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OCTOBER.

The virgin bloom of youthful spring,
And tender leaves, has taken wing
To seek for new pastures.
And throned upon the gladdened hills
Is beauty crowned October,
A dreaming joy her golden thrills,
Her matchless glory shower.

A softened haze wraps hill and dale,
Half seen in mellowed tints;
The landscape holds behind this veil
Another charm hinted.

From all the hills the maples wave
Their gold and red and bronze;
Those tints may vie with those which lave
The crimson cloud—bathed skies.

As if life is stilled—earthed overturned
Are brighter than than summer,
And softer sites than those which shed
Their tints in hazy distance.

While in the fields the golden rod,
The aster of the river,
Lift up their dew-dipped heads and nod
In evry breezy shiver.

So hushed the air no sound is heard,
Save but the mere whirr falling
Upon the leaves, or when some bird
The woodland wake with calling.

The squirrels leap from tree to tree,
Or sit on the sunlit fences,
Their presence—save we feel than see,
Were an insult—from silence.

The very sun has ceased to glow,
And adieu with a mellowed splendor
All noon upon the hills that show
His last fare—the sunset.

And, coy, from out the skies at night
The moon and stars—mute witnesses—
To flood the earth with silver light,
Are not the glorious.

We mourn not that the timid spring
Deep with the summer,
Whose splendor set us wondering,
Call this—the queen of the year.

With waving scepter clothed the land
In tapestry of rare price,
And sent a gold and purple hand
Her wide hills to enrice.

The rare—Tenth of all the year—
Say not I trifle—
The breezes soft—mute clear,
Are as dirges—sighs.

They whisper low to gladdened ears
Of hearts and of caressings,
And toys that make our manhood's years
A flavored dissolution.

Oh! happy month, with splendor crowned,
How you exhilarate!
May seem the circling year bring round
Another glad October!

—T. G. Watkins, in Courier Journal.

THE STATE.

Bath—At Olympia, James Richeson was convicted of carrying concealed weapons, was fined $25 and sentenced to ten days' imprisonment in the county jail.

Bigette—A. L. Underwood, a C. & O. railroad brakeman, a handsome young lady, whose cheerful disposition and winning manners had made her very popular in a large circle of friends.

Fleming—At Flemingsburg a man named Fred Hartman fell from a blacksmith shop a distance of twenty feet, his spine, sustaining injuries which will result in his death.

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On Thursday Craft was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, which after a long conversation with the prisoner, Judge Cantrill concluded to do. It was nearly half a mile before the Court House, the sheriff said the guard along, and Craft was baptized. He drank long and deep and seemed to be in a state of forgiving his enemies, and he made his wife promise to do the same. He said he had no hard feelings against the men who helped to get a verdict for his death.

Many strangers were in Grayson on Thursday, and have come to see Craft. He was entirely unknown to the citizens, and was at first kept hanging on the outskirts of the crowd, but kept harping on the theme of men trying to get him hanged to get the reward which had been offered.

Craft slept well on Thursday night, waking about sunrise, remarking that he had asked God to forgive him for his sins, and he felt as at the last sunrise he was ever to see. To a newspaper reporter he said:

"I have given up all my hopes. In a few days I will be in eternity. You are going to see a man who has been hung, but you will find it out. You want to know what keeps me up. It is just this: I feel that I am innocent. I believe in full of my guilty secret. I know I have lived in sin, but I know I am innocent of the charge for which I am to be hung. I remember what I said, as it stood, now, as I said to my judge, I am innocent of what I told you. I feel no bad feelings to them that swore my life away—to Dan Hellen, Jim Hellen, Bell and John Russell. They will have bad feelings to me for what I have said. I have bad feelings to any of them. I have no bad feelings to any of them. I have no bad feelings to any of them. I have no

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Our patrons at Hanford will find a statement of accounts with Postmaster Bingham, which they can make a receipt for, and return to receipt in our office.

We have our Morgan county subscribers to pay subscriptions to E. C. Grear, at Hanford, and those who are indebted there, will be partial agent for that county.

Our subscribers in Greenup can pay their dues to John M. Clayton, Esq., who has been appointed our agent in that county, and to give receipts in our name.

We have appointed postmaster at Mt. Savage, our authorized agent for THE INDEPENDENT, and subscribers there are requested to promptly pay their subscriptions to him.

Our subscribers at Grayson can ascertain the status of their accounts by calling upon the agent of this paper, at the post-office. He is Capt. A. Nutter, authorized for us, and we hope those who have been informed will do so promptly.

The friends of the INDEPENDENT in Eastern Boyd, will find a receipt book, when in Catlettsburg, with Col. Jas. Chinn, of the Young Men's Christian Association, in the south-east corner Middle and Fifth streets.

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The Republican is not to be passed into this town.

Mr. L. L. Kibler, of Trace, was in our city last week.

Dr. C. Widney and family have returned to California.

Hon. L. T. Moore, of Catlettsburg, was in our city Monday.

Mr. A. C. Hastings, of Catlettsburg, called on us one day last week.

