The Weekly Caucasian.

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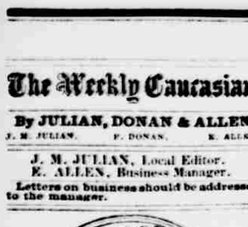

To commence Tuesday Noon, January 17, 1871.

FOR RENT—A fine room. Apply to it B. SINAUER.

ROOM FOR RENT—Over Boteler & Clagett's store. Apply to
jan7tf D. W. B. TEVIS.

PRIZE COLLAR—At Levit's. Every box contains a prize valued from 25 cents to $5. Price, 25 cents. jan7w3

TAKE NOTICE—Persons failing to receive their papers regularly from the carrier will confer a favor by leaving notice at the office.

WHY CONTINUE TO SLEEP COLD—When $5, $6 50, $7 50, or $10, will buy a good comfortable pair of white blankets, at
tf WADDELL, MCCLELLAND & CO'S.

ATTENTION, FARMERS! — I have 400 bushels of superior seed barley for sale. Apply to J. S. Shannon, or E. M. Ewing, on the premises. jan7tf

WANTED TO RENT—A small, comfortable dwelling in Lexington. Any one having such a house for rent, can hear of a good tenant, by applying at this office. jan5tf

FOUND—A sum of money in our store, a few days ago. Owner can have it by describing and paying for this notice.
WADDELL, MCCLELLAND & CO.

CANNED GOODS—For canned goods, fruits of all kinds, various fish and meats, and all the vegetables. Call and examine the stock at A. A. & J. O. LESLIE'S Cor. Main & Pine streets. dec17 tf

"SING ALOUD"—"Shout for joy," "Hard times played out." Read our double column advertisement and price list in to-day's issue of this paper, and then go for the bargains.
tf WADDELL, MCCLELLAND & CO.

ATTENTION—Customers wanted for $2,000 worth of Dry Goods, Boots and shoes at prime cost. Call early and secure Bargains for I am determined to close them out. R. E. Hays, corner Main and Broadway. Hemp seed taken in exchange. tf

THE FINEST AND CHEAPEST CANDIES—We will be as well pleased to sell the little folks their 5p's worth, as to sell the big folks a box. Come and look at them. "No trouble to show goods." A. A. & J. O. LESLIE, Cor. Main and Pine sts.

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THE BEST—Of Field's celebrated cove oysters, sardines, figs, raisins, prunes, citron, currents, almonds, "pecans," filberts, canned fruits, assorted, plain and fancy candies in store and for sale by R. E. Hays, corner Main and Broadway, Lexington, Ky. tf

TO THE CITIZENS OF LEXINGTON—J. A. Barnes, who can give references to prominent men, and a host of students as a writing teacher, designs opening a school in the basement of the Presbyterian Church, on Monday, January 16th, 1871, at 7 P. M. Call at P. O., and examine his work, and give your patronage. Semina

DR. GILMAN—I have tried your stimulating Cream upon a fine blooded horse, and pronounce its success. It reduced two knots caused by a kick, in a very few days, leaving the skin sound and well, and the hair all smooth.
Yours, truly, JOHN SHOE, Farmer.
For sale by Theo. Gosewisch. augtuss

THEO. GOSEWISCH—Keeps for sale all of Dr. Gilman's celebrated remedies, viz: Dr. Gilman's Cohosh and Tar, for colds, coughs and incipient consumption. Dr. Gilman's Tonic Bitters, for debility, constipation and dyspepsia. Dr. Gilman's Stimulating Cream, a liniment for man or beast. Dr. Gilman's Tasteless Worm Powders, for expelling worms from children. Dr. Gilman's Lotion for sore Eyes.

WHY IS IT—Our druggist Theo. Gosewisch, secures the best cough remedies for this market—enterprise will tell. Read Boone Co., Feb. 4th, 1870. Dr. Gilman: The bottle of Cohosh and Tar, bought of you about a week since, has relieved me of a very bad cough accompanied by great soreness of the chest. I have not used half of it, and feel sound and well. ostsow JOHN H. MOYER.
For sale by Theo. Gosewisch.

