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## "UNDERGROUND RAILWAY"

Death Calls John T. Rankin, Son of Noted Ripley Abolitionist, Who Was a Power in Freeing the Negro.

The Greensburg (Ind.) News of January 1, says:  
Uncle John T. Rankin, one of Decatur county's most widely known citizens, died at 9 o'clock Monday night, December 29, at his home four miles east of town, known as Rankin's Crossing. The end was due to cancer from which he had been a sufferer for more than a year.

Mr. Rankin was 89 years of age and was born in Ripley, O. His younger life was spent in Ohio, and being strongly opposed to slavery he took a prominent part in the workings of the "underground railway," assisting in getting the fleeing colored people across the Buckeye state into Canada. Mr. Rankin had a personal acquaintance with Eliza and in fact with nearly all the characters that appear in Harriet Beecher Stowe's immortal work, "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

On coming to Indiana and settling in Decatur county, Mr. Rankin took up agricultural work and all through the following years has been thus engaged until such time when he was physically unable to do so.

Mr. Rankin was always a Republican in politics and a number of years ago was the farmers' candidate for Congress in the old Fourth District, but was defeated, though he made a very creditable race. He was a man of culture, firm in his friendships and by his personal magnetism, universally admired and esteemed.

## LEXINGTON JUNE 2

Is the Tentative Date Set For Big Republican State Platform Convention.

Louisville.—Provided the Republican State Central Committee acts upon the recommendation of the sub-committee composed of H. Green Garrett of Winchester, Colonel John W. McCullough of Owensboro, and Charles L. Schell of Louisville, the Republicans of Kentucky will hold a platform convention in Lexington, June 2, two months prior to the primary election.

## CLOSER TO THE SUN.

(Paris Democrat.)  
Recently a gentleman who travels out of Paris was in the Kentucky mountains, 60 miles from a railroad. A man asked him the time. The gentleman looked at his watch and told the inquirer. "That's railroad time, ain't it?" asked the man.  
"Yes," said the Paris man.  
"Well, we don't go by railroad time up here," said the man, "we go by sun time 'cause we are closer to the sun than we are to the railroad."

A woman's life is full of perplexities. She can't always decide even which complexion to wear.

Fobs of black moire ribbon, with cut jet mountings are very smart.

## LATEST WAR BULLETINS

**The Japs To Aid Allies.**  
Tokyo, January 15.—The promoters in Japan of what has been called the "volunteer movement," have issued a manifesto, in which they announced their intention of dispatching an army corps to Europe. To this end they are appealing to both Japanese and foreigners for funds.

**French Go Back Across the Aisne.**  
London, January 15.—The violent German attack to the north of Soissons which, coupled with a flood stage of the river, has forced the French back across the Aisne, is the most striking news of the last 24 hours from the seat of war. The Germans have been gaining in this locality for several days, but they had not recovered all of the ground lost by them.

**British Storm Trenches.**  
Paris, January 15.—The British by an impetuous attack stormed the strongly-entrenched German position near La-Bassee at 2 o'clock this afternoon after a vigorous preliminary shelling. This is an important strategic point and its occupation represents an advance of one mile.

## 618,685 POUNDS

Sold Friday On Local Market—\$46 Per Hundred Is New High Dollar Figure Set By the Home.

The Maysville tobacco market continues to boom and prices are steadily growing better. Yesterday's sales were among the best of the season. The Home set a new record mark when it sold one basket for \$46 per hundred, the highest price on this or any other market this season. Total sales yesterday were 618,685 pounds, as follows:

**Home.**  
Penns sold ..... \$29,450  
High price ..... \$46.00  
Low price ..... 3.00  
Special crops—William Rossman, Ripley, O., \$23.20; H. E. Collins, Maysville, \$20.15; List and Slack, Ripley, \$15.10; Charles Haughaboo, Mason county, \$14; Jones and McChord, Bowling, \$16.10; Paris Fern, Cowan, \$12.25. Market strongest of the season.

### Central.

Pounds sold ..... \$35,357  
High price ..... \$19.25  
Low price ..... 1.00  
Special crops—Howard and Craig, 2,070 pounds, \$15.17; James B. Ledford, 3,155 pounds, \$13.43; Girmes and Walder, 2,515, \$14.50; F. L. Mullikin, 2,045, \$15.56.

