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FRIDAY, JANUARY 27, 1893.

Associate Justice Lamar, of the Supreme bench, died suddenly Monday night. He was appointed by Cleveland.

Mrs. N. Bedford Forrest, wife of the late Gen. Forrest, the famous Confederate cavalry leader, died Sunday in Memphis.

Dr. A. D. James has resigned his seat in the General Assembly from Muhlenburg county, to accept the appointment of World's Fair Commissioner. His successor will be chosen on February 4.

Gov. Brown has sent to the Senate the following nominations to comprise the State Board of Equalization: Messrs. R. H. Vansant, of Elliott county; J. S. Phelps, of Fayette; Joseph F. Murray, of Jefferson, and Edward Starks, of Fulton.

Chicago Inter Ocean: No Democrat in the Senate will be chosen more than Senator Carlisle, if he chooses to accept a place in the Cabinet. He is an honest, brainy man, and the people will be glad to know that he has accepted the responsible place of Secretary of the Treasury. It is not a place for a high-flyer or a visionary.

The lottery bill passed by the Legislature of Honolulu grants the exclusive franchise to operate a lottery in all its various forms. The majority of the directors must reside in Honolulu, and the drawings must be held in that city. The lottery company is to pay the Hawaiian Government \$500,000 annually in quarterly installments.

"The Ohio, and the people of the United States will cross it in 1896, and find upon its southern shore a stevedore of rare ability, whom they will make President of the United States. It is a long time ahead, in one sense of the word; but we live so fast in these few hectic days that it will soon be with us.—Frankfort Capital.

Reading of the desperate urgency with which the "favorite sons" of other States are thrust at Mr. Cleveland by their friends as good Cabinet material, the Crittenden Press is moved to this comforting reflection:

"While we read of this, it is refreshing to look upon Mr. Carlisle's position. No Kentucky delegation has gone to Mr. Cleveland singing psalms of the great Senator's fitness; no factions have urged his claims; his fitness is universally acknowledged, and instead of his knocking at the President's door for admission, the President has knocked at the great Kentuckian's door, and earnestly invited him to be one of his counselors. We are Kentuckians still."

Electoral Reform Needed.

If the result of last November's election had been as close as it was in 1876, or as it may be at any time in the future, there is no telling into what maelstrom of passion, disorder or anarchy the country might not at this moment be plunged. Moreover, there are other votes in the Electoral College, each of which, in a close contest, would furnish ground for a fierce struggle, and possibly armed conflict. The present system of Presidential elections ought to be either reformed or abolished.—Courier Journal.

A drunken tramp entered a residence at Richmond, went into a bedroom, put a lump of coal on the fire, took off his clothes, turned down the bed covers and deliberately retired for the night. When discovered and asked what he was doing there he replied that he guessed they had put him in the wrong room. He was peacefully ejected without further ceremony.—Mayor He Ledger.

Long Island Sound was last week frozen three miles and over out from shore, something which has not happened but once or twice before in the memory of the oldest inhabitants along the coast.

The intellectually able but physically tender man of the Marlatta Times has made a discovery about the month of January. He asks: "Did you ever think what an easy word 'January' is to write? The letters are so grouped that the pen or pencil glides along without an effort. It is a pleasure to write it. We would like to spend a large portion of our time this month writing

The Natural Gas Supply.

Reports of the steady and rapid decrease in the supplies of gas at all the great natural gas centers is only in exact accordance with the prophecies of science at its outset, and the predictions of practical men ever since. Natural gas is not a product of the brain of man. Manufactured by the Almighty, and stored by Him in the cavernous recesses of the earth, its discovery was accidental, and its appropriation to the wants of man purely experimental. That it is a great fuel—the cheapest of all fuels—is conceded, but that the end would come in absolute, and early exhaustion was apparent to common-sense. For millions of years the imperceptible forces of creation have been slowly, silently storing away this mysterious fluid, for interminable lapses of time are but hours in the laboratory of nature. Suddenly the pretence nature of man despoils the work-shop of Providence. The drill and the auger tear open the bowels of the earth and rend their secrets from them. Waste, sinful waste, follows. The accumulated treasures of thousands of years are squandered in a day. Recuperation is impossible. The end comes in figurative darkness, and wreck and ruin of fortunes. It is a story of criminal prodigality and reckless stupidity.—Glasgow Times.