GO—To an old reliable druggist when you want medicines you can rely on. Theo. Gosewisch will recommend to all his friends Dr. Gilman's Tonic Bitters. Read the following: Mr. R. B. Price, popular banker, of Columbia, Mo., says of this Bitters, I was twice prostrated by chills and fever, and still more prostrated by the remedies used—arsenic, &c.—and by the use of Dr. Gilman's Tonic Bitters, was entirely restored to health. Having this Bitters at hand, I have no more fear of chills and fever, or other malarious diseases. And when in the prosecution of my business, I feel weak and debilitated a dose of this bitters sets me all right again. sutmo

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RELIGIOUS.

Rev. N. L. Rice, D. D., lectured recently at Fulton, on the second coming of Christ.

The debate between Wilkes and Ditzler which took place at Louisville is to be published.

Services to-morrow as follows, understood to be morning and evening, at usual hours:
At North Methodist, by Rev. Mr. Tuttle.
At Baptist, not known.
At Christian, not known.
At South Methodist, by Rev. A. G. Stacy.
At Catholic, by Rev. Father Hook.
At Ger. Methodist, Rev. J. J. Rothenburger.
At Cumberland, by Rev. W. A. Moore.
Communion service at the O. S. Presbyterian church Sunday week.

The regular quarterly communion in the Union Presbyterian church (Mr. Clark's) to-morrow at morning services. Preparatory service this morning at 10 o'clock, also in the evening.

The congregation of the O. S. Presbyterian church, will unite in the services at Mr. Clark's church, at the morning service. In the evening, service at their own church.

The German Methodist church has been in a revival condition, with some interest manifested.

The protracted meeting in the Southern Methodist church, noticed last week, was continued, with battered success. There had been, up to Thursday night, 13 or 14 conversions. The services are to be continued, we believe.

The new German Methodist Episcopal church, on Sal creek, near S. Renick's, will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, on Sabbath day, January 22d, by Rev. H. Fregenbaum, of siding elder of St. Joseph district, assisted by other ministerial brethren. Services will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. There will be preaching first in German, afterward in English. All are cordially invited. J. J. EICHENNAUER, Pa'r.

The semi-centenary celebration of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, will be commenced in St. Louis this day, and for general information we give the appointments for service to-morrow, Sunday, January 15th:

First Church—Morning, Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh. Afternoon, Lotie Pearl, conducted by the Rev. Andrew Monroe. Evening, Rev. Robert A. Young.

Centenary—Morning, Bishop H. N. McTyeire. Evening, A. H. Redford.

St. John's—Morning, Bishop W. M. Weightman. Evening, S. H. Lee.

St. Paul's—Morning, Bishop E. M. Marvin. Evening, J. D. Vincil.

Wesley Chapel—Morning, Bishop E. F. Pierce. Evening, H. S. Watts.

Carondelet—Morning, Bishop J. C. Keener. Evening, H. A. Bourland.

The Roman Catholic Bishop Balters, of Quincy, Illinois, has excommunicated for the period of one year, nearly the entire congregation of the Roman Catholic church of New Athens, Ill., for engaging in a dance on Sunday, November 6.

DOUBLE TAXES.

One of our heavy land owners came to town last week, and while here, called on the Sheriff to pay his taxes. He found to his surprise, that his taxes were $20 more than double what they were one year ago. He cannot account for it, in as much as the increase of his railroad tax amounted to less than one third of the increased taxation. He is anxious to know what becomes of the money, consequently offered to give $25 toward defraying the expenses of having our county affairs examined.—Ex.

THE SCHOOLS.

THE ELIZABETH AULL SEMINARY—The second term of twenty weeks, in this institution, will begin Monday, January 30th. The removal of the Embroidery Department to the house of the teacher makes room for several additional boarders. Those intending to enter for the next term had better begin at once, as thereby they will obtain the benefit of the special lessons in Penmanship, now being given. Miss Lewis will resume her place in the school.

