

OUR DAILY MAIL

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Correspondents will please send Letters so as to reach us not later than 9 o'clock a. m. Give facts in as few words as possible. We want news in this department, and not advertising notices or political arguments.

OUR AGENTS.
The following are authorized Agents for THE PUBLIC LEDGER in their respective localities:
Morehead—Matthew Hoffman.
Helen—Robert B. Cord.
Morgan—Frank W. Hayes.
Sardinia—B. G. Grigsby.
Orangeburg—C. R. Ross.
Springdale—C. C. Dogman.
Kingslick—Charles Wheeler.
Fayetteville—Mrs. Jennie Stewart.
Mt. Carmel—K. Kelly & Foxworthy.
Ansonia—Leander Tully.
Freed—Joseph W. Williams.
Blair Springs—J. H. Hunter.
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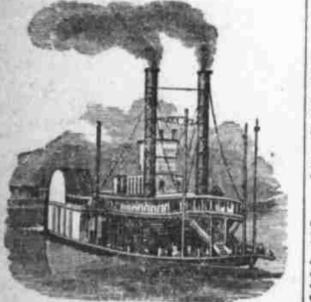
KENTUCKY WEATHER REPORT.
What We May Expect Between This Time and To-Morrow Evening.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.
White streamer—Fair; Blue—Rain or Snow; With Black above it will be a heavy snow. If Black's beneath—Colder will be. Unless Black's shown—no change will be seen.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 5 o'clock to-morrow evening.

STEAMBOAT MATTERS.
WHAT IS GOING ON ALONG THE BEAUTIFUL OHIO RIVER.

Driftwood Gathered on Shore and Stream by The Ledger's Weather-Beaten Old Tar and Piled Up Ready For Use.



The Congo up to-night for Pittsburgh. The M. P. Wells is doing a good business. The recent heavy fogs have proven a great disadvantage to the steamers. Up last night: Iron Queen for Pittsburgh and City of Madison for Pomeroy. The river is falling at Pittsburgh, and it is not probable that the boats now on their way will be able to reach the mines until another rise comes.

A LARGE ring pole is being placed at the foot of Market street to which to tie the wharfbarge during high water.

The Victoria Railroad bridge over the St. Lawrence river at Montreal is two miles in length. It cost about \$5,000,000, and contains 10,500 tons of iron and 3,000,000 cubic feet of masonry.

BRICK MASON'S International Union No. 9 elected the following officers last night for the ensuing term:
President—George M. Clinger.
Vice-President—J. K. Edgington.
Treasurer—C. W. Holliday.
Financial Secretary—John V. Day.
Corresponding Secretary—U. G. Bailey.
Recording Secretary—J. W. Clinger.
Doorkeeper—James Evans.
Trustees—George M. Clinger, John V. Day, U. G. Bailey.

Too Much of a Risk.
It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrh or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup, and can always be depended upon. For sale by Power & Reynolds, Drug-gists.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE.

TRY YOUR HAND AT GUESSING—GOLD GIVEN AWAY.

Who Will be the Next Marshal, Collector and Treasurer and Assessor?—The Ledger's Scheme for Your Amusement.

In order that the readers of THE LEDGER may have some diversion with which to occupy their minds, and desiring at the same time to attract public attention to our new paper, we have concluded to propose a guessing contest, and hope that our subscribers and readers may become interested in our effort to afford amusement.

Public interest during the next few weeks will be more centralized in the ensuing city election than in any other local matter, and we have, therefore, selected that as the basis of our guessing contest.

We have selected as the races to be guessed upon, those three: City Marshal, Collector and Treasurer, and Assessor, for the reason that they seem to be the most complicated, and more interest will probably be manifested in them, as there are three or more candidates for each office. The outcome in these contests will be harder to anticipate, and, therefore, our scheme will prove the more interesting.

For the office of City Marshal there are six candidates announced, as follows: M. E. McKellup, E. W. Fitzgerald, John W. Alexander, John V. Day, James Redmond and W. B. Dawson.

For Collector and Treasurer there are three contestants: R. A. Cochran, Jr., James W. Fitzgerald and Horatio Ficklin.

Also three for Assessor: Charles D. Shepard, Fred W. Bauer and John Walsh. There are 1,422 votes registered.

We propose to give in prizes \$17 50 in gold, as follows:
The first prize of \$10 in gold will be given to the first person who names the winner in each contest and also guesses nearest to the exact number of votes received by each.