### Independent.

Pounds sold ..... \$4,230  
High price ..... \$21.00  
Low price ..... 2.00  
Special crops—E. L. Henson, Robertson county, \$16.38; George Henson, Robertson county, \$16.21.

### Amazon.

Pounds sold ..... \$2,000  
High price ..... \$20.00  
Low price ..... 1.00  
**Farmers & Planters.**  
Pounds sold ..... \$11,650  
High price ..... \$27.50  
Low price ..... 1.00

No sale at Growers.  
No sales today, Saturday.

## "LEXINGTONIAN" NAME OF WALTON'S PAPER.

"The Lexingtonian" is the name of the new weekly paper to be started in a few days by Colonel W. P. Walton, the veteran newspaper man, announced. The first name chosen for the new weekly was "The Lexington Ledger," but this name was abandoned because of the possible confusion with the Lexington Leader. Colonel Walton said he did not know the exact date of the publication of the first issue, though it would be published as soon as all the preliminary arrangements can be made.

Auction Sale at McCarthy's Jewelry Store every afternoon and night.  
THOMAS J. HATLEY,  
Licensed Auctioneer

## ACCUSED RECTOR FACES TRIAL.

Philadelphia, Pa., January 16.—The staple topic of discussion in Episcopal church circles here is the case of the Rev. George Chalmers Richmond, who has been cited to appear before the ecclesiastical court of the Diocese of Pennsylvania on Monday for trial on charges of conduct unbecoming a minister and breach of his ordination vows. The trial will be the first of its kind that has taken place here in many years.

Dr. Richmond is rector of the fashionable St. John's Episcopal church in this city. For several years he has been more or less in the limelight by reason of what he terms his "fight for freedom of speech and common justice." Finally his utterances from the pulpit took such a sensational turn that the higher ecclesiastical authorities felt bound to take some action in the matter.

The immediate cause for Dr. Richmond being cited for trial was found in his sensational declarations against Bishop Rhinelander of the Pennsylvania diocese and his attacks by letter and public utterances upon a former member of his vestry, Charles Brown. Dr. Richmond accused the bishop of sending "ecclesiastical spies" into his church to do the bishop's "dirty work." His attacks upon Mr. Brown were equally vigorous.

**BELGIAN RELIEF DAY IN GEORGIA.**  
Atlanta, Ga., January 16.—Belgian Relief day was observed today by the people throughout the state of Georgia. In Atlanta and in practically all the other cities and larger towns of the state society women sold miniature Belgian flags on the streets. The proceeds of the sales will be used in buying food and other supplies. These will be forwarded to Charleston, from which port they will be carried to Belgium in the Georgia-South Carolina ship.

## NEW REPUBLICAN PAPER AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky.—The Kentucky Sun, a weekly newspaper devoted to the interests of the Republican party, made its initial appearance here Thursday. It is the first paper here devoted to the Republican party since the organization of the Progressives.

The present term of the Mason Circuit Court will adjourn today.

## WASHINGTON THEATER

**TONIGHT**  
"THE TICKET OF LEAVEMAN."  
(Biograph Drama in Two Parts.)  
"BILL'S BOY."  
(Essanay, Drama.)  
"RAJAH'S VACATION."  
(Solig Drama.)  
—MATINEE TODAY—

# GEM

Where You See the Big Stars  
Prof. R. J. Bullet's Orchestra Today

# "When the Lions Escape"

Thrilling Wild Animal Picture in Three Parts  
"Ragan's Daughter"  
Featuring James Morrison and Dorothy Kelly

# PASTIME!

## TODAY

# The Ward Kids Sing

MARY FULLER IN  
"PHANTOM CRACKSMAN"  
Victor Drama  
ERMA EARLS AND WILL SHRERER IN  
"The Wondrous Melody"  
2-Part Eclair Drama

5 Big Reels Today  
MONDAY—\$10.00 GIVEN AWAY  
Coming January 25th  
"Jane Eyre"

# News of the Churches

To insure insertion in this column, all church notices must be in THE LEDGER office by Friday night.