MARVIN FEMALE INSTITUTE—By notice, it will be seen that the second term of this school will begin on the 23d inst., with the same teachers that have been engaged since its commencement, with the addition of Miss Laura Lawrence in the music department. The property known as Masonic College, has been donated to this school, and we understand will soon be repaired and put into order, at which time the school will be removed to that locality, with ample buildings, and a four acre tract of ground for its accommodations, remote from business and the noisy scenes of the street.

BAPTIST COLLEGE—The second term of this old and well established school, corner of South and Main cross, under the presidency of Rev. Mr. Selph, will commence at about the same time as the above, with a strong faculty—same as announced in card.

All the district schools are in full blast, with able teachers and plenty of scholars.

Calvin & Smith's high male school continues, and is doing a first rate service, having a large number young gentlemen in attendance.

Rev. Wm. Cameron proposes opening another male high school here, the 20th January. His long devotion to the educational interest, his peculiar fitness for the place, and his long identification with our people, in the old Masonic college, should give him a fine and prosperous school, and will, we hope. There is little or no danger of over-loading this matter. See card.

POSTOFFICE BUSINESS.

The following table will show the business done at our postoffice for the year 1870. It is a good showing, and the occasion is an appropriate one for us to say that our postmaster has given general satisfaction to all, so far as we have heard.

Daily average of letters received for delivery	320
Whole number of letters received for delivery	120,160
Number of publications taken and rec'd	960
No. of papers rec'd not regular subs	9,600
Amt. of stamps and envelopes sold	$3,532 75
Number of stamps sold	102,315
Number of envelopes sold	16,020
Number of money orders issued	1,236
Amount of money orders issued	$8,352 18
Number of money orders paid	411
Amount of money orders paid	2,934 61
Amount received for box rent	405 00
Gross receipts of the office	4,765 71
Number of mails received and dispatched each day of the week	7
Number of mails received and dispatched four days of the week	1

This amount of business is done by the P. M. assisted by one clerk, no others being engaged in the office.

LEXINGTON SAVINGS BANK.

We call attention to the statement of the bank, published in to-day's issue of our paper. This bank went into operation about nine months ago under the care and direction of a Board of Directors, composed of our esteemed and worthy fellow-citizens, John W. Waddell, Col. John Reid, Dr. M. Chapman, Theodore Gosewisch, Strother Renick, Thos. Shelby and John E. Bryland, all of whom have been re-elected for another year. The board has also re-elected John W. Waddell, President, Moses Chapman, Secretary and Cashier, and John E. Arnold, Teller, all of whom are men of strict integrity and fine business qualifications. From the semi-annual statement just published, it will be seen that the bank has received, as it justly merited, a fair proportion of the business and confidence of our citizens. The building of the Lexington Savings Bank is a structure of which our city may be well proud. With a strong and well constructed vault, and managed by such men as its directors and officers are well known to our citizens to be, we think the institution may confidently expect a great increase of business during the present year. We can and do safely recommend it to the patronage and confidence of all our business men.

STOCK MATTERS—Mr. John P. Thistle, of this vicinity, received by express, a few days since, a very fine Poland China boar, from Illinois.

Mr. Thistle slaughtered a hog, 15 months old, Berkshire and Chester white, which weighed 550 lbs. net. Beat him, somebody. Also, two 15 month hogs weighing 990 lbs. gross.

Hog cholera is reported as prevalent in Carroll county, and doing much damage.

Trade of Miami Station. Freights received, 44 car loads of flour, 1,908,000 lbs.; 4 do. corn, 160,000; 26 cars hogs, 116,000. Received of merchandise, 90,825; whisky 10,600 lbs; coal 20,000 bushels. Freights received, $7,246 55; do. do. freight forwarded, $4,111,225 lbs; received 2 car loads of hogs; shipped 5 head cattle and hogs. A good showing for a little two year old town.

