rate, gave out on the 6th day. The betters on him think he sold out.

Senator Ben. Hill, of Georgia, has just had a portion of the front of his tongue cut out by Philadelphia surgeons. This makes the third operation he has undergone, and he thinks he think this last one will be a final and successful cure of his cancer.

Mr. Bonzano, the husband of the great singer of Italy, has lost all his money, and his wife's great fortune in wild speculation, he whose name stood first in the Opera Bill, it is said his wife will be obliged to go on the stage again.

James T. Hoadley, the Democratic nominee for City Judge, was elected by Republicans, last week, at 302. Sterling, in 411 of the two-cornered race of Judge Garrett, deceased.

The cattle weighs little, little, little, in the Eastern cities, and yet, if you ask the poor politicians, also imagine that the cattle pigs up a little every time one of you goes out.

David Nowatny, age 2, and weighing 200 pounds, died of small-pox at the Pittsburgh pesthouse, on the 7th inst. He had exhibited at various places as "the fat boy."

Thomas Miller, of Harrison county, has made the important discovery that he is the longest man in the world, in Legislature valued at $4,000.

Rev. George O. Barnes and daughter have completed their reputation tours of Rolling Stones, and are now at work on the scenes of Paris.

L. C. Duncan, Esq., has been appointed postmaster at Portsmouth, in the place of Capt. Gillson, whose term expires on the first of April.

The Mississippi river is said to be only miles wide in place below Memphis, entailing loss of life and great destitution.

The Senate of Kentucky has passed Mr. T. J. Mason's bill to pay expenses of the Kentucky number fruit.

Joseph Gung has been found guilty of manslaughter, for the murder of J. J. Reinhart, at Portsmouth, Ohio.

The Norfolk Gazette, of the name of a new auxiliary company at Frankfort.

Lerach & Combs are building a steam mill at Fuel, in Morgan county.

The Rockcastle Bank of West Liberty

Driftwood.

The river is falling slowly.

Prof. Jim Mace has moved his family from Burlington, Ohio, to Catlettsburg.

The W. N. Chancellor has gone into the undertaking and Charleston trade.

The New Era is running as a regular packet between Ironton and Proctorsville.

Lewis Anderson, watchman of the Ironton Rolling Mill, died last Friday, of lung fever, aged 22 years.

Gus. Gunning, who was attending a watch as pilot on the Teagarden, was visiting his parents in Catlettsburg Sunday.

Capt. Francis Taylor Dry Docks are engaged again this week in repairing barges for the Ashland Iron Company.

John Porter, a colored rooster on the chain, was knocked overboard by a tobacco hogshead, at Huntington last week, and drowned.

Capt. Andrew Fry, of Ironton, was in town last week. He is talking of locating at Charleston and running dry docks at that place.

The Mountain Boy sank a slave boat at the mouth of Raccoon creek on her trip down Monday morning. The slaves belonged to James Dunson.

Ice has been trip Monday the R. T. Enos unloaded several hundred barrels of salt, which she brought from Pomeroy, at the Catlettsburg wharfboat. The Ohio River Wharfboat Company handle from 7,000 to 10,000 barrels of salt per year.

The J. F. Hatten, Capt. Smiley and Clark Yates, arrived at Catlettsburg Monday, from the Cumberland River, with a fine tow of logs, consisting of wheat, sycamore and chickens. She left the same night on her return trip up the river.

The steamer Pittsburg passed here the first month of Spring creek on her trip down from San Francisco to St. Louis, and transferred from Pittsburg to the Ohio River, where it was re-shipped last by the C. & O. Railway.

Capt. J. T. Young's ferry boat, the "H. A. Neal," which plies between Ironton and Russell, is one of the best boats on the Ohio River, considering the size of her element of her stemmer she ferries, all day and toward charcoal boats at night. Lieutenant Governor Hanson, who has a new coal of paint, but she will not stop running from Ironton, but will, the last work done between runs and at night.

A colored roustabout, Wm. Hill, of Guilford, Ohio, was drowned at this place from the Telegraph, and as the boat was putting out from the wharf, striking Jack Crosby, a mate, in the breast. Cooper replied with a pistol shot, and the boat having landed, Hill was chased up town, where a young man caught hold of him, but was struck in the head by the butt of Hill, who was soon after caught and locked in jail.

The Storm No. 5, Capt. Hi. Davis, has received from Pittsburg a load of last summer of Iron Mountain ore—100 tons—for the Norfolk Iron Company, which is now running. Capt. Davis had to lay up six days for the weather, and about a week ago, near Vanceburg, picked up a woman and her two children, who were clinging to the bottom of a capsized skiff. They were nearly exhausted, but he succeeded in resuscitating them, made them comfortable, gave them bed, and put them ashore with friends at Vanceburg. They stated that they had been swept off in their house by the flood, and two of the family had gone on the other three times tried to go ashore with their boat, but were capsized. Capt. Davis says the water was up to the second story of the houses, in the streets, and the water was kept out by putting plank, covered and several thousand bags of sand, on top of the levees to raise them above the surface of the water.