**Church of the Nativity**—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer, 10:45 a. m.; evening service, 7 p. m. All seats free at all services. Strangers are particularly welcome. It is our church as much as ours because it is a house of God. JAMES H. FIELDING, Rector.

**First M. E. South**—Sunday school 9:30 a. m., W. W. Ball, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. REV. W. B. CAMPBELL, Pastor.

**Third Street M. E. Church**—Services tomorrow as follows: Divine worship with sermons by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Special music. It has been decided by this church to enter into a series of revival services during March. Services from now on will be in a manner preparatory to the revival. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. One hundred and thirty-three attended last Sunday. Were you there? If not, come tomorrow and help reach the 150 mark. Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m., led by Miss Hurd. For a real inspiring young peoples' meeting attend this one. You will feel younger and better in every way. The public, including strangers within our city, are invited to these services. L. M. LITERAL, Pastor.

**Central Presbyterian Church**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., J. B. Wood, Superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a. m., and 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor 6:15 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7 p. m. Good music. Everybody cordially invited. R. L. BENN, Pastor.

**First Christian Church**—Bible school meets at 9:30 a. m. The natural growth of the school is seen in the attendance of 250 last Sunday. Men, women and children all find a welcome awaiting them. The Junior department has made a very good gain. Morning church service begins at 10:45. The sermon will be of special help to the young people. Will those attending Bible school make a special effort to remain for this service. The sermon on "Winning the Game" might be considered a continuation of the one last Sunday which was given to a well filled house. The Endeavor meeting at 6 p. m. is always interesting. The contest in attendance is close. Evening church service with preaching at 7 p. m. The music at all services will be good. We urge the members to bring their friends with them. A. F. STAHL, Minister.

**St. Patrick Church**—Regular services at St. Patrick church as follows: Sunday—First mass, 8 a. m. Sunday school immediately following this service. Second mass, 10 a. m. Sermons suggested by the Gospel for the day at both these masses. Vespers, benediction at 3 p. m. Week Days—Masses, 6:30 and 7:30 a. m.

**Forest Avenue M. E. Church**—Sunday school meets at 9:30 a. m., G. A. Harding, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and at 7 p. m., by the pastor. Morning subject: "Not Wasted." Evening subject: "The Danger of Neglecting Salvation." Preaching at Stewart's Chapel at 2:30 p. m. A. P. FELTS, Pastor.

**First Presbyterian Church**—Rev. C. Connor Brown, State Evangelist, will preach, morning and evening. The meetings have increased in interest and full houses are expected Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Services this (Saturday) evening at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation to attend and co-operate in the work. J. BARBOUR, Pastor.

**"BLOODY JACKSON" SOBERING UP.**  
Jackson, Ky., is developing morally as well as commercially. "Bootlegging," "drunks" and all manner of evildoers are receiving full punishment from the city government. Police Judge Francis Beck and the entire police force are bringing about a real transformation of morals.

**First Baptist Church**—"The Golden Channel" will be the morning subject, at 10:45; at 7 p. m. the pastor will preach, "The Iron Did Swim." Special music at both services. There will be an important business meeting following the morning service; every member is urged to be present. It is truly inspiring to notice the increased interest in the Sunday school. If you have no other Sunday school home, you are specially invited to meet with our school at 9:30 in the morning. We begin promptly. President Baldwin especially invites and urges all of the young people to attend the B. Y. P. U. tomorrow night. They meet at 6 p. m. in the Sunday school room. Good music, good program, good fellowship. Visitors and friends will find a warm welcome to all of these services. B. WILHOYTE, Pastor.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**  
All items under this head 1/2 cent a word.  
**For Sale.**  
FOR EXCHANGE—\$10,000 worth of first mortgage bonds for good stock of jewelry or merchandise. Thomas J. Hatley, Licensed Auctioneer.  
FOR SALE—Handsome set of "Romance of American History" can be had at 113 East Third street for \$35; original cost being \$50. J151f  
**For Rent.**  
FOR RENT—Large 10-room residence on Second street in Aberdeen, O. All conveniences. Apply to T. D. Badgley, Aberdeen.