A second prize of \$5 in gold will be given to the person making the next best guess.
A third prize of \$2 50 in gold will be given to the person making the third best guess.

In making guesses the following rules must be observed:
First—All guesses must be made out on the following form cut from THE LEDGER and forwarded by mail or handed in person to this office.

Second—Guesses must be made in each of the three contests in order to receive consideration.

Third—Your name and Postoffice address must be signed at the bottom of your guess.

Fourth—Be sure and fill out the date.

In awarding the second and third prizes no account of the time they are received will be taken into consideration. These prizes will be given to those entitled to them by reason of their guesses, no matter at what time said guesses are received.

All guesses must be made so that they will reach this office by 5 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, December 31st, 1892.

Any one, man, woman or child, can guess. Fill out this blank as indicated and cut it out and forward by mail to PUBLIC LEDGER, Maysville, Ky., or hand in person to this office.

LEGAL NOTICE.
MASON CIRCUIT COURT.
Mary A. Rees and Henry A. Rees. On petition ex parte. Notice is hereby given that Mary A. Rees and Henry A. Rees, her husband, filed in the Clerk's Office of the Mason Circuit Court on the 29th day of November, 1892, a petition praying for an order of said court empowering her, said Mary A. Rees, to make contracts, to sue and be sued as a single woman and to trade in her own name as a feme sole. Witness Ben D. Parry, Clerk of said court, this 29th day of November, 1892.
BEN D. PARRY, C. M. C. C.
G. W. ADAIR, Attorney.

AN ORDINANCE
Ordering an Election to be Held on Monday, January 24, 1893.

It is ordained by the Board of Councilmen of the City of Maysville, Ky., that an election be held on Monday, January 24, 1893, for the election of a Mayor, City Clerk, Collector and Treasurer, Marshal, Assessor, Wood and Coal Inspector, Wharfmaster and six Councilmen, one from each ward.
It is further ordained, That polls be open in said city for said election, that polls be open and close at 6 o'clock p. m. at the following places on said day, giving the inspectors one hour for dinner; and the following persons are appointed inspectors for said election:
First Ward—Jacob Outten's shop; John McCarty, Joseph Lowry and John W. Thompson.
Second Ward—J. S. Redmond's cigar store; C. L. Salles, James Delanty and W. N. Howe.
Third Ward—D. Fitzgerald's shop; P. J. Murphy, D. C. Frasse and John Zech.
Fourth Ward—S. R. Powell's shop; W. A. Cole, C. H. Nicholson and Samuel Craigbaum.
Fifth Ward—Conrad's store; John G. Payne, George W. Cook and Thomas W. Brown.
Sixth Ward—Haben Hunt's residence; G. M. Clinger, Fred Lawrence and L. J. Harding.
Said elections are directed to hold said election and make due return therefor, according to law.
WILLIAM H. COX, President.
MARTIN A. O'HARE, City Clerk.

FREE ADVERTISING.

No Charge! Advertisements under the heading of "Help Wanted," "Lost," "Found," &c., of an acceptable nature, and not to exceed three lines, on this page, are FREE to all.
No Business Advertisements inserted without pay.
If answers fail to come the first time, we invite as many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you advertise for. We wish the advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns.
Advertisements can be left at our office or sent through the mail to
THE PUBLIC LEDGER COMPANY,
No. 10 E. Third Street.

WANTED.
WANTED—A boy about 12 years old. Apply to ISAAC WATKINS, Market street.

WANTED—Carpenters for each precinct in Mason county. Liberal terms. Inclose stamp. AGENT ROCKER WASHNER COMPANY, Dover, Ky.

WANTED—By an experienced seamstress family sewing to take home or would go out by the day. Inquire at this office or address Box 522 City P. O.

WANTED—Ladies to know that Miss Eva DeAtley is carrying on a Dressmaking establishment in the Sixth Ward, and would like to have them call.

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Double-barrel Breech-loading Shotgun cheap. Apply to DUKE HILL.

FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Small Cottage on East Grant street. Apply to Mrs. W. L. DAVIDSON.

FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Modern Cottage on Commerce street, Fifth Ward. For terms, &c., apply at Adams' Express Office.

LOST.
LOST—A pair of steel-rimmed Spectacles. Finder please leave at this office.

LOST—An O. R. T. Pin between C. and O. Depot L and J. Hamilton's residence in the Fifth Ward. Finder will please leave at 312 E. Second street.