The Sidney, when a few miles below Ravenswood landing, about 3 o'clock Friday, have her stern gone, blowing a hole in her, and long through the ladies' cabin, killing instantly Mrs. Mary Hill, of Ravenswood, who were en route from Louisville to visit relatives in Pittsburg, and fatally scalding her daughter, Mrs. Stephenson, from Portsmouth, O., the wife of the pilot of the boat. Mrs. Stephenson was scalded from head to foot, and the boat reached Hanging Rock, where she died, about three hours after being injured. The names of the wounded, as far as learned, are: Wm. C. Mills, wife and son, badly scalded; Mr. Mills can not possibly live; Mr. Carrollton, of Pittsburg, badly scalded; Mr. Carrollton, a Pittsburg drummer, slightly scalded; Mr. Warrick, of Glenville, Pa., slightly scalded; Mr. Hamilton, badly scalded; Toby Neal, deck hand from Middleport, Ohio, badly scalded; Wm. Neal, deck hand, Middleport, badly scalded. The Graham shortly after the accident, left for Pittsburg, and returned to Ravenswood for coffins and physicians.

Coal, Iron and Manufactures.

Portsmouth is to have a manufactory for pressed brick, with a capacity of 20,000 per day. W. A. Lucas is the party.

A company for the manufacture of glass has been formed at Bellaire, Ohio, with a capital of $100,000. The works will be in operation inside of 60 days.

The Rockcastle Works made during the past week 424 kegs of nails, and 440 tons of iron. They shipped in the same time 2,000 tons of salt and 400 tons of iron.

A company of Eastern capitalists have perfected arrangements to establish a car spring factory at Knoxville, Tenn. The site has been fixed on for the purpose to be put up by the Knoxville Iron Company.

Pomeroy Telegraph: The organization of the Ohio & Kanawha Salt Company takes shape and form. It is to include all the furnace running on the Ohio and Kanawha rivers, except the Wheeler and Mineral Point.

A few years ago two enterprising men started a cotton factory in Chattanooga county, Georgia, with a capital of only $20,000. There were no railroads within twenty-five miles of the place. Yesterday that factory was found to be handled through ex carts and wagons, and the factory has paid dividends of over $200,000, and employs a working force of over 1,500 women and men.

The Ironton Rolling Mill will last week, making 400, tons first-class iron. We might say less than a week, for it does not run on Sundays, and it is the monthly and regularly. The large Vastic arrived Monday at the foundry, loaded iron ore from Iron Mountain, Missouri. Demand for pig fair, though not so high, bill in the iron market, which enables the Company to catch up their orders.

Courier Journal: A Pennsylvania company has purchased 10,000 acres of land in Tuscaloosa county, on the line of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, which is now being extended. They have a large deposit of fire-clay and a large deposit of iron ore. The latter, on the same at half of the Red River Iron Works, and is said to be half as good. The fire-clay for the manufacture of car wheels or other goods requiring toughness.

Live Stock.

Ben Robinson, of Garrard, has engaged several hundred hands in Lincoln county at $20 per month and board, and $1.50 for Sundays.

Centucky Stock has brought high figures at the Portsmouth, O., Stock Sales. The first Spring Sale takes place Wednesday, the 29th of March.

March 20th will be the Spring opening of the Portsmouth Stock Sales. Stock Cattle are in good demand in the Scioto Valley farmers and will bring good prices.

At Cynthiana, on Court day a few common cattle sold at 4c to 4½c, calves, 5½c; sheep and hogs, 6c.

The demand for Cattle so far has always carried the supply at the Portsmouth, O., Stock Sales, is an indication of good prices. Spring opens sale Wednesday, March 29th.

At Winchester Court stock ranged from common to good 2 year olds, weighing from 1400 to 1500 lbs., $40 and 4 and 5c. All the common cattle, on the market were sold, but no low figures.

J. E. Suddoth, of Bourbon county, had his short horn herd sold Monday. The cattle were of one common, The total amount realized for the thirty-nine head was $5,022, some of the lot bringing high figures.

Danville Advocate: At the sale of Capt. Wm. Campbell, in Mercer, registered Jersey cows sold at $40 to $50 per head, grade Jerseys at $30 to $40. Shorthorns from $60 to 100, grade calves $25 to $35, mules at $65 to $85.

At the sale of Ivan Reagan, in Fayette county, cows brought from $50 to $65, heifers, from $35 to $50, sheep, $6 to $7 per head; sows, $10 to $15, and shoats from $6 to $8 per head, $4.25 per barrel, and oats at $2.50 per bushel bundles.

PARIS COURT.—Major Hibler reports 400 to 500 cattle on the market, mostly inferior, which sold at prices ranging from $2 to $3.25. There were 30 or 40 head of mules, which sold at $100 to $170; demand active. Horses sold well; common, $100 to $120.

