THE HERALD.

JOHN P. BARRETT, - - EDITOR

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ALAS!

Kriss Kringle's come,
And lots of fun:
The crackers pop,
The smallboys hop;
The wassail-bowl
Does good the soul
Of bibbers old;
The maiden bright
Glows with delight
In her soft alcove;
The gallant buck
Is out of luck
By the bar-room stove.

Ten Years

With this number I am ten years old. My observation warrants me in the expectation that ten years more anyhow will lapse before I decease. I have done very well, considering. I have witnessed many of my kind spring and perish; and many now in existence barely subsist. Once or twice I have been uneasy on my own account. Survival of the fittest is a hard law, though universal and just. My time is not come yet I am confident.

If I have done any good in my humble capacity, I am glad of it; if any harm, I didn't go to do it.

I feel a deep interest in Ohio county, as my nativity and as a particle of this great Union. Her welfare is my delight. May her people prosper, may Ceres smile on her soil, and may school-houses, churches and happy homes multiply within her borders.

To-morrow in the morning let us be thankful for the advent of the Nazarene Villager, whose memory is so beautiful and beneficent. Let us be ever mindful of his gospel and his example. And at New Year's day let us try to 'rise on stepping stones of our dead selves to higher things.'

A merry Christmas and a happy New Year to my patrons and to everybody else. Respectfully,

THE HERALD.

THE honorable and learned Court of Appeals seem to be emulous of the direful Dime novelist.

CUSTOMARILY there will be no issue next week. We have gone in for repairs. Week after next we will come out stronger than ever.

JAY GOULD says: "We pass through just such periodical depressions at least every ten years I think the indications are that we are now down to hard pan. I think that the year 1885 will be a money-making year; the balance of trade is now in our favor."

A PEARL weighing ninety-three carats and valued at $17,000, was shipped to London from Guaymas, Mexico, recently, and is believed to be the largest pearl in existence. It was purchased from an Indian for $90, who found it in Lower California.

IT is reported that Samuel J. Randall, backed by Senator Joe Brown, of Georgia, is about to wage war upon the Low Tariff Democrats in the South. We don't know how he would fare in the other States, but when he comes to invade this one he had better have a care for his health. Beck, Carlisle and Blackburn, these three, Berserks, defenders of the faith, live here, and stand with the host.

WE called attention in a late issue to the great disparity in the votes received by Mr. Hubbard and the colored man Gentry as Republican Electors for the State at large. The statement was one-sided and misleading, and was made without due reflection on our part. The fact is—why, we are unable to say—the negro's name was not on the ticket in more than 60 counties, and consequently he was not voted for all over the State. It appears he ran pretty well where he was voted for—ran as if the 'pattyrollers' were after him.

Mr. Blaine Again

Mr. Blaine has withdrawn his suit for libel against the Indianapolis *Sentinel*. He thought he could not get justice in Indiana on account of political prejudice. He said he did not desire and could not have a jury composed of his own partisans, and he had been repeatedly advised that six Democrats could not be found in the State who, in a political suit, would give a verdict against their leading party organ. He said he was perfectly able to fight the *Sentinel* newspaper in an Indiana court, but he would stand no chance whatever against the consolidated venom of the Democratic party of the State.

The Indianapolis *News*, a Republican paper, has this to say about it:

"When Mr. Blaine brought his libel suit we thought it the best thing he could do, believing it was brought for the purpose of making a trial of the question. In the light of the dismissal of the suit we think the bringing of it the worst thing he could have done. His manner of dismissal, all may judge of from his letter, which we laid before our readers yesterday. For ourselves, we think this also unfortunate. He injects into the belly of much beautiful rhetoric a stump speech about not being able to obtain justice in Indiana. We remind him that he hasn't tried. We think we know Indiana better than Mr. Blaine does, and it is our opinion that he could have got justice here. Certain it is that however much of a 'Scotch' verdict might have been rendered from political prejudice or the weight of evidence, there was the bar of public opinion whose verdict is more powerful than that of courts. Mr. Blaine has declined a trial before both, and being the plaintiff there is nothing left but to dismiss him from the one as from the other. It is needless to add that this necessity is a severe disappointment to his friends; a disappointment that so tempts to harsh comment as to be successfully resisted only by the amelioration of prouder memories of the man."

PRESS NOTES.

A fire occured at North Middleton, Bourbon county, last Wednesday night consuming a large portion of the business part of town. Loss about $6,000, partly covered by insurance.

R. M. Wilson announces that the *Union Local* will appear semi-weekly after the 1st of January, 1885.

A portable engine used by the Henderson bridge builders, exploded on Friday December 12th, killing one man and wounding three others.

Wm Stringer and J. W. Goff, of Livingston, had a difficulty recently, in which they exchanged 25 shots on the street without effect. We presume they fired at very long range.