Gen. W. Wilson, of London, late of the Bay Sec, was in our city yesterday.

Capt. John Holliday has a piece of the rope with which Croft was hanged.

Mr. C. J. Chambers has had his store on Winchester avenue painted.

Born—Wednesday evening, Oct. 10th, 1883, to the wife of George Burton, a son.

Mr. Chell, express messenger on the C. & O., was in town Sunday to make a call.

Misses Emma, Mary and Lizzie Hellwig visited Greenup in Catlettsburg, Sunday.

Dick Hoover started Monday evening to Wheeling where he is going to work.

Mrs. Hart, of Winchester avenue, left for the city, Tuesday, to be gone several days.

Rev. E. A. Young, of Nashville, preached in the M. E. Church, South, last Sunday.

Quite a number of Ashlanders attended the play of "Fast Lynne" at Ironton last Monday.

Take notice that hereafter on Sundays the postoffice will be open from 9 to 10 o'clock, A. M.

Miss Mary J. Murray, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday with the Misses Greer of East Winchester.

Mr. George Wooster, of Greenup county, has been visiting Mrs. Moses Kiernan, in this city.

Calvin Cantrell, late conductor on the East Kentucky Railroad, has resigned and gone west.

Capt. Wm. Conley, of Catlettsburg, was in our city a day or two ago, and made our office a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Norman, of Springfield, Ohio, are the guests of Mrs. Coles, on Winchester avenue.

Miss M. J. Murray, of Portsmouth, who has been visiting Miss M. A. Coles, returned to her home on Monday.

Miss Sophia Dulrich, of this city, was, last week, visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. F. Weidenhiller, at Hunnewell.

After a visit to New York State, Charles Lomax is back again at the Ashland Foundry and Machine shop.

Mrs. John W. Hampton and her children returned from Catlettsburg, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ireland.

Miss Lottie Williams, of Normal, spent Sunday in Ashland, the guest of Miss Annie Henry of Winchester avenue.

Mr. Alfred Bolt, of Bolt's Fork, was in our city a few days since, and made THE INDEPENDENT office a pleasant call.

Mr. Thomas Seery is paving with brick in front of his property on Winchester Avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Jack Spicer and Charlie Rikhoff were at Ironton last week, at which place we think they know about hoeing to that section.

Capt. John Holling, our Tentonia baker, left for Gregory's station, Monday, and didn't have he would on his hind foot legs," either.

Street Commissioner John Kelley has manfully set to work, cleaning the streets of Ashland, and they need it badly.

A number of the beaux and belles of this city were entertained in a right royal manner Wednesday night and his estimable wife by Sheriff Kirkbride.

James J. Fronicks, of Ironton, was in our city Monday. He came up with his brother Wm. A. Fronicks, who has his foot torn off in a factory near Chicago.

We wish to give the Louisville Courier Journal credit for a part of our report of the Craft hanging, as we may draw largely on its correspondent's account of it.

The place to go for a first class oyster stew, or any thing else in the oyster line, is John Bell's restaurant. He keeps the best and serves them up in excellent style.

Mr. W. H. Bagley has had his store building on Winchester avenue some two feet and new foundations put in. He is having the building improved, and adding a bay window, papering, painting, &c.

The C. & O. Railroad's new time card is out. Its trains do not make close connection now at Ashland, except with the exception of the evening train east and the morning train at 10 o'clock west, as we can remember.

Mr. Bidwell, of Park street, between Greenup and Front, wishes to give notice to all persons who have left clothing with him to be cleaned and renovated that he wants them to come forward and get it and pay charges without further delay.

Dr. and Mrs. John H. Wade, Miss Hattie Gesler, Miss Jennie Geiger, Mrs D. A. Leffingwell, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Fennacy, Mrs. L. E. Veysey, Mrs. A. C. Campbell and Mrs. M. E. Hoskins left on Tuesday morning for the Louisville Exposition.

The Ashland Schools.

The following list contains the names of those pupils in the Public Schools who were neither absent nor tardy during the first month of this school session—beginning September 17th and ending October 17th. These pupils deserve special credit, because of the fact that there were some irregularities in the way of continuous attendance, viz: The Students' Reunion, at Dedham, and the "Grand" day of the Fair—each of which was the cause of some absence.

HIGH SCHOOL—ENTIRE ROLL BEING—28.

No. 1—Miss Mattie Roberts, Teacher—Bertha Hughes, Maggie Carroll, Rosie De Rosset, Lizia Howell, Arvenia Carroll, Minnie Carr, Lizzie Adkins, Blanche Perry, Sallie Stevens, Minnie Shank, Divey Davis, Washington Gray, Davy Lloyd, Nellie Shannon, Alex Alexander, Oliver Pugh, John Oberringer, Herbert Kidwell, Tellie Mosesmith—26.