BOYD COURT.—D. S. Martin & Co., of Catlettsburg, report fat cattle exceedingly scarce, more so than they have ever known since they have been in business, between the past week they have bought 5 or 10, at prices from 3½ to 4c. Hogs are also difficult to find. The demand is active for light hogs, gross Sheep, 3½ to 4½. F. Neiman & Co., Ashland, report cattle scarce. Buyers from John D. Fannin and John Haslett, at prices ranging from 3½ to 4c. Sheep quoted at 3½ to 4½. Hogs 4 to 7 cents.

Railroad Scrap.

Train master H. A. Rouse returned on Monday on No. 15.

A. H. Wallace, assistant General Manager of the Ohio River and West Moline on Train No. 1, stirring up the boys.

The Mexican Central Company has contracted 21 miles of road, and expects to lay 30 miles during next six months.

There have been built 111 miles of new railway in Texas, and there are 1,174 miles reported at the corresponding time last year.

The first through car from San Francisco, without breaking bulk, reached New Orleans last week via the Southern Pacific, being 141 cars, the largest ever yet made, charging $1.45 per hundred pounds freight.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed the decision of the Superior Court in the case of Frank McMurty, who was awarded a judgment for $5,000 against the Kentucky Central Railway, for having his leg amputated in collision, which will cripple him for life.

The proposition made at the recent Cleveland convention to operate east-bound grain rates on a basis of 25 cents and provision rates on a basis of 50 cents, has been defeated by the votes of the general managers of the roads belonging to the inter-territorial committee.

A contract for building a gap of fifty miles in the Vicksburg, Shreveport & Texas Railroad (formerly the Texas & Pacific, extending from Arcadia to Shreveport, has been signed at Shreveport by Messrs. James A. Paton and Andrew Andrews.

Mrs. Sarah and Nonnie Beal, of Newport, are visiting Miss Belle Patton.

Miss Martin Spurlock and Miss "Sue" Wellman are visiting friends at Georgetown, Ky.

A temperance meeting will be held at Friendship at 7 P. M., Saturday.

The venerable mother of Rev. L. B. Hotchkiss, died last week, at her home in W. Va.

Mrs. J. H. Burke, whose illness we mentioned last week, died on Thursday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hampton, on the 10th inst., a son.

Fred. Gallup and Mrs. Col. Gallup were at Catlettsburg last week.

A. H. Clawson, the popular jeweler in the Commonwealth Hotel, is a gentleman and deservedly so, for he does honest work and sells honest goods.

Miss Hatcher, of Piketon, has been visiting Miss Laura Crawford for some time. She returned home Saturday accompanied by Miss Crawford.

Dr. Big Sandy is up again, and plenty of timber men are in our town, while everyone seems thrown with joy.

A. G. Low, of Charleston, was here last week in attendance at the Patton-Andrews wedding.

Mrs. Miller Bell, who has been visiting at Louisville for the past three months, has returned home.

Mr. Wm. Stewart, of Louisa, is visiting relatives in Catlettsburg.

Rome Carpenter has returned from a drunk being sent up Big Sandy.

As freight and passenger train No. 17 was being made up at Catlettsburg Saturday evening to be freight No. 16 pass, a car was thrown from the track by a switch being out of order, thereby delaying the trains, both East and West, about an hour.

Mr. Mr. Tucker, of Louisa, was here on Monday, and left that afternoon on the Telegraph for Greenup, O., to be back Saturday.

The Lecture Committee, composed of L. T. Everett, John McIlvoy and G. F. Gallup, have engaged Lieutenant Governor Hanson, of Brigham's 100th, wife, to lecture here on the 20th of April. Ann Eliza will doubtless be a good lecture.

Mrs. Thomas Hendee, who has been visiting at Portsmouth, has returned home.

Miss Sallie McGuire, who has been teaching school at Greenup, is now at home here her school term having expired.

The wedding of William A. Patton and Miss Emma Andrews took place at the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, the 8th inst., at 8 o'clock, and the church was crowded. The attendants were: Mr. Jas. A. Patton, John H. Mason, R. A. Andrews and Fred. Rogers; Misses Lida Andrews, Maude Mason, Lida Rogers, Ella Bond and Belle Patton. Dr. Jas. Kinkaid officiated. The bridesmaids were: Misses Maud. Goble and Miss Lizzie Hopkins were pages. Miss Flora Finer presided at the organ, and played the Wedding March of Mendelssohn. Rev. W. C. Condit, of Ashland, was the officiating clergyman. After the ceremonies at the church were over, the invited guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held, which was an elegant affair. The attendants here was all of the best and most fashionable, and a splendid supper was served from 9½ until 11. The presents were numerous, as well as beautiful and costly. The happy couple started Thursday morning on an extended wedding tour, intending to take in most of the Eastern cities.

Carter County.

GRAYSON.