James Brannin, says the Elizabeth town *News*, a young man about 20 years of age, while out hunting on his father's farm in LaRue county, had his gun go off accidentally, the ball entering his left breast producing death almost instantaneously.

The Murder of Geo. H. Cheatham in Washington county recently is believed to have been committed by members of the family. His wife, two daughters and two sons have been arrested. Charles, the oldest son is in jail at Springfield. He and his father had been enemies for some time and Charles had shot once at his father. It is believed that developments of a high character will be made.

The Henderson *News* will celebrate its 21st anniversary in January, by enlarging to a nine column paper.

George Bright, of Lincoln county, has cast 15 votes for Democratic candidates for President, beginning with Jackson and ending with Cleveland.

Governor Knott, Secretary McKenzie and Adjutant General Castleman, are in New Orleans attending the Exposition. Lieutenant Governor Hindman will occupy the Governor's gubernatorial chair.

David Davis, aged 18 years, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun in his own hands, at Catlettsburg, recently.

Bowling Green is infested with burglars, says the Park City *Times*.

The Park City *Times* says a disease called Matrimonial fever is very contagious in Bowling Green and Warren county.

The Bowling Green *Gazette* says Miss Ada McSwine, the lovely seventeen year-old step-daughter of Capt. J. B. Wilson, of Bowling Green, met with a horrible accident on Tuesday of last week. Her clothes caught fire from the grate in her room and becoming so excited over it, she ran out into the street and before she could get assistance, was so badly burned that but little hope is entertained of her recovery.

On Tuesday of last week Mr. and Mrs. John G. Barkley, of Greenville, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage. By request of Mr. Barkley, the presents were all silver dollars, which were donated to the Presbyterian church.

The *Inquirer* says the Electric Light Company have been delayed in various ways and will not be able to furnish light by Christmas holidays, as they expected to do.

The introduction of the German in Owensboro, says the *Inquirer*, has infused new life and interest into social circles.

The *Inquirer* says Sim Wright was adjudged a lunatic in the County Court at Owensboro, last Friday, and ordered to be sent to the Asylum at Hopkinsville. He killed a neighbor in Texas about eight years ago and became deranged on account of it, although he was cleared.

The Owensboro *Messenger* gives an account of an affray at Newburgh, Ind., last week, in which George Casey was so badly cut with a knife from the effect of which he died in a short time. T. Sargant is under bond of $1,000 for doing the deed.

The Owensboro *Messenger* says there were 63 sales of tobacco at Harrison's Tobacco Warehouse, Owensboro, last Tuesday, 39 sales on Wednesday and 17 on Thursday. Prices ranging from $4 15 to $9.

The *Gazette* announces the death of Dr. W. E. Hatcher, of Bowling Green, on Friday, the 12th inst.

The death of Mrs. E. R. Murrell, which was briefly mentioned in our last issue, was caused by congestion of the bowels. Her sudden demise was a great shock to her husband and little boy and numerous relatives and friends. The funeral services were conducted at the residence Wednesday morning by Rev. B. D. Cockrill, and the interment was at Elmwood. Messrs. F. T. Gunther, W. T. Ellis, W. N. Bumpus, T. W. McAtee, J. J. Sweeney and E. S. Foote acted as pallbearers.—Owensboro *Messenger*.

Baldwin, one of the escaped prisoners from the Bowling Green jail, says the Park City *Times*, turned up in Woodburn, a few days ago and made a desperate attack on W. L. Blackburn, formerly deputy jailer at Bowling Green. Baldwin knocked Blackburn down, who partially succeeded in dragging his antagonist down with him. A life and death struggle ensued in which Blackburn was possibly getting the better of it, when Baldwin succeeded in drawing his pistol and shooting his plucky opponent through the arm. The villain, pistol in hand, dashed off into the woods. A large number of well-armed and determined men are in hot pursuit and no doubt if Baldwin is caught up with quick work will be made of him should he resist arrest. Baldwin was in jail for burglary and escaped with eight others from the jail at Bowling Green, about two weeks ago, and is described as being one of the "worst pills in the box."

John Strauser and his team of two horses, says the Bowling Green *Gazette*, were drowned in Warren county, on Saturday of last week, while attempting to ford the river at Brashear's ford.

P. J. Slocum, a teacher at Horse Cave, against whom damaging reports had been circulated, had received orders to leave town, but did not comply. Saturday night, December 13th, about 20 men came to his house with hostile intent, as Slocum assumed. He opened fire on them, killing a man named Wayne Cram and wounding John Long in the leg. Slocum was arrested and will have his examining trial, at which further developments will be made. There is a Slocum and anti-Slocum party in the neighborhood, and the end is not yet.

Rockport Rumblings.

December 15th, 1884.