No. 2—Miss Martha Bayless, Teacher—Camella Frazier, Lizzie Fearing, Joanna Nolte, Lena Oblinger, Fronie Johnson, Willie Karnap, Joe Uribner, George Fearing, Clyde Frazier, Willie Mosesmith, James Howard, Freddie Powers, Fannie Fearing, Katie Murphy, Lizzie O'Farrell, Minnie Sherrill, Tommy Carr, Charlie Carroll, Pearl Davis, Freddie Fearing, Charles Johnson, Freddie Heney, Willie Oblinger, Henry Kaiser—24.

No. 3—Miss Lizzie Ogden, Teacher—Mamie Emmanuel, Lucy Gibson, Eva Ice, Bertha Fisher, Louisa Oberringer, Nellie Gray, Annie Leffingwell, Minnie Lloyd, Mamie Talbot, Robert Booth, Harold Coburn, Lewis Davis, Henry Guerringue, Elisworth Jones, Jas. Long, Jameson Tabor—16.

No. 4—Miss Emma Bell, Teacher—Esther Leffingwell, Laura Campbell, Lizzie Crow, Stella Shelton, Flora Ashworth, Josie Haley, Nellie Fisher, Mary Helwig, Mary Morrison, Mary Bagley, Mary Hoestman, Raymond Frazier, George Lusby, George Campbell, Dan Jones, Will Hawkins, Will Bell, Bert Rogers—17.

No. 5—Miss Maggie Savage, Teacher—Maggie Alexander, Minnie Butler, Mattie Carr, Katie Crawford, Susie Crosbie, Vada Dyre, Ella Gilchrist, Maggie Herbst, Mollie Hynes, Bridget Haney, Naomi Komss, Grace Lawrence, Lizzie Lloyd, Mary Murphy, Katie Sullivan, Belle Warnock, Belle Cummings, George Crosbie, Willie Cryer, Dave Heathcote, John Hager, Willie Rankin—22.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Miss Nellie O'Neil, Teacher—Ida Lloyd, Lennie Ashworth, Maggie Carp, Minnie Lloyd, Mamie Jones, Jessie Jones, Emma Bell, Tacy Timoney, Eddie Rogers, Edwin Fisher, Nathaniel Booth—12.

WINCHESTER BUILDING—38.

No. 1—Miss Rose Johnson, Teacher—May Fearing, Rosa Powell, Minnie Helwig, Lizzie Bollinger, Lena Springer, Clara Hall, Hattie Barnett, Eliseo Erick, Eddie Ballard, Jas. Lee Springer, Rhoda Barton, Nettie Maine, Maggie Crawford, Lena Fearing, Lillie Smith, Hettie Herbst, Johnnie Cobbs, Calvin Henthorn, Minnie Fisher, Carrie Lonman, Laura Weber, Nellie Fearing, Gertie Erick, Laura Maine, Glennie Runyan, Willie Hall—26.

No. 2—Miss Lottie Lonman, Teacher—Martha Ballard, Anna Evans, Sallie Howell, Lizzie Maire, Sophia Rouse, George Carroll Stella Bailey, Lenitia Erick, Edith Johnson, Lulu Robins, Lucy Torrence, Frank Iole—12.

WINCHESTER BUILDING—22.

No. 1—Miss Maggie Dale, Teacher—Emma Bagley, Lizzie Bobbett, Maud Maud, Tillie Bullington, Lythia Rouse, May Harris, Theresa Bullington, Walter Adkins, Eddie Miller, Johnnie Price, Mark Smith, Charley Wilson, Harry Smith—21.

No. 2—Miss Nettie Drake, Teacher—Annie Harris, Celia Pfaffenberger, Carrie Pfaffenberger, Gertie Dale, Hattie Tinsley, Hattie Thomas, Ida Culbertson, Lena Bagley, Lulu Wilson, Lettie Miller, Lillie Cary, Mary McNaughton, Maggie Thomas, Maggie Elam, Charlie Bell, Daniel Gilchrist, Fred Haney, Harlan Bullington, Charlie Thomas, Tommie Haney, Samuel Jones, Willie Rose—22.

Total in all the schools, 162.

In addition to the above, there are a few pupils who did not attend the first full term, but have not been absent or tardy since commencing, viz: Eddie Gallagher, Lela Parker, Emma Long, Willie Linney, Mary Harris, Elnora Derbyshire and James Cunnatan—7.

The teachers in these schools hereby request the co-operation of the parents in this matter of regularity in attendance, and cordially invite them to visit the schools, at any time. We are not afraid of intelligent criticism, as no one work in the school room.

T. J. SLATTERY, Supt.

Grand Special Excursion to the Southern Exposition.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway has announced a grand Special Excursion to Louisville, Ky., from Parkersburg and intermediate stations of the C. & O. and E. L. & B. S. R'ys, which will afford an opportunity for health-seeking, pleasure, and general information never before placed within such easy reach. The Southern Exposition, which is of a magnitude exceeding any other ever held in America, with the exception of the Centennial at Philadelphia, is a vast exhibition of Art, Manufacture, Agriculture, Industries, and natural products which will reflect to the ingenuity of man.

Thursday, October 25th, has been appointed by the Exposition as West Virginia and Kentucky day, on the evening of which the voices in chorus, with Gilmore's Band and the Grand Organ, will unite in celebrating the occasion.