Rev. Dr. Grenant, of the Presbyterian Church, engaged in the missionary work here last week. Preaching Friday, Saturday, here on Friday night, Saturday and Sunday morning and evenings. He had good audiences, and everybody was well pleased with his discourses. We trust that the Doctor will be successful in visiting us often, as we like to have his good advice.

Mr. Sparks is busy in making meal on Fridays and Saturdays under the surveillance of W. B. Wilson and Jas. E. Mason.

A young lady is visiting our young friend A. C. M. M. Kinkaid. Her weight only ten pounds, but this is heavy weight when we consider that she was not a day old on the 4th inst. Mr. Kinkaid is related to Mr. and Mrs. Logan for several years, and we congratulate the young relatives on such a blessing to their household.

Mr. Jas. E. Mason is again on the street, and he has lost of sickness.

W. B. Mason, his children and Jasper Breeding are still confined with sickness, but are much improved, and we hope soon to see them out and to see the business circles. We have missed them much, as we have to go to Grayson to transact business, and we have to go to Grayson to transact business, and we have to go to Grayson to transact business, and

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TO BUSINESS MEN.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

EDS. INDEPENDENT—Please announce my name as a candidate for Assessor of Carter County at the coming August Election. I promise a faithful discharge of the duties, if elected.

Yours, etc., L. N. KITCHEN.

To the Editor of The Courier:

I take the method of informing the people that I am a candidate for the office of Assessor of Pike county, to be ratified at the August election in 1882, and I respectfully solicit your suffrage at the polls on the first Monday in August, 1882.

JAS. M. JUSTICE.

MRS. Kilbee is ill with typhoid fever in this city.

Mr. Margaret Haskell was quite ill last week.

S. Elliott, Esq., was in this city last week on business.

J. M. Robb, Esq., of Greenup, was in our city Tuesday.

Emory Parrill arrived home from Missouri, on last week.

Mr. M. Mahan favored us with a pleasant call last week.

Miss Emma Wheatley is visiting her brother at Pomeroy.

A. C. Campbell left Tuesday for Lexington and Louisville.

Mr. Jacob Geyer is confined to his home by a threatened fever.

Morgan Williams, Esq., of Normal Station, was in the city Saturday.

John T. Hager, Esq., has returned from a business trip to Wheeling.

Claude Powers, of Chicago, is here on a visit to his parents and friends.

The prospect for a good wheat crop in that part of Kentucky is excellent.

Miss Fanny W. Jones arrived in this city from Cincinnati Saturday last.

George A. Corum, Esq., of Greenup, was in this city on business last week.

Elias Fountain returned to this city last week from a trip to New York City.

We understand that James Miles is going into the mining business at Lexington.

Peter Adams, a young colored man, died on Sunday in this city, of consumption.

We had a pleasant call on Monday from William May, of Pennsylvania Furnace.

J. W. Hanson, of Hebron, Ohio, was in our place over Sunday, stopping at the Broadway.

I. C. French, of Indianapolis, was in town last Monday, and favored our office with a call.

Rev. R. B. Cadillac went to Cincinnati, Sunday, to see Harrison, the great revivalist, preach.

Dr. Montmollin and wife left Tuesday for a visit to friends and relatives at Lexington and Louisville.

Mrs. Ryan, of Steubville, who has been visiting the Misses Nash of this place, has returned to her home.

John Pugh, Superintendent of the Gold Mine at Hendricks, spent Sunday in this city with his family.

Mrs. Alvin Horne and her son, who reside near Greenup, were in Ashland visiting friends last week.

Col. R. T. Wise, of the Express, left on Monday for Greenville, Beth county, on legal and other business.

George T. Bryan and son, of this city, left on Tuesday for Nebraska, which will be their home in the future.

E. Bagley, the popular grocer, of the corner of Greenup Avenue and Fifth Street, is right good when eggs are cheap.

Perrie Butler, the agent for the Ashland Coal Company at Lexington, spent Sabbath with friends in this city.

Capt. J. D. Turrington, superintendent of the Lexington division of the C. and O. railroad was in Ashland last week.

Judge W. C. Ireland, Attorney John W. Hampton, and S. Kimbal, Esq., of this place, went to Grayson Monday.

Alvin Powell, formerly of this place, was in to see us Tuesday. He left us that evening for Cincinnati on business.

Robert Faulkner has returned from Columbus, where he has been farming, and looks as though the West agreed with him.

A son of Hiram Gorrell, about one year old, who has been very sick for some time, is improving a healthy condition since Monday afternoon, by pulling a tenacious tooth.

George W. Crawford, the son of A. J. Crawford, Esq., has returned from a venture in Spain, and a sojourn in New Orleans.

S. Hunt, late of Centerville, Ind., is the new Telegraph operator at the Hotel Aldine, in the place of Mr. Zeigler, resigned.

Miss Adah Cole and Miss Belle Gibson have returned to their homes at Ironton, o., after a week's visit among friends in Ashland.

Capt. R. J. Moore, the obliging yard master of the C. & O. Railway, at Ashland, has removed his family from Huntington to this city.