Editor Herald:

"Can knowledge have no bound, but must advance so far to make us wish for ignorance." And will wonders never cease. To-morrow President Arthur in Washington City, by touching a button, will start all that vast and complicated machinery in the New Orleans Exposition thirteen hundred miles away.

The meetings at West Providence church have closed. There were about 45 baptized Saturday, and in all near 60 additions to the church. This will make West Providence one of the most flourishing churches in the county.

Thursday, Mr. J. T. Jackson left for Texas, via New Orleans.

Uncle Ross Williams has swapped his town property to Mr. Riley McDowell for a farm near by.

Mr. Luther Rock, of Gassburg, has bought town property of Mr. McDowell.

Mrs. Lands, sister of Mrs. Georgia Bentley, and her little son, who have been visiting Mrs. Bently, left Wednesday for their home in Russellville.

Can Cleveland's election have disturbed the laws of nature? Mr. Mansfield Williams' peach trees are blooming as if it were spring.

Sheriff Smith was here Thursday collecting taxes. There's nothing so sure as death and taxes.

Born, to the wife of J. C. Dural, a girl. This is their first, and Jim is out hunting a goods box. He thinks babies are kept in a box.

Our friend, Mr. F. L. Felix, the little Lannes of our recent political Lodi, was here Thursday, looking after the interests of the schools in this part of the county.

It is hinted here that two men in the county will strike out, as Bill Nye says, "hell bent" for the Legislature, but I can't hear one word about the Senate. If some county man isn't dragged out for the sacrifice pretty soon, I will pledge myself to Nat. Harris, of Greenville.

County Attorney Kinsolving attended Duncan's court here Saturday.

The types made me say last week that "I think" Buell is a greater general than Grant. Now, of course, it is only a matter of opinion after all, but I *know* he is greater. Again, that Buell's interception of Bragg at Louisville "could not be eclipsed." I did not mean this, for no doubt many instances in the world's history equal it. I only meant that that rapid march presented marks of skill that eclipse all of Grant's military genius. Whether I am right or wrong, let me be understood.

SUGGS.

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Owensboro, Ky.

Bring a Quart.

Send my wife the HERALD to this post-office, as we are all anxious to read it, and are not going to live without it.

I am well pleased with this portion of the State. It grows the best quality of Sea Island cotton, for which the planters receive 27 cents per pound; also fine corn which is worth from 50 to 75 cents a bushel. I bought 100 bushels last week for $50. I also bought a small lot of fat hogs to slaughter at 5½ cents a pound, 10 bushels of sweet potatoes at 25 cents a bushel. I write you this to show you that I still live in an independent country, self-sustaining, and as to fruit it cannot be beat. The finest orchards of oranges in the State are here in this, Alachua county.

I have bought a farm of 122 acres about 50 under fence. I have 12 bearing orange trees, and will put out an orchard farm about 4 acres next month. So come down next fall and partake of my and my wife's hospitality. John if you come, bring a quart with you as we have none down here.

Yours truly,
W. J. B

Beaver Dam Notes.

December 22d, 1884.

Editor Herald:

Stern Winter put in his appearance last week and gave us good hog-killing weather. Mercury stood about 10° below zero. But Kentucky weather, like the cold wave, is gone now, and we are in the midst of a wet tobacco season. Beaver Dam is lively now with wagons from every direction which have come with tobacco. Both firms have already received a considerable amount, and farmers seem to be hurrying in the crop.

A negro, whose name we did not learn, practiced a sharp trick on the paymaster aboard the train, a few days ago. He had been at work at the Taylor mines a few days, and learning that the railroad was indebted to one Wash Beshears to the amount of twenty dollars and ten cents, he walked up to Elm Lick the day that the pay train was looked for, and when, as the paymaster was paying off the section-hands, he presented himself as Wash Beshears and called for his money. The paymaster, not suspecting anything and finding his claim to tally with the pay-roll, paid him the money and thought of nothing until Wash Beshears called for his money at Beaver Dam and identified himself by the Section Boss. The paymaster paid him off and efforts were immediately put on foot to find the sharp gentleman, which soon resulted in the arrest of the negro who had taken the trip to Elm Lick. He was searched without any money being found, but he afterwards gave up about nineteen dollars, which with amounts he had spent, tallied with the amount drawn. County Attorney Kinsolving was dispatched for and came out to prosecute the case, but the negro waived trial and was ordered to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury. Marshal Nave took him to Hartford, at which place, I understand, he made his escape.

The new dwelling house of R. H. Austin is rapidly approaching completion under the supervision of Mr. — Guy, of Ceralvo, assisted by Mr. Remus O. Carter.

Mr. Frank Hays, of Clinton, Ind., and Mr. Frank Norris, of Whitesville, Daviess county, Ky., spent a few days in our town last week. They were cousins to each other and both relatives of Mrs John H. Nave. While over here they made a visit to Mammoth Cave.

