

Public Ledger

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MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1892.

ONE CENT.

OUR TRAMP ABOUT THE CITY.

SOAP CERTIFICATE



KENTUCKY WEATHER REPORT.

What We May Expect Between This Time and To-morrow Evening.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13, 1892. Special to THE PUBLIC LEDGER.

Showers in the Western and fair in the Eastern portion of the state.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.



BALMY SPRING IS HERE.

Get my chest protector out, my velvet ear muffs too. My thick chintheilth ulster, my porous plaster true. Give me a quinine capsule, my drooping heart to cheer. And don't forget my rubber boots, for balmy spring is here.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. C. Russell went to Cincinnati this morning. D. C. Mayo of Johnson county, is in the city. Joseph Easton has been in Catlettsburg several days. Mrs. Bert L. Pearce left yesterday for a trip to Memphis. E. M. Newman of Mt. Olivet was in the city Monday. A. K. Marshall of Lewisburg was in the city yesterday. Miss Florence Frank left yesterday afternoon for a visit to Memphis. Mrs. B. W. Goodman is on a visit to her father, W. W. Lamar, at Aurora, Ind. Mrs. Margaret Ravencraft of Millersburg is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Watson. W. C. Gooding of Cynthiana came down Sunday on a visit to his old home, Mayslick. Miss Mollie Egan, teacher of music at the Convent, left last night for a visit to Baltimore. Captain Arthur F. Curran, he of the new *Dover News*, favored THE LEDGER with a call yesterday. Mr. BRECKINRIDGE has secured a report from the Committee on War Claims in favor of paying William Burt \$800 for the occupation of his lands during the war. Mr. McCRRARY's bill for the relief of the Madison Female Institute, located at Richmond, by paying it \$7,319 20, for use of its buildings during the war, has been favorably reported from the Committee on War Claims. There seems to be a good deal of moving going on just now. Drayloads and wagon-loads of household goods are passing along the street almost daily, but our Religious Reporter was unable to find an empty dwelling in the course of a day's travel. Where are the movers moving from and where are they going?

A MARRIAGE AT MAPLEWOOD.

A Fleming County Man Comes to Mason for a Bonnie Bride.

Maplewood, the pleasant home of C. C. Degman, near Springdale, was on Thursday last the scene of a happy home wedding. The occasion was the marriage of Miss Alice, the eldest daughter, to Mr. Preston F. Martin.

The attendants were Miss Effie Million and Clarence G. Degman, Miss Clare Degman and Floyd Pearson Tully.

At 12 o'clock the marriage ceremony was pronounced by Elder Jackson of Fleming county. All were impressed by the sacredness of the occasion.

Immediately after, a feast worthy of the occasion was served and thoroughly enjoyed.

About 2 o'clock the happy pair were escorted to the carriage amid a shower of rice and old shoes, and started for the home of the groom, followed by the good wishes of everyone.

The bride is a golden-haired blonde, of noble character, charming in person and manners, and very popular. She was attired in a lovely combination of dark blue Bedford cord silk and lace. The only ornament worn was a handsome gold medal which testified to her character and ability as a student.

The groom is one of Fleming county's popular and prosperous young farmers. A number of handsome and useful presents testified to the esteem in which the couple are held.

Among those in attendance from a distance were Captain and Mrs. U. P. Degman of Schuyler, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Million of Fleming county; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Williams of Limestone; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tully of Lewis county; Mrs. Doyle and Mrs. Smith of Maysville; Miss Martin of Fleming county and Miss Million of Riverside Seminary, Lewis county.

THE LEDGER extends congratulations to the happy couple.

THEY are building a \$10,000 Baptist Church at Cynthiana.

FOR once in his life big-hearted Duke Watson couldn't raise a quarter.

HON. GEORGE M. ADAMS is among the Kentuckians in Washington City.

JOHN O'DONNELL has been granted license to sell wine and liquor.