When you feel a cough or bronchial affection coming on the lungs, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and cure it before it becomes incurable.

L. N. Pollock is the week meeting his Stationery and Jewelry store to his new building on Broadway and newly opened Fifth old stand.

John H. Fastbath and John Galler, who were so desperately wounded in the Ironton collision some three weeks ago, are both reported to be getting well.

Miss Jennie B. Wilson, who has been visiting the family of Mr. Hugh Means, in Greenup, left for her home at Bloomington, Ind., accompanied by her daughter Mamie as far as Cincinnati.

Mr. H. M. Holladay, of Spoffordville, county, Va., is the latest recruit to our city. He is a most polite and gentlemanly clerk at the depot, headed by Messrs. T. M. Campbell and Bryan.

J. M. Russell, from Gallipolis, is now working from the home office of J. E. Roberts' Steam Dye Works, on Greenup Avenue. He is a pleasant gentleman to transact business with.

Mr. Maurice Crooks, Mr. Edward Faulkner and Rev. Mr. Dr. P. Smythe left this city for Colorado last week. We hope they will not make their "pilgrimage" and come back to Ashland to enjoy it.

Mrs. French, the oldest sister of Mr. M. T. Hilton, of this city, and widow of Gen. French, Second Auditor, E. B. French, died in Dunbury, Massachusetts, on the 6th inst., aged 80 years.

Joseph T. Moffitt, Esq., was interviewing our merchants last week. Mr. M. has plenty of and appears well and hearty. He called one of the solid men of Baltimore, as he weighs 21, cwt.

Geo. P. Quinney, an enterprising farmer and stockman, from Greenup, was in Ashland, last week. He is a good citizen, and makes his county, was in Ashland with his family visiting friends, and made us a very agreeable visit.

Mr. John Burgraf is laid up with a broken arm at Star Furnace, caused by a coal heavy weighing over him at the furnace mill. He fires set the arm, and Dr. Wade is looking after it, we hear. He is doing well.

James Longstreet is putting up a small store room, corner of Fourth and Winchester, opposite the Independent office. He will open a fruit stand, where he will keep cakes, pies, candy, peanuts, &c.

We had the pleasure of a call on Monday from John McCaperty, of Coal Valley, West Virginia. He reports times good in that section, the recent strikes having ended, and the miners all at work and making money.

Mr. John H. Zeigler has resigned his position as Telegraph operator at Ashland. He is a popular, accommodating officer, and a general favorite. We hope he will find some business to suit him, and decide to remain in our city.

Moses Everman, landlord of the Broadway Hotel, was attacked with vertigo Sunday morning last, and fell with no harm, but against the baseboard of his room as to cut his head quite considerably. His injuries are not serious.

Frank M. Pinley and wife, of San Francisco, were in Ashland last week. Mr. Pinley edits "silver-tongued orator" of California, and Pacific Railroad Attorney, whose eloquent speech was recent nominating Blaine at the Chicago convention.

C. W. Smith, General Manager of the C. & O. Railway, returned last Friday from the West, accompanied as far as Ashland by President M. E. Ingalls, of the Big Four Railroad. Mr. Ingalls returned to Cincinnati by river from this city.

Chattaroi News: It is utterly utter to describe the sensation caused by the news that a man a paper an entire year without pay, and have the unfortunate to say "stop my paper, I don't want it any longer." Such a case happened on Elaine this week.

It seems that a report has been in circulation in some parts of the country that there was a case of small-pox in Greenup a week or two ago. Dr. I. Prichard, of that place, authorizes us to say that the assertion is false, and that there was not the slightest foundation for the story.

J. G. Tonkson, of Covington, attending agent for the Cincinnati Gazette, was in Ashland this week in the interest of that paper. Mr. T. is a pleasant, well informed gentleman, and deserves success, not with standing the circulation of the Gazette. I. N. Pollock is the agent in this city.

Charley Robinson, a veteran engineer of the C. & O. Railway, is pulling the throttle on the gallant engine 12, on the passenger train between Ashland and Huntington. Charley Carl Sam. Bailey, who does not forget to smile on the ladies as he passes along, having also a pleasant look for the gentlemen.

About the first of April a train for Hefflin and straight Creek Junction will be put on the C. & O. The train will leave here in the evening and stay over night at Hefflin, where travelers will find an excellent hotel, kept by Mrs. C. H. Stewart. The trains will leave the point for Ashland every morning.

Rev. C. F. Armstrong, who was connected together for the ministry of Louisville, and recently of Ashland, and Rev. Mr. Dr. P. Smythe, and is shortly to be ordained, with a view to missionary work in Mexico.

David Griffith, a citizen of Ashland, died lately of Creeks, died at the last annual place on Saturday, of Eighty disease of the kidneys. He was buried in the Cemetery at this place on Monday, with the imposing ceremonies of Masonic order, of which he was a member. Mr. Griffith was some years ago a hom foundryman at the Ashland Furnace.

Reply to Mr. W. Burnett.