Three large theatres will divide the attractions in the evening, and numerous other attractions are arranged for the enjoyment of the excursionists.

The Special Train will leave Charleston on Tuesday morning, October 23rd, and run through to Louisville without change, and a sufficient number of coaches will be provided for all.

The tickets will be good to return on any regular train till October 30th.

The Special Train will leave Ashland at 7:30, A. M.

The rate for the round trip from Ashland will be $1.75, and at corresponding rates from all stations east or west of this city.

Reductions in Salaries.

The reduction of salaries of Postmasters which has just taken effect makes a number of changes in the salaries paid in Kentucky postmasters. The following are reduced this year: Covington, $2,600; Newport, $2,000; Maysville, Paris and Shelbyville. The following are reduced $200 per year: Ashland, Danville, Elizabethtown, Georgetown, Lexington, Paducah and Versailles. Newport loses $600 per year; Henderson, $400. The following gain $100 per year: Bowling Green, Covington, Frankfort, Hopkinsville, Maysville and Winchester. The following gain $200 per year: Catlettsburg and Frankfort, $2,200; Covington, $2,600; Hopkinsville postmaster gets $1,000 per year; Richmond postmaster, $1,100 each; Frankfort and Nicholasville, $1,200; Stanford, $1,200; Catlettsburg, Elizabethtown, Lexington, Paducah, $1,400; Ashland, Cynthiana, Georgetown, Harrodsburg, Lebanon and Russellville, $1,500; Richmond, Shelbyville and Winchester, $1,600; Henderson and Mount Sterling, $1,700; Danville and Hopkinsville, $1,800; Bowling Green and Paris, $1,900; Maysville and Newport, $2,000; Owensboro, $2,100; Paducah and Frankfort, $2,200; Covington, $2,600; Lexington, $2,700; Louisville, $3,600.

Honorably Discharged.

The Courier Journal of the 6th says that in January last, Mr. Wm. B. Houston, of Lexington, who for several years had been a very efficient agent of the National Express Company at Life Association of this city, having doubt as to the status and future of that company, resigned his position and became agent of another company. As officer of the National Mutual Benefit Company then had an indictment found against Mr. Houston for alleged embezzlement some two or three years previous. Yesterday the case came to trial before the Criminal Court, when it was argued on motion of the Prosecuting Attorney, who stated that he was satisfied that the prosecuting would not be sustained and that there was no foundation for it. He remarked that his information in the case came from the insurance Company. Judge Jackson at once ordered the indictment to be dismissed. Mr. Houston is one of the best known and most popular young men in the State, and his honorable acquittal and prompt and full vindication from a vindictive assault will be gratifying to his many friends.

A New Departure.

One good result of the hard times is few years ago was in the bringing into his an article in proprietary medicine, which gave to every purchaser of it equivalent for his money. The success of this class of medicines is from 10 to 25 doses for $1, the best only reaching a. Mason, Hood & Co. took a new departure and in the article now so well and favorably known as Hood's Sarsaparilla, they gave the unprecedented quantity of 100 doses for $1. These facts commend themselves to the consideration of the sick, also the well, for they are liable to be sick.

Odd Fellows Encampment.

LEXINGTON LODGE, NO. 26, I. O. O. F.

Being about to form an Encampment at Ashland, all brothers in good standing are cordially invited to join us. Any information wanted will be supplied by the N. G., or Secretary of this Lodge.

W. O. LEVI, N. G.
F. L. GAINS, Secretary.

Among the recent arrivals at the Hotel Alfonse, we find the following: P. S. Pantuin, Chillicothe; J. J. Lotz, Olive Hill; Mrs. E. B. Wicks, Moreland; Geo. B. Patton, W. B. Wilkinson, Mr. Hunnell, C. W. Sherrill, M. F. Pendleton, Catlettsburg; Wm. Jinkins, Mt. Sterling; C. B. Coleman, John H. Gillian, Louisville; E. W. Jones, G. W. Wilson, Thos. Johnson, Geo. E. Lang, P. C. Booth, S. S. Mayne, Louisville; Jas. Dunlap, Ironton; S. Mayne, Louisville; James Kinkirk, Poplar Plains; Jacob Singh, Cincinnati; Ike Levi, A. M. Dobes, E. E. Ewing, Wm. F. Rust; W. Q. Adams, M. Meadow, F. E. McPartlin, D. A. Falkenstein, Wm. Dotson, Wm. L. Jackson, F. S. Owens, Maysville; R. F. Young, Russell; Frank Hoskins, Geo. B. Martin, Buffalo Springs; H. Means, Wm. Lamb, J. H. Frederick, E. C. Deets, T. Flanagan, Columbus, O.; E. A. Copeland, M. Marks, M. P. Dodds, Jas. Kelly, E. W. Archer, Cincinnati.