In the Court of Appeals the case of the L and N. Railroad vs. Lewis, from Greenup county, has been argued and submitted.

The grand opening of the Four Seasons Hotel took place at Middlesboro yesterday. About one hundred and fifty guests were present from New York.

The Legislative Committee on Public Offices has reported the bill fixing the Governor's salary at \$6,000, with an amendment that the sum be made \$7,000.

P. J. MURPHY has added another gem to his already large stock of jewels. It's another boy and a regular bouncer. You can buy jewelry at your own price today.

At a dance at Baugh's Station Jim Mahana hit Peter McReynolds on the back of the head with the pole of an axe. McReynolds cannot recover. His assailant escaped.

JAMES MEEHAN, Master Mechanic of the C. and O. Railroad, has gone to Mexico on a visit. Mr. Meehan enjoys the distinction of being the first engineer who ever entered Mexico with a locomotive.

At Limestone Daniel Dehart and Tevis Patton sat down on the track of the Elizabethtown, Lexington and Big Sandy Railroad track while drunk. Patton is too seriously injured to attend Dehart's funeral. The latter was at one time the wealthiest man in Elliott county.

GENERAL HENRY V. BOYNTON is not only a writer, but he is an artist of considerable ability. He has prepared for the C. and O. Railroad a historical sketch of the Virginia campaign, with a complete map of the battle-fields. The latter were prepared from the official records in the War Department. The work is very handsome and the C. and O. is giving it an extensive circulation.

HON. ALFRED F. ALLEN, who died at Hardinsburg a few days ago, was best known to the public as the Commonwealth's Attorney who conducted the prosecution of Matt Ward in his famous trial—the killing of Prof. Butler in the latter's school room in Louisville, but he held many other public positions during his long life. He was a member of the Legislature during all the period during the late war, was State Treasurer from 1866 to 1868, and Consul to Foo Chow in 1869.

For the approaching marriage of Miss Zorayda Welsh of Danville and Mr. W. D. Cochran of this city, invitations have been sent out as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Welsh request your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Zorayda, and

Mr. William Duffield Cochran, on Wednesday, April Twenty seventh, at 12 o'clock, Danville, Kentucky.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS AT RIPLEY WILL INSTITUTE A DIVISION OF THE U. R. ON THE 18TH OF MAY.

ALBERT BROOKING succeeds Joseph Tucker as Road Overseer in the Murphysville Precinct.

S. J. HOBBS has been appointed Postmaster at Anchorage, thus ending an ugly fight for the place.

ENOCH SEXTON has resigned as Road Overseer in the Orangeburg Precinct, and A. J. Yancy has been appointed.

In the Circuit Court yesterday, John Gleason was convicted of Sabbath breaking and fined \$10 and costs.

The loss on the Big Sandy Flour Mills, which were destroyed at Catlettsburg by fire Sunday morning, is about \$50,000, with no insurance.

At Cane Valley the Christian Church and several other structures were destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of about \$10,000, with \$5,000 insurance.

THE Southern Fuel Gas Company has declared a dividend of 25% payable May 2nd. It will amount to about \$5,000. This is 60% declared since the 1st of January on a capital of \$20,000.

ENTRIES in the great \$25,000 Futurity to be trotted at Lexington at the fall meetings of 1894-5, have been published. There are 928 nominations, and they come from Maine to California.

SENATOR POYNTEZ of this city is the champion wag of the Kentucky Senate. The other day he obtained unanimous consent to have read from *The Courier-Journal* the monthly weather report.

THE Supreme Court of the United States, Chief Justice Fuller rendering the opinion, has again decided that a state has the right to tax drummers who do business in a town without any capital beyond a gripsack and an oxidized steel check.

JOHN WALSH has sold Colonel Richard Dawson's place, comprising seven acres lying on Stony Hollow, to R. M. Freeland of Bethel, Ky., for \$650. Mr. Freeland and his family, consisting of four persons, will soon move here, thus adding that many more to our suburban population, and making that many more customers for Maysville merchants.

ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL.

Consul Charlie Erdman Compromises a Ten Thousand Dollar Damage Suit.

Charles W. Erdman was some time ago appointed United States Consul at Stockholm, Sweden. Subsequently he was transferred to Breslau, Germany. His home is in Louisville, where he is rich and respected.

Charlie is a genial good fellow, with dead loads of friends and many of them are in Maysville.

Just before he set sail for Sweden he was served with a writ of *Sassofaria*, advising him that Julius Stege wanted 10,000 dingsbats, or words to that effect.

It all grew out of a meeting of the Garfield Club, of which both are members. The question at issue was the adoption of a new Constitution.

There was considerable excitement over the matter at that time, and at one meeting the discussion was a warm one. Mr. Stege opposed the Administration, and Consul Erdman favored it. In the heat of the argument it is said Consul Erdman made some remarks about Mr. Stege which were not a little offensive to that gentleman.

Colonel William Collins, the well-known whisky merchant, is a mutual friend of the plaintiff and defendant, and during the last few weeks has been making efforts to effect a compromise. Through his tact the matter was brought to a point where Consul Erdman, through his attorneys, offered to pay all the costs and make an apology withdrawing all objectionable statements he is said to have made.

Bruce Champ is Likewise Courteous.

Bourbon News.—THE PUBLIC LEDGER, a new daily, with Thomas A. Davis as Editor, has made its appearance at Maysville. It is a bright and sparkling sheet, full of vim, as Mr. Davis always makes a paper.

Several Successful Raids.

Safe blowers and horse thieves made a successful raid in Pendleton county Sunday night. The Postoffice at Knoxville was entered, the safe blown open and a lot of stamps and change taken. The Postoffice at Gardnersville and the store of James Irvin were also entered. It is supposed by the same crowd, and a small amount of money secured at each place. Fred Helmig's store at Knoxville was also entered and the safe blown open, but the sum total they secured from the four safes did not amount to \$200. J. L. Massey's horse and buggy were stolen from his stable at Gardnersville.

SATIRICAL AGAINST HISTORICAL.

The "Truth of History" as Recorded by a So-called Local "Authority."

People who have enough sense not to eat an unripe watermelon can readily distinguish between an item published for pleasantry and one that pretends to contain facts.

Yesterday a so-called newspaper treated its patient readers to this historical gem:

Sutton street was named for one of Maysville's most respected citizens of the olden time—Sutton Isaacs—who was grandfather of the late Mrs. Susan Dimmitt.

Here are the facts: Sutton street was named in honor of Benjamin Sutton who came to Maysville in May, 1787. He was an early Trustee of the town, and owned the ferry right, together with lots No. 15 and 16 on Front street—the lot now owned by Mrs. Hal Gray and the one adjoining. His house was at the foot of Sutton street, overlooking the river bank, where it remained for some years, he leaving a road through his lots. Finally the Trustees obliged him to remove the house, and he afterwards sold the lots and the ferry-right to the Armstrongs, who in turn sold the ferry-right to the Powers, who but recently disposed of it to Commodore C. M. Phister. If we mistake not, Sutton removed to Decatur, O., where he died.

So it will be seen that Sutton street was not named after "Sutton Isaacs" or any other Isaacs. And Mr. Sutton Isaacs was no more the "grandfather of the late Mrs. Susan Dimmitt" than the veracious author of the statement is the grandfather of the late lamented Mr. Adam.

LATEST spring styles in gentlemen's patent leather shoes, at a saving of 25 per cent, at H. C. Barkley's Spot Cash Shoe Store.

CAPTAIN ED. W. FITZGERALD has the Editor's thanks for a copy of the handsome souvenir issued by *The Scimitar*, a most enterprising newspaper in Memphis.