EDS. INDEPENDENT—Mr. W. Burnett, "Chief of West Virginia Detectives," speaks in his communication to the Enquirer, of date 2nd inst., that "I was a willed liar, and had gathered and misrepresented from first to last." That I would probably attempt to do so again, and that he proudly referred to the Governor, Auditor and Attorney-General of West Virginia, &c., &c. Now, he knows the reference to the Governor and others in West Virginia, and at the moment he anything. I could refer to the whole General Assembly of Kentucky, and all the ministers of the Gospel in the State, and as I am not intimately acquainted with them, I have no doubt but what they would go back on me," much as I respect the governor and others mentioned would on him. As to the liar I said he willed to be, I have no doubt but what some of his Greater brethren would like to have it. He says "calling men liars don't prove it." I think he can find, in his book, that I called him a liar. I know I am nothing of the kind. Further he says "that he was sent here by the relatives of Gibbons, who thought him guilty." If Gibbons says that he has no relatives living in the State of West Virginia, and but one friend; that he knows of—Mr. Burnett, who was sent to Ashland by parties who wished to employ him to do? This looks like his dealing of which he boasts!

If Mr. Burnett could have proved that Gibbons had signed into his confession at the point of weapons," why did he not bring me and the affidavit he boasts he can get, "signed and sworn to," and those big men, Neal and Cash, from being considered? I call this another big specimen of his honesty and fair dealing!

We asking no one but detective work was ever done in this case, is certain." He can get a peck of detective work from George H. Burgess, of this county, in hunting up the money stolen from the various companies in West Virginia and Kentucky to help Mr. Burgess to rebuild his house when it burned several years ago. I have no doubt but what Mr. Burgess would give a "continent fee" of the money he has found. There would be a chance for him to display his fine detective talents.

He accuses George Ellison of lying in his confession, and he says forty men in the Ashland grand jurors, many of whom were as intimate as Mr. Burnett, who did not think so, and who they willingly violated their oaths as jurors. Under the circumstances, I think Mr. Ellison is in fine honesty and fair dealing than that of Mr. Burnett. Because Mr. Burnett and George Ellison can "do not prove," he does it convince a reading public.

When fixed county wants to employ the best talent in the United States to sift all the facts in the case, they will not send for the chief of West Virginia detectives to do it. We think on the same time that he will not compete with Blue—Mr. Heflin, for instance.

Ellis, since his emplacement in the Lexington jail, has made no denial of his original confession. He still sticks to it as being true; at least he says so, if we may believe the words of Gen. Hunt, who visited him last week, and where they were known.

As he was address being "Gallatinton, West Va.," I have known that for some time; knew his character and his judgment. Just as he is not famous for his beauty, talent, or any other distinguishing trait, I don't propose to make a pilgrimage there to see him.

REUBEN.

MISS JULIA FLIE.

Queen of Diamonds, Ashland, will appear in Ashland, at Geiger, Powell & Ferguson's Hall, on Friday evening, March 17th, 1882.

Popular price of admission, 25 cts. No opera house chairs reserved seats. Tickets on sale at Geiger, Powell and Ferguson's store.

Miss Flie is introduced by the press and representatives of any branch of the artistic profession, as a young lady of remarkable and indefinable, rare quality—magnetism. She comes before the public, whose favorite she has been thoroughly cultivated, but is also possessed of a voice of rare, full, sweet and unexpected—Genius. Possessing a rich, powerful voice, fascinating manners, as a result of the absence of affectation, she is the highest sense dramatic, and yet easy and graceful. Her ballads and Irish melodies, sung by turn, thrills them with her wonderful power, and leaves them to marvel at the most delicate and exquisite shading, and sweetness of tone, with unrivaled skill in the unlocking humor, she succeeds everywhere and in everything she attempts.

ELDER WARNER.

We are informed, on good authority, that the account in the Louisville papers of an interview with Mr. Ashland Bruce, in regard to the Ashland murderer, does the Governor an unintentional injustice, in that it would appear from the account, that he became the champion and friend of Craft and Neal. Such expressions belied Ellis' guilt, and pronouncing him a villain deserving no mercy. Such expressions, if it was through him the criminals were found out. The truth is, he was one of the officers who went to Greenup taking up the cases of Craft and Neal so long that they would not have time to investigate them. Mr. Bruce knows that he would require them for a time long enough to make the little angel his Burnough.

The friends of T. Trace Arnold, of Portsmouth, dealers in books and shoes, is well known all over the southern part of our State, and they are a fine lot, which we hope may largely increase. They carry a large stock, and because they are well selected, and at bottom prices. This is the house for which Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and which has its subsidiaries is necessary, for he knows every man, woman and child in the place, and more goods than anybody. Buy your books of Arnold Kobor, or T. Trace o Co., and be happy.