Niagara county, N. Y., has marketed 250,000 barrels of apples the present season, at an average of $1 for the barrel extra.

Thos. Longwith, Scott county, Ill., claims to be the champion corn grower of that state, having raised last season a ten acre field of corn averaging 110 bushels to the acre.

DISTRICT SCHOOLS—Our neighbor thinks the present school law should not be troubled, because it is working well. In some particulars it is. It is working excellently well in taking, by force, the money of careful people, who saved a little, as the saying is, for a rainy day, and giving it to those who had nothing. We believe the law ought to be most closely examined, and if anything can be saved by a change of the law, without great detriment to the system, founded in wrong, from the first, let it be done. And let this be done for all else that is radical. We believe the law confers too much power on the trustees. If so, it should be abridged, and the interests of the people sacredly guarded at every avenue of expenditure. It is a good hobby we know, to cry free schools, but when the money for their maintenance is raised by taxation, the children are not so much the children of the state.

TABLEAUX—Arrangements are being effected, we understand, for a series of tableaux, in this city, commencing the first of February, next, and continuing for several months. Rehearsals of pieces is now progressing, and the public will wait patiently their inauguration. The proceeds arising from these innocent amusements, are to be devoted to the Odd Fellows, and other charitable purposes, and we hope for them the best success.

WEATHER—The ice bridge, which had maintained control of our river for some two weeks, gave way on Tuesday or Wednesday, leaving an open river for the ferry, which has been active since that time. With the exception of the loss of about one-half of the bridge planks of Mr. Goodin, carried off in the break up, no damage was done. On Thursday, the weather turned off very cold, with snow and sleet, and on Friday morning, the weather was Yakoo, Russian, Siberian—pleasing to the most cold-hearted, zero.

IMPROVEMENTS—We hope that the certainty of the completion of the Lexington and Saint Louis, and the Lexington and Gulf roads, will give impetus to improvements in our city the incoming year; and we believe it will do so. Already, we hear that Mr. James Aull, who is changing the old house of his father into a saving institution, will greatly enlarge his business house on Main street, which we are glad to hear.

LIVER REGULATOR—The dreadful yellow disease is raging in this country. Death stares you in the face. Why do you delay? Go to the Drug Store and get a package of Simmons' Liver regulator, for one dollar, and remove the cause of this fatal disease. Keep your Liver in proper order and there is no danger of your being affected. For sale by G. C. Alexander.

ALMANAC—St. Louis Times' state Almanac for 1871—We have received a copy of this work, and find it one of the most valuable publications issued in our State, which every men should have, without reference to politics, who desires to keep himself fully posted. It is invaluable, and contains a mass of useful and valuable information not to be had elsewhere. Our bookstores have it, at 50 cts. per copy.

SAVINGS BANK—At an election held on the 11th instant, at the Lexington Savings Bank, the old Board of Directors for that institution, consisting of John W. Waddell, John Reid, M. Chapman, Thos. Shelby, Strother Renick, Theodore Gosewisch, and John E. Bryland, were re-elected for the year ending the second Wednesday in January, 1872.

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MISCELLANEOUS—A large assortment of staple and fancy groceries, wines and liquors, wooden and hollowware, stoneware, cement, &c., for sale by R. E. Hays, corner of Main and Broadway. 100 bushels hemp seed for sale. Will also purchase.

JUGGED—A couple of negro boys were jugged here a day or two ago. They had only stolen $1,000 in money, and other valuables from a Mr C. Hicklin. They will wait.

FOUND—A silver tea spoon, marked C. T., stamped on the back "Grimes & Venable," was sold by a negro boy to a gentleman of this city. It is probably stolen. May be seen at Grimes & Venable's.

BUFFALO SHOES—Briscoe Gaines has a fine line of buffalo overshoes—the best ever brought here, and for sale low. Call and get a pair.

SHOWY—The United Sons of Protection, a colored organization, were out on march Wednesday. We believe they had a festival at Bethlehem Methodist church, colored.