BALL, MITCHELL & Co. recently purchased the remains of the old stone bonded warehouse in the Limestone bottom, and began tearing it down this morning.

FOURTEEN K solid gold ladies' watches \$17; gold filled watches at \$15; gent's gold filled watches \$15 and \$18, at Murphy's, the Jeweler, successor to Hopper & Murphy.

DEMOLOGY COMMANDERY No. 12, K. T., will celebrate their Silver Anniversary in Louisville at 8 o'clock to-night. A number of Sir Knights of Maysville have been invited.

THE dog pound was opened for business yesterday, and already four luckless canines whine for liberty. Their piteous wails could be heard last night all over the Third Ward.

REV. B. W. MCKANE of the Central Presbyterian Church, will preach an Easter Sermon next Sunday morning, Maysville Commandery No. 10, K. T., has been invited to attend in a body.

THE officers of the steamer *Carrollton* yesterday telegraphed Ball, Mitchell & Co. that the boat's "Doctor" had broke down, and for them to be ready to repair it immediately on the boat's arrival at Maysville. The work was done and the steamer proceeded on her way without serious delay.

A HORSE belonging to Mr. Nat Wood, while hitched in front of the office of W. B. Mathews & Co. yesterday afternoon, became frightened at some little girl riding by on a tricycle and breaking loose started Eastward at a one minute gallop. He was under saddle and consequently there is no demolished vehicle to report.

Eloped Last Night.

Shortly after twilight last evening Lynn Stanton, son of C. L. Stanton, and Miss Fannie Gaines, daughter of Captain Sam Gaines, the well-known newspaper man, quietly crossed the river and were married by Squire Beasley.

Proposed Mail Changes.

The mail between Manchester and Maysville now leaves the former place daily except Sunday at noon, arriving at Maysville at 4 p. m., and it leaves Maysville daily except Sunday at 6 a. m., arriving at Manchester at 10 a. m. It is proposed to change this schedule so that hereafter this mail will leave Manchester daily except Sunday at 2 p. m., reaching Maysville by 7:25 a. m. of the next day, and leave Maysville daily except Sunday at 8 a. m., arriving at Manchester by 12 m. Coming from Manchester to Maysville, it is contemplated that the mail shall lay over at Ellsberry, arriving there at 4:35 p. m. and leaving for Maysville at 6 a. m.

A Floater Found.

The following was found yesterday in a bottle tightly sealed, floating down the river:

April the 10, 1892
Maysville

Mason Co Ky. I thot I woude fight a foe lines hoping that I will receive a corresponding With sum one I live in maysville on a lignear at the Water Works age 21 years old and Worth a fue thousand When I sead inginair i mene hed ingingnear an meshenes eny won that Cathos this anser a once I have got black hare and kurley black mustas and black eyes
W. O. HOOPER
Maysville
Kentucky
B.O.X. No. 272.

BLOODY MONROE.

Nine Murders in a Fortnight in the Tennessee County.

The Latest the Killing of Four Men, Three Deputy Sheriffs.

The Murders Outlaws Indicted in the Mountains—It May Be That Gov. Buchanan Will Have to Call Out the Militia to Enforce the Law.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 13.—Monroe county is in a state of revolution, and it may be that Gov. Buchanan will have to order out the militia to enforce the law. Frank Midland and three deputy sheriffs were killed Tuesday morning by the Murphy gang of desperadoes. An Indian has been murdered, and when the sheriff and posse surrounded the Murphy brothers, leaders of one faction, in the mountains, a conflict lasting nearly all night followed. Deputy Sheriff Chas. Bhea was fatally shot and left for dead. After several hours' exposure and suffering he was found and removed to a farm-house. He is now dead. The Murphy gang is strongly fortified in a secluded mountain hut, and capture means death. The officers will not make another attempt until in condition to effect a capture. The trouble originated about the attempted abduction of a daughter of Frank Midland. Five murders were committed in Monroe county last week.