The two eldest daughters of Mr. W. B. Chinn entered the school at this place on Monday last.

Mr. A. P. Barnard, Miss Emma Lee Austin and Ezra Shultz returned from South Carrollton on Sunday last. They have been there attending college and have come home to spend the holidays.

The series of meetings closed at this place on Tuesday night last, resulting in about 40 conversions. On Wednesday Elder D. J. K. Maddox administered the ordinance of baptism to about 27 persons.

It has been truly said that "love laughs at locks and bars," and to these might be added Old Probability. Cyrus Rogers, a young gentleman living about 3½ miles east of this place, stole away from her home on Wednesday night last the daughter of Mr. Green Shepherd, of Gasburgh, and despite the extreme weather, the twain came to this place about midnight and took the train to go where they could be united in matrimony without any interference of the angry father of the bride. It is to be hoped that the same devotion and nerve will attend them through life, and that success and happiness will be attained.

They say Christmas is coming.

RURAL.

Caneyville Items.

Editor Herald:

Drs. J. L. Conn, of Jefferson county, and V. B. Rains, formerly of Rosine, but who recently located in Caneyville, have erected a magnificent office. We wish them success and are glad to know they intend making our little town their future homes.

H. Wilson, who has recently recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia is now able to attend to business. Thanks to Drs. Rains & Conn.

All are invited to attend the Christmas tree, which is to be at the church on Wednesday night, December 24th, 1884.

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December 11, 1884

Editor Herald:

We are having a fine rain and a good time for stripping tobacco. Some have sold and delivered at tolerably good prices.

Health in this vicinity is not good.

Mrs. Magan, who has been sick with fever for several weeks is no better.

Mr. Jerry Canan is right sick with flux.

The people of the Christian faith in this community have had a pattern sawed to build them a church.

Some of the patrons are talking of having lumber sawed to build a schoolhouse in this district.

Wm. S. Boswell was able to be at school last Monday.

We don't know whether Mr. F. M. Petty has got over his exertions at the jubilee yet or not. He was quite poorly, but was getting better when last heard from.

The pupils at this place seem to have up a spirit of emulation, some are trying to beat the rest learning.

Our two last entertainments were partial failures on account of not having lights. Boys, that's too bad!

Mr. McDaniel, of Olaton, has put up a large store house, has it well filled and sells cheap. Yours truly,

J. M. R.

In Memory.

Died, near Buford, Ky., on December 10th, 1884, with rheumatism of the brain, Jeff D. Hewlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hewlett. He was just in the bloom of youth, being about 23 years of age. A brilliant prospect seemed to await him, when the icy hand of death took him from us. Father and mother, sisters and brothers, do not weep, for your son and brother has gained an entrance to Heaven's portal, has changed from mortal to immortal. B. L. F.

On Saturday, December 13th, 1884, Minta, youngest child of D. and Sarah Jones, aged one year and eight months, was called to her home above. She was a bright little ornament in the family; her bright face and intelligent look drew the attention of all who knew her; she was a lovely babe, too pure and innocent for this world. How sad it was to see her go, to see the once sparkling eyes grow dim. We know that Heaven is just, yet fate sometimes seems to be cruel. Fond parents, it was hard to give your child up, but she is better off. No disappointment, or blight or sin can reach her in the Elysian fields.

Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe on His gentle breast,
There by his love o'er shadowed,
Sweetly the babe does rest.

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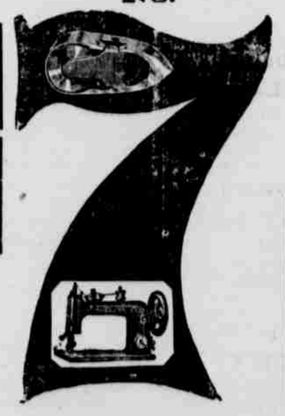
NEW AMERICAN NO. 7 SEWING MACHINE.



Its peculiarities are a new Compensating Journal, Unique Stitch Regulator, Convenient Bobbin Winder, Positive and Adjustable Take-up, power of penetrating heaviest fabrics, *Embroidering* without an *Attachment*, Improved Treadle, facilities with which all wearing parts can be readily taken up, the feed, perfect, almost self-adjusting and graduating tension under easy control of the operator, ease with which beginners learn to sew, the nicety with which the feed and shuttle levers are balanced upon a central pivot, which pivot, owing to the shortest shuttle and shuttle race, is nearer the center of the levers than any other machines made, hence having more leverage, runs with less friction, the easy oscillating motion of a shuttle given up by all to be *the Eureka*, capacity for high rate of speed, strength and quality of all its parts, steel-case hardened bearing, handsome and best built up wood work, a top tension that carries course tidy cotton, a shuttle that carries home-spun yarn and many other merits.

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