Cohen & Brunsberg, the great Ironton Clothiers, have in the hands of printers a card and an liberal advertisers. They know the great value of advertising and freely admit it. Last spring, while their advertisement was running in this paper, we happened to be in their store when a number of farmers came in from twenty miles back of Ashland. They were admiring in this paper, and said they had come there to buy because they had read the advertisement of THE INDEPENDENT. There were several members of the family, and Mr. Brunberg sold them $50 worth of clothing. This was an instance where the result could be traced direct to advertising. It cannot always be done; but advertising always helps man's trade, even if the same effect cannot so readily be seen in this case.

List of letters advertised at Ashland, Ky., October 18, 1883. If not called for in 30 days they will be sent to the dead letter office.

Ainsworth, Mr Frank Henderson, T E
Albertson, M E Kelly, Mrs Bell
Bell, Miss Caroline Kouns, Chas
Bell, Mrs Mary Ann Lee, Geo W
Davis, Miss Ella Powell, Miss Lizzie
Caufman, S K Potts, Noble N
Dickson, Sophia Strahan, Stephen
Diller, Mrs Addie Tipton, Jr Joseph
Fisher, Mrs Ann Taylor, Mrs Mary
Gilmore, Mr G Wallace, F T D

H. W. LAWTON, P. M.

Probably there never was brought to Ashland a more large stock of goods as is now to be seen at Powell & Geiger's. This firm has the largest store in the county, and the whole of the double store and the two stories are jammed and packed with goods. Having abandoned the credit system they are is now selling on very close margins. Buying for cash in large quantities, owning their own building and economizing in expenses, Powell & Geiger are able to sell as low as goods can be purchased anywhere, and in many instances lower. Call and be convinced.

Cincinnati Enquirer: The play of "Kentucky Ned" which this week is essentially a play for the masses. It is brimful of crisp dialogue and replete with thrilling situations. It tells a story of a Kentucky feud between two well known families of that State—the Woodfords and Thunderstorms, and the characters are life-like from first to last. The piece is well acted; the company being the strongest seen at Heinck's for a long time. The audience were worked up to a high pitch of enthusiasm last evening, giving good evidence of crowded houses during the week.

Mr. George W. Wilson has sold his interest in the Grayson Busy Bee to Mr. Geo. H. Hollis. Day. We regret to lose Mr. Wilson from that paper or from Grayson. He is not only a good printer and newspaper man, but an excellent gentleman, for whom we feel a warm friendship. We have always believed that he will not desert the craft. Mr. Holliday is a thoroughgoing man, and has a position in an office, and the Bee will continue its "mono," gathering honey for its friends, and reply to the enemies on sufficient provocation.

Mr. McMullin has put up a shed or little store on Fourth street, a few rods above this office, for the sale of cigars, tobacco, confectionery, &c., but not drinks. He is a consecrated soldier and a temperance man and the Knight New Discovery for Consumption. The only certain cure known for Consumption, Cough, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial Bottle free. Regular size, $1.00.

Very Low Rates.

During the continuance of the Southern Exposition, at Louisville, Ky., (commencing August 1st, and continuing till October 31st) the Louisville & Nashville Railroad will sell Excursion Tickets from any of its stations to Louisville at one fare for the round trip. These Tickets will be on sale every day, from L. & N. stations and will be good for 15 days, allowing ample time to visit the Greatest Exposition ever held in the South, and second only to the Centennial at Philadelphia. Solid trains and Palace Sleepers to Louisville without change.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitated to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers; they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Thousands have the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints, Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They only cost a dollar and a half in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Reinhart & Co.

Cane and Sorghum Mills.

The place to get the best mill used in improved styles of Cane and Sorghum Mills and Evaporators is at J. M. R. Lane's.

New Dried Beans, Cranberries, Celery, Fresh Fish, all kinds of Fruits, and everything nice, at Shaw's.

Julius Miller tin-roofed Conrad Hyman's new cottage a few days ago, and put a tin roof for S. Casebolt, on Winchester Avenue.

I have 50 barrels of choice Sweet Cider, which I sell by the quart, gallon or barrel.

J. W. SHAW.

Miss Carrie Eustinger, of Ironton, Ohio, was visiting Mrs. Wm. C. Diederich, on Railroad Avenue, Monday and Tuesday.

Forty-three boundary lines have occurred at Lynchburg, Va., in the last two months.

James Timberlake's family moved, last week, to Martin's Ferry, W. Va.

Farmers can always get the top of the market for their produce at J. W. Shaw's.

New Sorghum only forty cents a gallon at Shaw's.

Market Report.

CINCINNATI.

BACON—Shoulders, 8c; rib, 7½; clear sides, 8½@8¾.

LARD—$11.50 per cwt.

BEEF—Mess, $12@12.50; medium, $12.75 @13.50.

FLOUR—Common, $4@5; prime to choice, $5@6.

WHEAT—Red, 90@91c; amber, 91@92c.

CORN—Ear, 50@51c; shelled, 45c.

OATS—Mixed, 28c; white, 31c.

RYE—Per cwt., $1.05@1.10.

HAY—Choice, $10.50@12.00 from store.

PORK—Mess, $21.50.

BUTTER—Ordinary, 20@25c for common to choice.

EGGS—Fair to prime, 14@15c for fresh.