It is said Hon. Charles Offutt, who went from Paris to Omaha a few years ago, now makes \$20,000 annually at his law practice.

Less than fifteen years ago an adventurous grower brought to Cincinnati as an experiment less than a car load of Florida oranges. Now a single firm sells in one week \$30,000 worth.

Winchester people are not only mourning the loss of the \$86,000 which they put in that Dallas, Texas, bank, but are in fear of an assessment to pay the liabilities of the concern.

Colonel R. W. Nelson, at Covington, has sued the Swift Iron and Steel Company for a \$35,000 fine.

L. Jacobs, a Russellville clothier, has sued one John Mason for \$20,000 damages for calling him a thief.

It is claimed that fourteen Alliance papers have suspended publication since the election.

Sleighting costs \$1 an hour at Louisville.

Though they can't coax the bluegrass into the luxuriant growth which it achieves in Kentucky, other States persist in doing the best they can with it. Lexington sells about \$150,000 of bluegrass seed annually for shipment to other States and to foreign countries.—C. J.

America Leads as Usual.

An epidemic of generous endowments and gifts to colleges and public institutions seems to have broken out among the wealthy men of this country. The example already set will be contagious, and before many years more, America will be notable for its institutions of learning, as well as its other public places. As the American is the most progressive, so are American schools; and at no distant day foreigners will come to our colleges for their finished educations.—Bradford Era.

Next Best Thing to Abolition.

Next to the abolition of the Senate, the best reform that could be made in it would be the choice of its members by the people of the respective States they are supposed to represent.—Detroit Free Press.

PEACH ORCHARD.

Thomas Grimsley, returned Saturday from Blaine, where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Corilla Grimsley.

Liss O'haillin and Wm. Daniels started Monday for Weiston, O., where they will stay till the strike is over.

I wonder what was in the paper last week I never saw any thing, did you?

Frank Ward, who got his hand hurt some time ago is improving. Jim Music got his back hurt very bad in the mines some time ago.

I wonder what makes George Boyd wear his hat on the back of his head.

Titta Boyd is talking of leaving I wonder if she is going to Dunlow.

Mrs. Florence Preston, of Graves Shoal, has been visiting in Peach Orchard for the past week.

Miranda Daniels is going to Tom's Creek this week on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Wiley.

Miss Fredonia Preston is visiting at Richardson's, this week.

GASLIGHT DAN.

The Courier Journal says: The Executive Committee of the Kentucky River Improvement Convention has decided to push the claims of the Kentucky river for an appropriation of \$1,000,000; the Big Sandy for \$500,000; and Green and Barren for \$500,000.

A husband gave his wife a neat little account book, prettily bound and designed to be inviting in appearance. He also gave her \$50 and said: "I want you to put down what I give you on this side and on the other write down the way it goes, and on a fortnight I will give you another supply." Two weeks later he asked for the book. "Oh, I have kept that account," said the young matron. "Here it is." And on one side was inscribed: "Received from Algy \$50," and on the opposite was this summary: "Spent it all."

The Columbian Year is a good time to rearrange the grounds, to set new plants, to plant out memorial trees, and to make various improvements which in the future shall be both useful and beautiful.

We have just received a lot of pure Buckwheat flour direct from the mill. Only four cents per pound. SULLIVAN, WILSON & CO.

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Rule Britannia!

The 35,000,000 of British and Irish people rule over some 250,000,000 in Asia, some 7,000,000 in America, some 3,000,000 in the Southern Pacific, and over the African territory, whose population is unknown, but which is capable of supporting at least 100,000,000. Neither Caesar nor Alexander ruled over such areas and populations, nor did Napoleon in his heyday dream of an empire half so vast.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

FLAT GAP, KY.

Flat Gap is very lively at this writing the weather being the coldest ever known in this section of country.

Jesse Peiphrey, one of Flat Gap's bustling young men, is busy putting up ice for future delight.

We are sorry to note the death of Mrs. Nancy Rice, of this place, which occurred this week.

The High School at this place is doing excellent work with an enrollment of from 50 to 55 pupils under the supervision of Prof. Stout, of Versailles, Ky., assisted by H. Cooksey. A READER.

CHEROKEE, KY.