GUM SHOES—A large stock of best gum shoes, every style, at Gaines' boot and shoe store. cheap.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services on Sabbath, usual time, morning and evening, in 3rd Ward School House, conducted by Rev. J. K. Tuttle.

B. R.—Moberly subscribes $65,000 to the Tebo and Neosho railroad.

RAILROAD MATTERS.

THE PROSPECT—Wm. Morrison, president of the Lexington and St. Louis railroad, returned home Thursday, from a trip along the line of the road, whither he had gone to present the features of the new contract. Mr. Morrison returns much encouraged, and says the road is fast relieving itself of trouble, and he feels sure the road will be finished by 4th July next. The people demand it, and it will be done, as he thinks the necessary means will be raised for it promptly. This is indeed gratifying.

Last week, we spoke of trouble on the Louisville & St. Joe road, not only outlet, at which time, we said we did not understand the nature of the trouble well enough to speak of it. Since that, we have learned that the road had been seized for debt, and is being forced into bankruptcy. For several days, we had no trains on it, much to our detriment; but the communication was re-established on Thursday last, at so late to the Junction, I think, of that for cheap travel. Three and a half miles for 20c. We are certainly progressing. Who will get the road, or what will be done with it, we cannot tell. The $75,000 of our money in this road is a dead letter so far.

The county court adjourn to the connection on it by taking them from issuing the $200,000 of bonds set apart for the Louisiana road. It is probable a mandamus will be gotten out to compel compliance with the plain acts of the court, and to issue the bonds.

The North Missouri road is in good order, and making regular trains on time.

Work on the Lexington, Lake and Gulf Railroad, one of the most important enterprises before the people, is progressing fine.

We are pleased to observe that the progress of this road is awakening a deep interest in the railroads north of our city. Several important companies are working an outlet by our road to the gulf. Among other prominent railroad officials who have been recently in conference with our Directors, we were pleased, on yesterday, to meet Gen. A. S. Platt, president of the Missouri Central railroad.

We are informed that the last name road will begin at Moberly, in Iowa, and thence running south through the central Iowa to Fulton, Sullivan, Union and Carroll, to this point. We are also informed that considerable work is being done, and that it is expected to build some during the next year.

From our stand point, we are free to express our sentiments, that this is the true, direct and most important outlet for us to the North and to the Lakes. The line would start from Lexington and strike the North Missouri at Harlem, thence follow that road to Carroll n, thence to Laclede on the Hannibal and St. Joseph road, thence to Milan, in Iowa, at at which point we strike the Iowa central and system of roads leading to St. Paul, Chicago and the Lakes.

When our part of the line then shall have been completed, a united and prominent effort, by the company, we would have a direct and continuous line of railway from the Lakes to the gulf.

We are assured that our friends on the north mean business, and from the knowledge we have we can assure those interested in that our part of this grand scheme will be fully consummated, and look for the out-pouring in such holy spirit on you, and this would make one leap for joy, we know, brothers, from the ice bound daughter clocking under the banner of the Lord, and would do the seven churches good, good in the end have a flow and revival concerts. A. M.

LOOKER ON.

To commence Tuesday Noon, January 17, 1871.

THE CITY—A committee from the city council has been appointed to petition the Legislature to authorize the city to issue shinplasters of the denominations of one, two and five, and now has charge of the matter.

The improvements on Pine street, the Dover road, west Mill street, and West street, are all to be completed to-day.

The little frame shanties, at the market house, are ordered to be removed.

The weighmaster at the courthouse scales, reports $16,77 as receipts for past quarter.

The City Collector makes the following report as to collections &c., to January 5, inst.

"To the Honorable Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Lexington: Gentlemen, I respectfully report that I have collected—

For taxes, 1870	$15,947 56
On delinquent taxes, 1869	25 00
Collected as dog tax, 1870	155 00
" on license tax	2,898 15
All sources	$19,024 71

The collector craves further time on delinquent taxes, for his report of real estate.