OILS—Lard, extra, 65c; refined petroleum, 110 test, 7c; standard white, 6c.

POTATOES—$1.50@1.75 per barrel from store.

APPLES—Common to choice, $3@3.50 per barrel from store, $2.50 per dozen, $3 per box. Quince, $2.50 per box. Pears, $3 per box.

HYS—No. 2, 57c.

BARLEY—Prime to choice, $1.30@1.35 at river.

SEEDS—Clover, 65@66c per lb., and Timothy $2.25@2.30 per bushel.

SUGAR—Extra C, 7½@8c; yellow, 7½@7½c.

TALLOW—Prime city, 5@5½c.

WHEAT—No. 2, Red, $1.04@1.05; new.

WOOL—Combing, 28@30c; fine, unwashed, 18@20c.

LIVE STOCK.

CATTLE—Common, $1.75@2.25; fair to medium, $2.50@3.25; good to choice, $3.50@4.25; extra, $4.50@4.75; butchers' cattle, $2.50@3.50; milk cows, common, per head, $25@35; fair to good, $35@45; choice, $50@60; springers, common and large; fair to good light, $2.50@3.25.

HOGS—Common, $3.90@4.40; fair to good packing and light, $4.45@4.60; choice, $4.65@4.70; common and large; fair to good light, $4.50@4.60.

SHEEP—Common to fair, $3@3.50; fair to good, $3.75@4.25; choice, $4.50; extra, 5c.

LAMBS—Fair to good, $4@5; extra, 5c.

Ashland Retail Market.

REPORTED BY M. A. LEVI.

Bacon—Sides	9c
Breakfast bacon	12c
Butter, per pound	25c
Chickens, live, per dozen	$3.00
Corn meal, per bushel	60c
Corn,	60c
Eggs, per dozen	15c
Flour, per pound	5c
Lard,	8c
Potatoes, per bushel	60c

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IN SHORT, TAKE ALL THE BEST qualities of all these, and the best qualities of all the best Medicine in the World and you will find that HOP BITTERS have the best curative qualities and powers of all concentrated in them, and that they will cure when any or all of these, singly or combined, can cure, and in most cases will give good, live proof of this.

To the Ladies:

Miss Nellie Culbertson, formerly of Covington, Ky., writes us that she will visit Texas in autumn millinery, in connection with which will be fashionable dress-making. She respectfully solicits your inspection and patronage. Wholesale agents, between Third and Fourth streets, Ashland, Ky.

Backlen'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. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. L. Tibbetts & Co.

Peach Orchard Cut.

Thomas & William Seery are agents for Ashland for the celebrated Peach Orchard Cut in any quantity.

Several communications came in just as our paper was ready for the press. Correspondents should mail their letters so they will reach us before Wednesday.

I have the cheapest Buggies, Hacks, Hearses as Dry Goods, Groceries, etc., to be found in Ashland, Ky. J. W. SHAW.

McKenzie & Hyman keep constantly in hand Cedar and Locust Posts, Burnt Lime, Coal, and Poplar Shingles, for sale cheap.

For goods in my line, cheap, such as Glassware, Furniture, Queensware, Tops, etc., call on C. P. Gates, Winchester Avenue.

Business Notices.

Stevens & Pollock, Greenup, Ky., have a full line of harness, collars and harnesses on hand at all times.

Hugh Hissell for harness and vehicles, Greenup, Ky.

Call in and examine Stevens & Pollock's full stock of Grates, Fronts, and Jambs, before purchasing elsewhere. Hardware store, Greenup, Ky.

The Biggs House, at Portsmouth, is a first-class hotel, and the only first-class one in this city. Prices are the same as heretofore—two dollars per day. F. H. Robinson, Proprietor; W. L. Tibbetts, Clerk.

Stevens & Pollock have Glass, Doors, Sash, Cements, Lime, Clay, Chimney and Fire Brick for sale at their hardware store, Greenup, Ky.

W. L. Geiger, of Ashland, has for sale Jackson county, Ky., and Scioto county, Ohio, and horses, farms and mineral lands, with oxen and timber teams, and the old Hickory Wagons.

Stevens & Pollock, Greenup, Ky., have a fine line of Heating Stoves, suitable for churches, school houses, &c. Send your orders, or call and see for yourself.

Persons going west from Cincinnati by the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad, should bear in mind that the cars now start from the Grand Central Station, Central avenue and Third street.

Emigrants to Texas, Kansas and all points West, North-West and South-West, should remember that Capt. George A. Kellogg makes the lowest rate obtainable. Write him for particulars, corner 6th and Vine streets, Cincinnati.

Attention, Young Men!

For a Practical Business Education, go to the Old Reliable Commercial College of Kentucky University, situated in the beautiful and healthy City of Lexington, Ky. It will take you about 10 weeks to complete the Full Course, at a cost of about $85. This includes, Tuition, Board, Room, &c. Nearly 80 students from 21 States and 3 Foreign Countries attending. Now is a fine time to commence. For particulars address its President,

W. T. ROBERTSON.

TO WESTERN EMIGRANTS.