The angels called from the home of John F. and Frances J. Cooper their oldest son, John Henry, on Jan. 7, 93. John Henry was born May 29, 1878. He was unwell for several days, and was confined to his room only three. Though his sufferings were great he bore them with patience and fortitude. His presence will be greatly missed from his home and school, where he was always full of play and mirth, and full of hope for the future; but death—the personal enemy of all the human race, marked him for one of the angels of the school of the little ones in heaven, where he will meet his little sister Minnie Lee, who was called away when only 15 months old. Though but a child the deceased put his trust in God, and called on his father, mother, brothers and sisters to meet him there. His life is suddenly closed, the spirit has flown, his voice is stilled forever, his presence is missed, and mourned at his much loved home.

But no call can awake that slumber whose deep sleep lets the soul into the beyond.

The life that a little while ago was chained to an earthly body, soars in realms of light and joy forever. HIS SISTER.

FALLSBURG.

Times dull and ice plenty. Miss Della Hanse, who has been visiting relatives here for some time has returned home and E. J. is left weeping.

A. O. Carter was seen on our streets recently.

J. D. Sturgis was accidentally and seriously burned by his sweetheart last week with a heated piece of iron. John don't let this scare you out.

Died, the infant child of Cornelius Ball. Also, a daughter of Melvin Browning. The bereaved have our extended sympathies.

Married, last Thursday Sylvester Bolt to Miss Mattie Lawson. Quite a number of our boys attended the ceremony, and all report a good time.

The High School, together with the singing school literary society and prayer meeting gives plenty of entertainment for the young folks and seem to be highly appreciated by all.

Uncle Dick Calnes says he has quit keeping peddlers, and we think he is about right from the disturbance they have caused in our village.

Wm. Cooksey made a flying trip to Bradenton last Sunday.

Dascon Diamond, more commonly known as the "ladies man," visited home folks Sunday.

BAD BOY.

The following are the license fees now required in the state: To keep a tavern \$10.00 To keep a saloon, with liquor license 150.00 Retail liquor license, \$50, \$100 and 150.00 Distiller's license to sell by quart 75.00 To sell playing cards 5.00 To sell pistols 25.00 To sell bowie knives, etc. 40.00 To keep billiard tables 20.00 Each additional table 20.00

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Articles of Incorporation. We, the undersigned, H. S. Southard, Jr., of Richmond, Ky., and J. W. M. Stewart, of Louisville, Ky., have this day associated ourselves together, and become incorporated under chapter fifty-six (56) of the General Statutes of Kentucky, and have adopted the following articles of incorporation:

1st. The names of the incorporators are: H. S. Southard, H. S. Southard, Jr., and J. W. M. Stewart; the name of the corporation shall be "The Nat's Creek Lumber Company," and the principal place of transacting business shall be at Nat's Creek, Lawrence county, Kentucky.

2nd. The business to be transacted by this Company shall be that of owning, buying, selling and operating saw mills; owning, buying and selling lumber, timber and real estate; manufacturing lumber, wood, engaging in the general mercantile business.

3rd. The amount of the capital stock shall be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), divided into two hundred fifty shares, of one hundred dollars each, all of which shall be paid in full, on or before the 1st day of February A. D. 1893.

4th. This corporation shall commence business on the 1st day of January A. D. 1893, and terminate on the 31st day of January A. D. 1894.

5th. The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a Board of Directors of three persons, who shall be elected on the first Wednesday after the first Monday in January A. D. 1893 and annually on the same day thereafter. And until said time the undersigned hereby constitute the Board of Directors.

Said Board of Directors shall elect, from their own number, a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer; but no person may be elected to any two of said offices, except to the Presidency and Vice Presidency. The President shall have the general management of the business of the company.

The number of Directors may, at any time, upon a vote of two-thirds, in value, of the stockholders, be increased to any number, not exceeding five.

6th. The highest amount of indebtedness to which the corporation is at any time to subject itself shall be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00).

7th. The private property of the incorporators and stockholders shall be exempt from corporate debts.

Witness our hands this 4th day of January A. D. 1893. HENRY S. SOUTHARD, JR., J. W. M. STEWART, H. S. SOUTHARD, JR.

State of Kentucky, Lawrence county, I, Robert Dixon, Clerk of the County Court for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing incorporation was, on the 4th day of January, 1893, produced to me in said county and approved by me before me by Henry S. Southard, Jr., J. W. M. Stewart and H. S. Southard, Jr., to be their act and deed.

Given under my hand this 4th day of January, 1893. ROBERT DIXON, Clerk. L. C. C.

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