The improvements on South street, from Upper to eastern end, including Main street, in the old town, seems a fixed fact. Nothing for North street. Its Marshal reports the following:

Total fines inflicted	$434 50
Amount collected	
" worked on streets	256 00
" remitted	91 50
" prisoners before jail	26 00
" not collected	20 40
	440 00 $434 50

The lot adjoining the calaboose is to be enclosed for working offenders.

COUNTY ASSESSMENT—Judge Ambrose has furnished the Register with the following table of county assessments for 1871.

County purposes	$41,813 27
Road	19,872 34
Poor House	13,201 83
Lexington & St. Louis Railroad	62,798 82
Bridge	16,716 21
County Interest	20,866 10
Total, county	$175,410 48
State, ordinary	31,784 25
State interest	29,867 21
Total State and county levy	$237,194 13

WHITE SUCKERS IN THE WEST—Mr. N. B. Edelin, whose health has become so impaired as to forbid his continuance at his trade, has accepted the agency of that taking and selling book, entitled, "Belden the White Chief, or twenty years among the wild Indians of the Plains," a book every one should read, young and old. It is writ ten by Gen. James S. Brisbin, U. S. A., from Belden's notes and manuscripts. Price, $2 50 and $3. We hope our good people will liberally patronize Mr. Edelin and his book.

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The Markets.

Flour ranges from $5 to $5 50 for sacks, and $6 for barrels, equal to XXX.
Corn, $1 25 to $1 30 per barrel.
Wheat sow to $1.
Choice Rio Coffee, 21 to 25c.
Brown sugar, 11 to 14c.
Green Tea $1 20 to $2.
Rice, equal Carolina, 10 c.
Hides & Pelts—Dry hides 17c; green hides 6 c; sheep pelts 40 to 80; tallow 7c; feathers, prime, 65 75c; beeswax 26c; prime minks $1 50; otter $2 50 @ prime coon 35c; musk rats 6c; skunk 20@30c; deer skins, dry, per lb, 15@20c. Corrected by M. Loshner & Co., 45 Main st., who pay strictly for cash for above articles.
Salt, per barrel, $3 20.
Cattle from 3½ to 4c.
Hogs, $6 50 to $7.
St. Louis, Jan. 12—Hemp, new undressed, at $180 to $175; old $210 to $220; dressed, $220.
Flour, dull, at from $3 30 to $7 25.
Wheat, $1 11 to $1 38.
Corn, 42 to 48c.
Oats from 37 to 45c.
Hogs, $6 30@6 50.
Cattle, at 3@5c.
Gold, 1 10½.
Horses, from $12 to $119, private $75@$100.
Mules: 15½ hands, 4 at $140; 7 do. 14½, $106.

FURNITURE—WINKLER'S.

We dropped into the furniture establishment of Messrs. Winkler, on South street, on Wednesday last, to see how the concern was selling, and witness the curiosities or factories, as they say in steam, and with the improved machinery, peculiar to the time in which we live, all men long and to our whole people.

We found the manufactory under full headway—every department, it looked like, being busy. The lathes, planing machine, saws, mortise machines, drills, mortices, and all else, were in active movement, creating a noise quite undesirable, and filling the room with dust, none of which seemed to the least to interfere the men go ahead of the employees, intent on putting in the time to the best advantage.

It is a moving business concern.

The articles being manufactured, of course, are observed, were wardrobes, bureaus, bedsteads, lounges, &c. This immense pile can be examined at the sale-room of the firm, on Franklin street, opposite the market house, where we hope these interested will be rewarded for their trouble with pleasure.

The warehouses making one of the very finest and best, both for material and workmanship, and of the most modern and approved style, amply carted and stocked, and to any, indeed, to live wooden of the country. Those in Walnut are very beautiful, and a visit behind their noble fronts will repay the trouble.

The business are not inferior to the warehouses in any particular, being of best material, fine and smooth in workmanship, and about 40 hands employed daily.