Having been appointed General Emigration Agent at Cincinnati for the VANDALIA LINE for the States of Kansas, Texas, Arkansas, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, California and all the Western Territories, am fully prepared to furnish, free of charge, on application, Maps, Land Circulars, giving full information, Low Rates and every information desired by emigrants, household goods or stock.

Call or address GEO. A. KNIGHT, Gen'l Emigration Agent, N. W. Corner 8th and Vine streets, Cincinnati, Ohio.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhœa, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN TEETHING is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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Thursday Evening, Oct. 18th.

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Cut This Out! A Chance to do well. We offer to the public our celebrated Gold Medal Family Flour, Superfine, Extra and Fancy, at the following low rates: Superfine, $3.50; Extra, $3.75; Fancy, $4.00. Cash must accompany all orders. Address, CHAS. A. SNYDER, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FOR CASH ONLY.

We have been receiving, recently, one of the largest and finest stocks of goods ever brought to Ashland. We have, among other things, an immense stock of

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New illustrated catalogue, 100 pp. 4 to for season of 1883-4, including many new styles; the best assortment of the best and most attractive organs we have ever offered, and at the best prices, $22 to $500, for cash, easy payments or rented. Sent free.
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TREATISE, containing full particulars of this disease, and a DRY AIR CHAMBER of invaluable information to consumptives, will be sent free to any person who sends their address, post-paid. Address, DR. STEVENS & CO., 1 Park Place, New York.
RATHER TOO LONG.
After Twenty Years on the Wrong Side of Life a Virginian Turns the Corner.
"How long did you wait?"
"Twenty years, I said. Up to the time I mentioned I had suffered from diseased liver and dyspepsia. I then lived in Richmond, Va., but sadly, as though living in Hell. I then came to Ashland, Ky., and the climate so improved my health that I prevailed on omit the liver from the human system."
"Had enough—twenty years of that sort of thing? Why, it is a torture."
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EASTWARD.	No. 1 Daily.	No. 3 Except Sunday.
Leave Cincinnati	3 00 P M	3 00 P M
Ashland	6 50 P M	6 50 P M
Lexington	8 00 P M	8 00 P M
Arrive Staunton	3 50 A M	3 50 P M
Mt. Sterling	9 40 P M	9 40 P M
Morehead	10 40 P M	10 40 P M
Arrive Huntington	12 00 M	12 00 M
Ashland	2 40 A M	2 40 P M
Arrive Hinton	6 00 A M	6 00 P M
Gallipolis	8 40 A M	8 40 P M
Charleston	10 00 A M	10 00 P M
Huntington	11 00 A M	11 00 P M
Newport	8 00 A M	8 00 P M
Cincinnati	9 00 A M	9 00 P M
Gordon	4 00 P M	4 00 P M
Washington	4 50 P M	4 50 P M
New York	9 50 P M	9 50 P M

WESTWARD.	No. 2 Daily.	No. 4 Except Sunday.
Leave New York	9 00 A M	9 00 P M
Washington	9 45 A M	9 45 P M
Gordon	10 30 A M	10 30 P M
Cincinnati	2 00 P M	2 00 A M
Newport	3 00 P M	3 00 A M
Huntington	8 00 A M	8 00 P M
Arrive Charleston	9 00 A M	9 00 P M
Gallipolis	10 20 A M	10 20 P M
Arrive Hinton	2 20 A M	2 20 A M
Ashland	6 20 A M	6 20 P M
Arrive Staunton	12 00 M	12 00 M
Mt. Sterling	2 00 P M	2 00 A M
Morehead	3 00 P M	3 00 A M
Arrive Lexington	6 00 P M	6 00 A M
Ashland	9 00 P M	9 00 A M
Arrive Cincinnati	9 00 A M	9 00 P M

Lexington, Ky., trains run by Columbus time. Main line trains run by Cincinnati time.

No. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday. Stop at all stations between Cincinnati, Louisville and Lexington. Stop at Ashland, Huntington and White Sulphur Day coaches on No. 1 and 2 between Cincinnati and Huntington and Lexington and Ashland.

No. 3 and 4 run daily through between Louisville, Lexington, Cincinnati, Washington and Baltimore, and Cincinnati and New York, without change. Through Sleeping Cars between Louisville and Cincinnati, Lexington and Richmond, Day Coaches between Louisville and Lexington.

No. 7 runs daily from Clifton Forge to Ashland, connecting with No. 3 Ashland to Clifton Forge, Daily, except Sunday, Point Pleasant to Charleston.

No. 9 runs daily except Sunday, Clifton to Clifton Forge, Daily, except Saturday, Clifton Forge to Ashland.

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Eastern Kentucky Railway

Time Table. No. 24.