## Saturday at Hoeflich's

Extraordinary bargains for this day.  
5c BUYS—Yard-wide Bleached Cotton worth 7c. Yard-wide Brown Cotton worth 7c. Apron Gingham worth 7c. These are unequalled bargains; the price is the same, but see the difference in quality.  
10c BUYS—Choice of Collars worth up to 25c. Hemmed and Hemmed Stitched Pillow Cases worth 15c and 17c. Turkish Towels that have always sold at much more. All-Linen Crashes that cost more at wholesale.  
15c BUYS—Choice of a lot of Underwear worth up to 35c. All Winter Goods at Cut Prices, and it will pay you to buy now.  
SATURDAY NIGHT SALES 6 TO 9 ONLY  
All the Mussed Handkerchiefs for Christmas at Cut Price. The best 5c quality are now three for a dime. The 10c kind are now three for a quarter.  
10c buys choice of one hundred Novelties worth 15c to 25c.

**ROBERT L. HOEFLICH,**  
211 and 213 Market Street

## "KEYSTONE"

Comedy Riot for Those Who Want to Laugh  
Coming Monday, "THE BRUTE," Famous Player  
Coming Tuesday, "MAYSVILLE IN MOVING PICTURES"  
Coming Wednesday, Ethel Barrymore in "THE NIGHTINGALE"

**MAYSVILLE PRODUCE MARKET**  
Following are this morning's quotations on country produce, telephoned at 9 o'clock by the E. L. Manchester Produce Company:  
Eggs ..... 26c  
Butter ..... 17c  
Old hens ..... 10c  
Springers ..... 11c  
Old roosters ..... 7c  
Fat ducks ..... 10c  
Turkeys ..... 13c

**CINCINNATI MARKETS**  
—January 15—  
**Live Stock.**  
Hogs—Receipts 4,200, market higher; packers and butchers, \$6.70@6.95; common to choice, \$5.25@6.40; pigs and lights, \$5@7.  
Cattle—Receipts 500, market weak; calves steady.  
8 sheep—Receipts 200, market steady, lambs steady.  
**Provisions.**  
Butter steady; eggs easy, prime firsts, 35c; firsts, 25@33 1/2; seconds, 25c; poultry steady, hens, 10 1/2@13c; springers, 12 1/2@14 1/2; turkeys, 16c.  
**Grain.**  
Wheat firm, \$1.44@1.45; corn firm, 73 1/2@74; oats steady, 54 1/2@55; rye steady, \$1.14@1.16; hay steady, \$15 @16.

**WEATHER REPORT**  
Forecast for Kentucky—Unsettled today and probably rain.

**OUR COLORED CITIZENS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewis entertained Mrs. Lizzie Morris from Huntington, W. Va., Thursday evening.  
Good Will Lodge, No. 46, U. B. F., elected officers Monday night, January 11, to serve the ensuing year.  
W. M.—D. McFarland.  
D. M.—John Bass.  
Secretary—W. H. Humphrey.  
Treasurer—J. W. Green.  
Trustees—James Parker, Boone Webster and W. H. Humphrey.

**Sunday Services, Scott M. E. Church.**  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.  
10:30 a. m.—Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Removing Hindrances Our selves."  
6:30 p. m.—Epworth League. Topic: "The Education of Moses and Its Modern Meaning." Ex. 2:11, 12; Num. 10:13, 12-13; 16:2-5.  
7:30 p. m.—Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The Attached Corpse."  
The protracted meeting continues with increased interest. Cottage prayer meetings every afternoon next week.  
Monday—Sermon by Rev. J. D. Walker.  
Tuesday—Sermon by Rev. R. Jackson. His congregation will help us and then we go to help them in their meeting. The Fourth Quarterly Conference Monday night unanimously requested the return of the district superintendent and the pastor for another year. Let every member be present Sunday, and all next week.  
L. M. HAGOOD, Pastor.

Jet is used on gowns of white and pale pink net with charming effect. One sees more black among ostrich plumes than any other color.

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## NEW YEAR GREETINGS!

We wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year and do not think it would be out of order to suggest that in making your New Year resolutions you include your Electrical Installation. Make a resolution to have your house wired this year and start it by sending for us to estimate.

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"The Good Clothes Man"



TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. May your joys be as numerous as the passing FORDS.

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