The bedsteads are of various shapes, and each of a different pattern, some plain, others ornamented, and all finished with the best of varnish, and various styles and prices may be suited.

Lounges of all shapes, some of velvet and tete, and beautiful, and cheap.

Ladies are also making of best quality of workmanship and material.

Other articles are of course, and will be added as the demand for them is manifested.

Their labors are offered to the trade, which, safe and reliable, and without blow and puffery, the attention and patronage of our entire section, that the money may be retained at home as much as possible, that a very large amount is now consumed, and the money expended, that our towns and counties and our adjacent cities of trade will prosper.

We ask for the firm attention and patronage of the public, which is all they need or desire.

TURN OUT, FIREMEN.

The officers and members of the Lexington Fire Company No. 1, are requested to meet promptly at their hall, on Monday next, at four o'clock, for the purpose of taking action of great importance to the company, and of greater import to the citizens of Lexington, for consideration. We mention this matter in our new fire and engine company, and to procure a new engine, or other equipments for the old one. The good services of Lexington Fire Company No. 1, in the past, entitle it to the kind consideration of the citizens, and we hope to see the members of the company turn out promptly.

Dry Goods at Cost—Consisting of Delaines, Ginghams, Brown and Bleached Domestic, Drillings, Linsey, Checks, Flannels, Tickings, Cottonades, Hosiery, Pillow casing, Shirting, Cassimeres, Jeans, &c., at Wholesale or Retail, at cost, of which I will sell at retail, to close the branch of my business, and will be glad to come and satisfy those who call for fact before purchasing elsewhere. R. E. HAYS.
jan14 corner of Main & Broadway.

CITY WORKS—Mr. Milo T. Summers has the contract for grading, gutter and macadamizing Pine street, from Main to Upper street, inclusive, and is now getting out the stone for it. He believes he is going to make a large work of the job, if he does not, it will be a long time. He is cool and energy during work.

ANOTHER FIRE—A small house, on the premises of the residence of T. Dunn, Esq., belonging to Thos. Adamson, and occupied by Mr. Dunn, burned up on Sunday last. The house was worth over say $300, fully insured. Dunn's engines were not out, they being in the hands of repair as to render them useless. The gang of the house, belonging to Van Fanklin, were saved.

SHOOTING AFFRAY—A few days ago, John Hagood and Jo. Waddell, both colored, got into a row in our streets, during which the latter was shot in the hand. Hagood was arrested, put in jail, but bailed out, and will await the action of the grand jury. The wound, we believe, not dangerous.

MARRIAGES

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, January 9th, by Rev. W. A. Mann, Mr. A. E. KEENEY, to Miss E. GEORGE, all of this city.

——Near Mayville, in this county, by L. M. Harrison, Esq., Mr. JOHN W. HARRISON to Miss MATTIE A. BOON, both of this county.

——At the Methodist church in this city, by Rev. A. G. Stacy, (Thursday) January 12th, Mr. THOS. R. MOORE, of Louisville, to Miss MOLLIE A. WADDELL, of this county.

As handsome a couple as we have seen stand up together for years, and attended by parties not inferior in their personnels. The happy couple left same day for Kentucky, our best wishes accompany them. The attendants were Mr. Georgia Letchworth of this city, and Dr. Owen of Saline county.

——At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. T. B. Ballard, near Kingsville, Dec. 28th, 1870, Mr. GEO. S. MOORE, of this county, to Miss NETTIE E. BALLARD.

Attendants—Mr. Lee Maupin, Miss Sallie C. Jarman; Mr. Hugh Ballard and Miss Rosa B. Moore.

——In Gallatin, Mo., Dec. 28, by Rev. A. Barry, Mr. H. P. GERHART, of St. Joseph, to Miss MOLLIE BALL, of Daviess county.

——In Weston, Mo., Dec. 29, by Elder J. Hogsle, Col. WM. B. WATTS, to Miss RETTA MITCHELL, all of Platte county.

——At St. Joseph, Dec. 27, Mr. HARVEY W. DYER, of Platte county, to Miss ANNIE M. WALLINGFORD, late of Weston.