J. C. Hopkins has at his nursery, at Russell, opposite Ironton, a fine lot of all varieties of fruit trees, and he is prepared to furnish them with oranges in pomp, pear, nectarine, cherry, peach, plum, etc. Go, ye, ye, ye, take cases, shelves, tables, cushions and chairs, and go to Hopkins' nursery, and take some of his trees, some 20 kinds of grapes vines, and all sorts of pomegranates, and pomegranates, &c. Everything bought there will be found to be as represented by Mr. Hopkins, and his prices will be found very reasonable.

Toward Mt. Moriah, wholesale dealers in Ashland, Ky., are the Ashland Bruce, who has a population second to no other home for fair dealing and fair prices. Their trade in Eastern Kentucky is very large, which they attribute to the fact that country merchants who have not heretofore been buying of them to give them a trial, so we are told. They will be satisfied with prices and the treatment they receive.

The Scioto Valley Railroad C. spur leaves opposite the Warner house of Ashland, and passenger Agent at Portsmouth. He says, W. O. Mc. will be in Ashland on Thursday, and we the right man in the right place, clever and accommodating, and well posted on the best and cheapest routes of railroad travel.

Married, on Monday evening, 13th instant, James Crooks and Miss Maggie, daughter of Esq. Rutland Ashland. The happy couple are popular in Greenup county, and have long home in Cincinnati, accompanied with best wishes of a large number of friends here for their continued happiness and prosperity.

MORE EVIDENCE!

Carry the News to Gov. Blackburn. Another Cash Witness Found.

Another link in the chain of evidence, which has been working around the Ashland murderer, was forged and fastened to-day, in light on Sunday last. Some boys playing under the bridge near the Gibbons house, dug up a coat that had been buried deep in the sand and dirt. Judge S. S. Savage, coming along just afterward, took charge of the coat. It is plain to be seen that an attempt had been made to wash the blood from the skirts of the coat, and when it was found that the blood stains could not be obliterated, the next thing to do was to bury it deeper, and so to hide the coat. Dr. Montmollin pronounces it human blood on the garment, and several of the leaders who have examined it, do so. Neal, and two reputable men have declared they are ready to make affidavit to it; it is worn just as Gibbons wore it, and the coat is the identical one worn by the Norton Iron Works. The tell-tale piece of clothing was placed in the hands of the Committee, and is now in the custody of Mr. John Calder.

The most singular thing connected with it, is that Neal said to a citizen of Ashland, "I wish I had worn my coat, instead of my jacket, I would have had no bloody coat." The gentleman replied that he had heard nothing of it.

Married.

CROOKS-ADAMS—At 7 o'clock, P. M., Monday, March 13th, 1882, at the residence of the bride's parents, at Fairwood Iron Works, Boyd county, Ky., by Rev. T. S. Wade, James L. Crooks, of Coalsville, Colorado, to Miss Maggie Adams.

The officiator of these lines was three, and he can truly say all was "merry as a marriage bell." Quite a number of friends were present, some being from Carter and Greenup counties, and Gurnsdotte, W. Va. The bride is the third of Mr. Adams' seven children daughters. She was draped in white dotted swiss, and looked was a lovely bride for the happy bridegroom to like away to his home of Western Iowa. The attendants were Mr. Jennie Adams, also draped in white Swiss, and Mr. John Montague.

After pleasant festivities the company repaired to the dining-room, where was prepared a most beautiful feast of the good things of earth.

The happy couple started for their future home at Crooksville, Colorado, on the following day, and the best wishes followed the bride's sisters, Misses Jennie and Mary Adams, and Mrs. Jenny Crooks and wife of Greenup, and Mr. Montague, of Ashland.

Mr. Crooks is a nephew of Mr. F. E. Faulkner, who has property near Mr. Crooks. Mr. John F. Smyth, Maurice Crooks, of Boyd county, and John Taylor, James Osborn, James Crooks and Robert Alexander, with a lot of bearing, go with Mr. Crooks and bride to the growing Western State of his choice.

The following is a list of the presents received:

Mrs. E. Adams, set, and table linen and towels; Mr. H. Adams, Bible and silver spoons; Rev. Charles Crooks, one, Solid Silver dinner napkins, ring, but brass, quilt and pillows; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smyth, silver mug; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Powell, napkins jelly dishes; Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown, of Willard, Ky., calendar; Mrs. Jennie H. Crooks, tin watch basin and towels; Willie Newman and sisters, set silver knives and forks; Miss Belle Bradshaw, motto, "After Chrodoborodoho;" Julia Devere, Miss Sarah Jones, set of knives and forks; Mary Willie Jones, wire hair brush; Jennie Adams, traveling satch; J. Mary Adams, silver teaspoons; Laura Adams, silver butter knife; Maude Adams, silver knife and fork; Gwen, pin-cushion; Mrs. D. Geiger, crystal vase pitcher; Mrs. Kate Bradshaw, of Springville, Ky., handsome bird cage title; Mrs. Mary Crooks, quilt; George Faulkner, silver pickle castor; A. G. "Doc," Toothman, crystal vase; Mrs. Dr. Oliver, silver napkin ring; Maurice Crooks, milk strainer and skimmer; Mrs. Faulkner, silver pickle castor; F. E. Faulkner, silver pickle castor; C. F. Butler, copy Dickens' David Copperfield.