The Ohio Legislature.

COLUMBUS, April 13.—SENATE—Bills passed: Authorizing the state workshop inspector to investigate the condition of powder and dynamite factories; changing the beginning of the official terms of the trustees of Wiberforce university from September to June. In order to have them inducted at the annual meeting of the board; repealing that section of the Graber law relating to the compensation of sheriffs, and re-enacting the old law regulating their compensation, with an amendment, making a horizontal reduction of about twelve per cent. In their favor the Glasgow bill to consolidate the Cincinnati university and the Cincinnati College of Law is now half-way. It passed the senate without opposition.

HOUSE.—Bills passed: Provided that railroad companies must furnish steps for ascent or descent from the cars at every station at which the platform is more than twelve inches below the level of the permanent car steps; providing that when a street railroad in this state has a continuation of its line in an adjoining state, the Ohio company may purchase and own part or all of the stock of the company owning the land in the adjoining state. Mr. Beard's pool bill got a set-back to-day. The bill provides that pools may be sold on one-mile race courses, subject to regulation by track associations, and on the condition that they shall not be sold elsewhere. Mr. Beard spoke in favor of the bill, but while the vote as cast was a tie—34 for and 34 against—there was not enough affirmative vote to pass the bill.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—For Tennessee and Kentucky—Showers west; fair east; west winds.

For West Virginia and Ohio—Fair, slightly warmer by Wednesday night; variable winds.

For lower Michigan—Generally fair, slightly warmer; variable winds.

For Indiana—Showers, preceded by fair; southeast winds.

Prince George Will Attend the Fair.

LONDON, April 13.—It is announced that Prince George of Wales, only son of the Prince of Wales, will make a visit to Canada in 1893. After visiting Quebec and Montreal and other places in the Dominion, he will visit Chicago and attend the World's fair. He will then return to England.

A Child Frightfully Mistreated.

FR. MADISON, Ia., April 13.—John Ewing and wife have been arrested here, charged with frightfully beating and burning a foster-child. They have also, it is alleged, been starving her two days. The couple came from Pontoosne, Ill. The little girl is from the foundlings' home at Springfield, Ill.

Helped to Convict John Brown.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 13.—Wm. Rightstein, of Shepherdstown, this state, died Tuesday, aged 84. He was one of the two surviving members of the jury that convicted John Brown, the insurrectionist. The sole survivor now is Geo. W. Boyer, of Shenandoah Junction, this county (Jefferson).

A New Labor Organization.

CHICAGO, April 13.—A new labor organization, to be called the International Federation of Machinery Trades, was organized here Tuesday, with a membership of fifty thousand. After a warm debate it was decided by the organizers not to allow anything referring to politics in the constitution.

Iron Men Combine.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 13.—The national associations of black sheet iron and galvanized iron manufacturers met here Tuesday, and consolidated. Overtures have also been made to the national association of tin-plate manufacturers, and they will come into the combination at the next meeting.

Whisky Trust Still on Deck.

BOSTON, April 13.—Liquor dealers in this city say that the Whisky trust is still doing business in this state, in spite of the recent indictments. The rebate checks are still being sent out, they say, and there seems to be no disposition to stop that part of the operations.

Demonstration in Rio Janeiro.

RIO JANEIRO, Brazil, April 13.—This city Tuesday was in a state of siege. A number of prominent military and naval officers have been placed under arrest for having participated in a great public manifestation in favor of ex-President Fonseca. The prisoners will be tried by a council of war.

Shot His Brother.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 13.—At Meadow Linn, ten miles from this city, Jack Roberts emptied the contents of a double-barrelled shotgun into his brother Claude's breast, killing him instantly. The victim was 16 years of age. His brother is 18.

Regulating Banking Institutions.

PHILADELPHIA, April 13.—State Superintendent of Banks Krumpholtz yesterday notified half a dozen financial institutions of Philadelphia that they must make good improvements in their capital.