On and after Monday, October 1, 1883, Trains will run daily except Sundays, as follows:

TRAINS—NORTH.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Mixed.	No. 3 Mixed.
Willard	6 00 A M	3 00 P M
Louisville	7 00 A M	4 00 P M
C. & O. Junction	7 05 A M	4 05 P M
Vanceburg	8 40 A M	5 40 P M
Portsmouth	9 00 A M	6 00 P M
Flatwoods	9 15 A M	6 15 P M
Raceland	9 25 A M	6 25 P M
Ashland	9 40 A M	6 40 P M

TRAINS—SOUTH.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Mixed.	No. 4 Mixed.
Ashland	10 00 A M	7 00 P M
Raceland	10 15 A M	7 15 P M
Flatwoods	10 25 A M	7 25 P M
Portsmouth	10 40 A M	7 40 P M
Vanceburg	11 00 A M	8 00 P M
C. & O. Junction	12 35 P M	9 35 P M
Louisville	12 40 P M	9 40 P M
Willard	1 40 P M	10 40 P M

Trains stopping on Sundays.

CONNECTIONS. Train No. 1 will connect at C. & O. Junction with train for Lexington at 8 A. M.

Train No. 3 will connect with steamers from Cincinnati and Huntington and at C. & O. Junction with C. & O. train for Louisville and Cincinnati.

Train No. 2 will connect with steamers for Portsmouth, Cincinnati and Charleston.

Train No. 4 will connect with C. & O. train East at C. & O. Junction.

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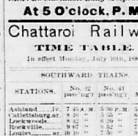

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SOUTHWARD TRAINS.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Mixed.	No. 4 Mixed.	No. 6 Mixed.
Ashland	7 30 A M	3 00 P M	8 00 P M
Catlettsburg	8 20 "	3 55 "	8 45 "
Louisa	8 35 "	4 10 "	9 00 "
Hawkins	8 50 "	4 25 "	9 15 "
Webbville	9 00 "	4 35 "	9 25 "
Lovelace	9 10 "	4 45 "	9 35 "
Leslie	9 20 "	4 55 "	9 45 "
Louisa	7 00 P M	2 40 P M	5 50 P M
Peach Orchard	7 15 "	2 55 "	6 05 "
Richardson	7 45 "	3 40 "	6 40 "

NORTHWARD TRAINS.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Mixed.	No. 3 Mixed.	No. 5 Mixed.
Richardson	8 00 A M	10 20 A M	12 00 P M
Peach Orchard	8 25 "	11 05 "	12 40 P M
Louisa	8 40 "	11 20 "	1 00 "
Louisa	7 00 P M	2 40 P M	5 50 P M
Webbville	7 15 "	2 55 "	6 05 "
Hawkins	7 25 "	3 05 "	6 15 "
Leslie	7 35 "	3 15 "	6 25 "
Lovelace	7 45 "	3 25 "	6 35 "
Webbville	7 55 "	3 35 "	6 45 "
Catlettsburg	8 05 "	3 45 "	6 55 "
Ashland	8 50 "	4 30 "	7 40 "

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While playing base ball, at Edwardsburg, Ind., Joel Sampson was struck in the face by the ball and died soon after. At Webb City, Mo., Val. Hatten, a miner, was killed by a premature explosion of Vultrite powder, and Tom Martin and Mr. Amos fatally injured..... At Freeport, Ill., R. L. Gerry's miners were experimenting with ladders, they used in working in mines, when they upset. Alexander McDonald was killed, but the other escaped with slight injuries. By the collapse of a roof, at White Oak Mines, Scranton, Pa., Richard Clapper, a miner, and Benjamin Carey, a driver, were instantly killed..... A workman on the Mt. Pleasant, was burned to death in Frazer & Shepard's factory, at Muncie, Ind..... At Mayville, N. Y., Conrad Enright and three Italians were killed, and a number other injured by the fall of a derrick, by the explosion of an old blast..... At a point 4 miles south of Pittsburgh, Ark., on the Memphis & Kansas City Railroad, a tree fell on a passenger train, by several laborers, killing three men: O. J. Fuller, of Augusta, Me.; E. Gowen, of Lynn, Mass., and D. B. Cotts, residence unknown..... S. T. Berkeley, of Elliston, Ind., was accidentally killed at the Grand Central Depot, Cincinnati, by being run over by a train while backing in..... At Millport, O., a little village on the river opposite Pittsburgh, one man, Richard Hudson, was instantly killed, and another, Geo. Ward, seriously injured. By the bursting of a fly-wheel, the iron guy in a large derrick, a contractor was hurled in an abutment for a bridge. Mr. Hudson was passing with his team, and was crushed to death as he said, "the derrick worked." It swung around with a large stone attached, when any man, the unfortunate one and striking Hudson on the head, killing him and injuring Ward, as before..... Near Brownstown, Ind., Wm. Hefley, a farmer, and his wife and child were fell from the left of his barn and was so seriously injured as to afford but little hope of his recovery. He was about fifty years of age..... At Celina, the Hopkins Manufacturing Co., of New York, on the 5th..... R. M. Winters, of Lynn, Mass., was killed on the Grand Trunk Depot, Cincinnati, by being run over by a train while backing in..... At Millport, O., a little village on the river opposite Pittsburgh, one man, Richard Hudson, was instantly killed, and another, Geo. Ward, seriously injured. By the bursting of