List of letters remaining in the Ashland P.O., which, if not called for within ten days, will be sent to the dead letter office:

Gentlemen—Jas. Bailey, Jas. Thomas, Anderson, Julius Kelly, Katie Bradshaw, Mrs. Martha Bradshaw, Mrs. Martha Conner, Mrs. Josephine Turner, Miss Jennie Hall, Miss Lizzie Hall, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Alice Hopkins.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised," and give date of this paper.

W. A. LAWTON, P. M.

The cars handled by the C. & O. and the N. C. Railroad at Ashland for the week commencing Monday, 6th and ending Monday, 13th, were as follows: Eastbound, 1,100 by Chesapeake & Ohio to the Scioto Valley railroad, 1,200 by the C. & O. proper. The cars received from the S. V. railroad, 26 loaded cars and passengers, and 15 cars of wood, and cars handled during the week. Mr. Dalney says he will keep the cars moving and the passengers happy.

Hon. Richard Key, Greenback Representative in the Kentucky Legislature from Hopkins county, has paid court to the authorities of that county $6, that amount being two years back pay, and during the time he thought the money did not belong to him right fully, the proper place for him to put it was into the State Treasury.

A. B. Clark, Jr., and Charles Sherrit have dissolved partnership. Mr. Clark will continue in the grocery business, and Mr. Sherrit will probably again go into business in this city, as he is a good fellow.

Gaston Gallier, a young man of Irvine, was shot through the stomach by Sam Edwards, a negro, and is not expected to recover.

Mrs. Charles Petry, of Mt. Sterling, took an ounce of laudanum by mistake, and died from its effects.

Charles F. Bartell, the popular Greenup county jeweler, is at Cincinnati on a business trip.

Died, on the 7th inst., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Long, aged five months.

The friends of Marvel Mosier, of Cincinnati, will regret to learn that he is sick.

Wylie Pritchard, Esq., of Mt. Sterling, was in our city on Wednesday.

W. N. Lanham, of Catlettsburg, paid Ashland a visit yesterday.

Tetlowe Glass Cleaner—for cleaning lamp chimneys, decanters, glass ware, &c. Sample from Women of Silks.

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We are sorry to learn that typhoid fever still prevails to an alarming extent at Coalton, Rush and Truro. Dr. R. S. Rice is still quite low with the disease. Mr. Warren Price died of the fever at Coalton, Sunday night, aged about 35. The citizens of the afflicted locality have the sympathy of all and their prayers for their speedy exemption from the epidemic.

It matters not the age of sufferers from colds, coughs, "Dr. Sellers' Cough Syrup" is good for all. Price 25 cents.

J. E. Roberts, the popular manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Agencies, returned from a business trip through Bath, Rowan and Carter counties, Saturday. He is putting men on the road, now the traveling is getting better. He is shipping machines to West Va. and various other points; we are glad to see his fair dealing meeting such success. He left Tuesday for Carter county.

Emigrants to Texas, Kansas and all points West, North-West and South-West should remember that Capt. George A. Knight makes the lowest rate obtainable. Write him for particulars, Cor. 4th and Vine Sts., Cincinnati.

A Word to Mothers.

Mothers should remember that it is almost a important duty at this season to look after the health of their families as during the early months of the year. Nothing will tune up the stomach and liver, regulate the bowels, purify the blood so perfectly as Parker's Ginger Tonic, advertised in our columns.

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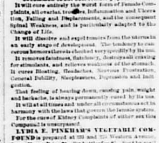

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Business Failures.

T. C. A. J. O. Barbour, the Louisville Pickling and Packing Co., have failed. Liabilities, $18,000; assets, $20,000.

C. A. Sweet & Co., bankers, Boston, have suspended. Assets, $3,922,657; liabilities, $2,576,311.

Suddenly Summoned.

Alex. Aubrey, aged 40, was found dead in his room at Xenia, O., cause, excessive drinking.....Lot Vail, single, a wealthy stock raiser and farmer, dropped dead last week, near Laporte, Ind., aged 75.....Mrs. Martha Dust dropped dead at Indianapolis, aged 75.

Housed and to be Hung.

W. W. Rhea is to be hung April 21st, at Pulaski, Tenn., for the murder of Goodman.....Dead Shot, Dandy Jim and Shipp, three Indians, were in the happy hunting grounds by the hemp line, from Fort Grant, Arizona, on the 24 inst., for the murder of Capt. Hentig and his men. They died game, and laughed when the rope was tied.

Charitable Gifts.

Miss Sarah Burr died in New York on the 1st, at the age of 88. By the terms of her will and the wills of her two sisters, who died before her, fifty million dollars have been given to Bible Societies, hospits' Episcopal churches, Missionary boards, etc. Six