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TERMS OF ADVERTISING
The following prices for advertising have been agreed upon by the publishers...

To The Musical Public!
PIANOS, ORGANS & MELODEONS!
AT PRICES BELOW COMPETITION.

THE Undersigned having received Agents from several first class music stores, is prepared to furnish Pianos, Organs and Melodeons at great bargains...

UNDER THE ICE.
Under the ice for the winter run; Under the ice for the spring run...

Under the ice for the winter run; Under the ice for the spring run; Under the ice for the summer run...

Jim Wolf and the Tom Cat at a Caddy Pulling.
I knew by the sympathetic glow on his bald head—I knew by the thoughtful look on his face—I knew by the emotional flash upon his strawberry nose...

Under the ice for the winter run; Under the ice for the spring run; Under the ice for the summer run...

Farmers' Daughters.
God bless them, every one! It is an involuntary exclamation, but what of that? Is it not, therefore, the sincere speech of the heart?

Under the ice for the winter run; Under the ice for the spring run; Under the ice for the summer run...

Wayward Sisters Coming Home.
The Arkansas delegates to Congress are on their way to ask admission, that State having complied with all the requisitions of Reconstruction according to Congress...

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The New Constitution of South Carolina.
The New Constitution of South Carolina, just adopted by an overwhelming majority, is an immense stride in a new direction...

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OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.
Judge of Fayette County Pleas Court—A. S. DICKER, of Highland County. Probate Judge—S. B. YOMAS.

The Burdett Organ!
CONTAINING "Vox Humana" and "Celeste," An Instrument which every Household should possess...

General Intelligence.
One thing has struck me as being rather peculiar: The unaccountable, uncalled for and unnecessary lack of general intelligence among our young people...

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Very large and complete Assortment of FRENCH, MOROCCO, and TURKEY WALLETS, LADIES' WALLETS and PORTMONAIES, OF THE FINEST QUALITY.

Neatest Styles.
The Only Complete Stock in this Market. Prices to Suit Everybody.

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SCHOOL EXAMINERS.
Dr. C. EASTMAN, P. E. MORSE, J. B. PERRY. The Board meets at Washington on the third Saturday of every month...

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.
J. B. PRIDDY, Attorney at Law and Notary Public, Washington, Ohio.

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BRIGGS & PALMER, Attorneys at Law, Law, will practice in Fayette and adjoining counties. Office over Yeoman & Co's store, Washington, O.

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M. J. WILLIAMS, Attorney at Law, Washington, Ohio, will practice in Fayette and adjoining counties. Office over Yeoman & Co's store, Washington, O.

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H. B. MAYNARD, Attorney at Law, Washington, Ohio, will practice in Fayette and adjoining counties. Office over Yeoman & Co's store, Washington, O.

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We copy the following from the Parkersburg, (West Va.) Times: It is rumored that a den of these assassins is formed, or about to be formed in the City of Parkersburg. We do not know what truth there may be in this report, but if such organization is in contemplation here and any of our rebels desire to take the place recently occupied by John Schaefer, we will give them a programme by which they can soon obtain the height of their ambition. It is simply to form a "den" and go into the wholesale assassination and robbery business, as they do in Tennessee, Georgia, and other States South, by forming a joint stock company for the purpose—There is no individual liability clause in the charter of the Ku-Klux the expenses are light, no capital required—a hatchet will do—and the business is all profit. The Memphis Post publishes the full organization of the Ku-Klux Grand Council, obtained by the seizure of the "den" in that city—The following is the instrument: ORGANIZATION. The name of this den shall be the Supreme Cyclopean Council, and its officers shall consist of a Grand Cyclops, Vice Grand Cyclops and a Secretary. All funds coming into the Association shall be under the control of the three officers above named, and two Directors to be elected, who shall act as a supervising council, and their decisions on all questions shall be final. The meeting shall be called by the Grand Cyclops, when he deems it necessary, and shall be done through the papers in the cipher of the organization. OBJECT. The object of this organization is for the purpose of protecting the people of the South from the band of murderers and robbers now preying upon them, even to the last resort—assassination—and we pledge ourselves one to the other that nothing shall be allowed to deviate us from this noble object. ENTRANCE. Entrance to the lodge room will be obtained through the medium of two rap in quick succession, to be followed by two slow ones. The Inside Sentinel will say "Our trust" the outside applicant will answer "is in God." He will then be admitted, and upon giving the grip as detailed in another place, he can take his place. INITIATION. All candidates shall be balloted for in open council, and if any applicant receives three black balls, he cannot be admitted. As soon as a candidate is elected, he shall be introduced by a brother appointed by the Grand Cyclops. The members of the lodge, all shrouded, will rise and receive him and conduct him into the middle of the room. Each member of the order shall have a drawn dagger or other weapon in his hand, pointed toward the candidate, and each member shall be required, in the presence of the candidate to swear that should said candidate prove recreant to the oath which he is about to take, that he will kill him and make it his special duty to do so on the first safe opportunity. As soon as the shrouded brothers have taken the above oath, the following charge and oath shall be administered by the Grand Cyclops, or in his absence, the Vice Grand. "Here in the presence of this skill and the members here assembled, I solemnly swear to be true to the Order, to its members individually and collectively, and should I ever, by sign, word or deed, betray a secret, or a member of the Brotherhood, that the skull upon which I now look, may be a counterpane of mine, and I hope that all the social relations which I now enjoy may be surrendered, that honesty in the men or virtues in the females may not be known in my family or generation, and that all who own my name shall be branded as dogs and harlots. I further swear to obey implicitly the orders of the Grand Cyclops, regularly issued through his Council, and as soon as I receive an order to fulfill it, I again swear that, should a member of this order be in danger, that, even at the risk of my life, I will defend and endeavor to save him; that I will go outward sign or hint that a person may know of the existence of the K. K. K., unless authorized by the Grand Cyclops, and that each member of this order as soon as the sign is given, I will recognize, defend and protect as a brother. I further swear, that I will under and in all circumstances, bear true allegiance to the south and her interests, and as interpreted by the Supreme Cyclopean Council, and when I receive its orders, should I ever be in the embraces of my wife, I will leave her to obey them. I further swear that all Radicals and negroes, who have placed themselves opposite to the interests of the owners of the soil of Tennessee shall forever be my enemies, and that under no circumstances will I have other connection with them. If I can help it, than to "welcome them with bloody hands to hospitable graves." That my family and the family of a Radical shall never later change visits, and I further pray that the God of the Southland, whom I now invoke, shall strike me dead should I ever, either in letter or in spirit, infringe upon the things we forth in the oath. To all of which I swear: in honesty of heart and sincerity of purpose. So help me God."