——In Callaway co., Wm. Gregory, to Miss Amanda Morrison. Theodore Stonbrink and Miss Maggie Fink.

Mr. Beatty, lawyer of this city, slipped off in the holidays, and was married. We regret that we have not been able to learn the particulars. Mr. B. and lady have arrived at home.

A Merry Mute Wedding. On Thursday last, the ladies' parlor or Barnum's hotel, was the scene of a festive gathering, such as is rarely witnessed. Mr. Henry C. English, a teacher in the Louisiana Institute, for Deaf Mutes, of Baton Rouge, was married at Lexington on Wednesday afternoon, to Miss Mary L. Morrison, of the latter place, and their arrival here, en route to their sunny southern home, was made the occasion of a joyous congratulatory greeting by their many mute friends in this city. Mr. English and his lovely bride are both mutes, and were educated at the Missouri Institute at Fulton. Pantomimic wit and lollity flowed copiously until the hour of parting. Hearty and profuse were the expressions of good-will toward the newly wedded pair, all wishing them health, prosperity and long life.—[Republican.

DEATHS.

Died, in this county, on the 29th December, '70, MARY H. RUFENER, the beloved wife of S. T. Rufiner, in the 26th year of her age. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."

——Miss Annie McCarty, aged 111 years, died in Barry, Mo., Sunday, December 25, 1870. She was, perhaps, the oldest person in the West.

——We regret to announce the death of the wife of our highly esteemed friend Dr. C. H. Hughes superintendent of the State Lunatic Asylum, at Fulton, Mo. It is a sad and mournful calamity, and has fallen upon her while yet in the springtime of life.—[Mexico Ledger.

STOCK, FIELD AND FARM.

On Saturday, there was a good attendance at the sale of Messrs. Gordon & Hollis, short-horns. Upon them was little stock to sell. The bidding was in earnest enough, and prices rule high. Sold nine cows and small males, (2 year olds) at $120. Three head much cows, common, from $45 to $75. Much of the stock offered was withdrawn, some because of low prices and some for other reasons.

On Monday, a team of mules, wagon and harness were bid off at $480, but declined.

On Tuesday, in Louisville, Dec. 28, the lines had a shooting match for a $500 pot, at birds. Mr. Preston won the money. It was a contest between Bourbon and Montgomery counties, Bourbon being the winner. It may have been a good sport to the shooters, but appears to have been a sad one for birds.

Our correspondent writes us that of the large number of dogs exported from this county, only four are yet left here, by the North Missouri and by the road, or by dogs compelled to drive to Louisville at great cost, because of the difficulty of crossing the river—a strong argument for the completion of the Lexington and St. Louis road.

The dogs of San Francisco were exported in December and January, a very unusually hard space of a month in approaching, as we have them, the coast, from the interior.

Mr. A. C. Bowman, near Williamsburg, has sent us a sample of his crop of tobacco. It is a heavy manufacturing tobacco that will bring a good price, we should say, and is handsome. Mr. B. says he raised 4 acres of this tobacco which yielded about 1600 pounds.

The Messrs. Lankford had a fine choice of very fine hogs, making a big average, in Louisville, before yesterday. 92 of them averaged over, the heaviest weighed 500 lbs.

A company is formed to build one of the finest elevators in the world, on North river, N. Y. It will be of 2,000,000 bushels capacity, and ready for use in one year.

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Mr. Wm. Wilcox, near Wentzville, Mo., last week, purchased two fine Jennets, of Mr. Wright, for a good price, and we understand he is going to compliment Mr. Wright with a parcel of his jennets.

Fulton Patriot: Mr. Rufus Ellis, near Mr. Wm. Winn's, in this county, has a pair of twin calves, one of which weighs 100 lbs. and the other 90 lbs. Mr. Ellis has a cow that has given birth to twelve calves, and all have lived except one. Mr. Ellis has a cow that has given birth to twelve calves, and all have lived except one.

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