LOST—Between Front and Fourth streets, a Card Case containing \$9 bill. Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—A red Mitten, on Second street, at the crossing leading from Traxel's. Please return to this office.

LOST—A Mason County Building Association Book. Please return to HENRY BASCOM, colored, or M. C. Russell.

Washington Opera-House.
EDMISTON & KINNEGAN, Mgrs.

NEXT ATTRACTION.

PERILS OF NEW YORK.

M. C. RUSSELL & SON
Are now in their New Storehouse,
1, 3, 5 East Third and 232 and 234 Market St.
Low Prices. Call and see them.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1892.

I PREDICT THAT
WILL BE ELECTED MARSHAL.
Receiving votes.

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Jewelry

BALLENGER

Diamonds Silverware

THOMAS J. CHENOWETH,

DRUGGIST.

MAYSVILLE. KENTUCKY.

Bargains

As the season advances our desire to reduce stock influences us to offer bargains in all departments. We have several special drives in Dress Goods; note them: 40-inch all-wool Serge, in Black, Navy and other desirable shades, at 50c., reduced from 60c.; 46-inch Serge, all colors, reduced from 90c. to 75c. per yard; twenty-five dozen Ladies' Fast Black Fleece-lined Hose, worth 35c., at 25c. per pair; twenty-five dozen Cashmere all-wool Hose, worth 35c., at 25c.; the finest line of Ladies' Ribbed Vests and Pants at 50c. in the city. Also these goods in extra large sizes. Five thousand yards of Merrimac, Turkey Red and Purple Prints, in lengths from two to seven yards, at 5c. per yard.

CLOAKS!

We have just received an invoice of one hundred Cloaks, in Plain Black, Tan and Grey, at \$7 50, \$10, \$12 50 and \$15. These are the best bargains we have shown in Cloaks this season.

DIAMONDS,

WATCHES,

JEWELRY.

Repairing of all kinds

P. J. MURPHY,

SUCCESSOR TO HOPPER & MURPHY.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.
We are authorized to announce HARRY HAULMAN as a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing January election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.
We are authorized to announce M. E. McKellup as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing January election.

FOR COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.
We are authorized to announce E. W. Fitzgerald as a candidate for Collector and Treasurer at the ensuing January election.

FOR ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce JOHN W. ALEXANDER as a candidate for City Assessor at the ensuing January election.

FOR CITY CLERK.
We are authorized to announce JOHN V. DAY as a candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing January election.

FOR ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce JAMES REDMOND as a candidate for City Assessor at the ensuing January election.

FOR CITY CLERK.
We are authorized to announce HARRY C. McDougle as a candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing January election.

FOR ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce MARTIN A. O'HARE as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Clerk at the ensuing city election.

FOR ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce CHARLES D. SHEPARD as a candidate for City Assessor at the ensuing city election.

FOR ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce F. W. Bauer as a candidate for City Assessor at the ensuing city election.

FOR ASSESSOR.
We are authorized to announce JOHN WALSH as a candidate for Assessor at the ensuing January election.

FOR COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.
We are authorized to announce HORATIO FICKLIN for Collector and Treasurer at the ensuing city election.

FOR COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.
We are authorized to announce JAMES W. Fitzgerald as a candidate for Collector and Treasurer at the ensuing city election.

FOR WHARFMASTER.
We are authorized to announce C. M. PHISTON as a candidate for re-election as Wharfmaster at the January election, 1893.

CITY WEAVER.
We are authorized to announce WILLIAM DAVIS as a candidate for City Weaver at the ensuing January election.

FOR COUNCILMAN.
Third Ward.
We are authorized to announce C. C. HOPPER as a candidate for Councilman from the Third Ward.

Fourth Ward.
We are authorized to announce JOHN T. MARTIN as a candidate for Councilman from the Fourth Ward.

Fifth Ward.
We are authorized to announce C. W. WARDLE as a candidate for Councilman from the Fifth Ward.

SHERMAN HOUSE,

Front and Main Streets,
Col. WILLIAM ORT, CONCORD, KY.
Proprietor.

NEWLY FURNISHED: EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS.

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AND CEMETERY WORK,
In Granite and Marble.
M. R. GILMORE,
126 W. Second Street, MAYSVILLE, KY.
227 Preston Building West, Sidewalk, &c., at satisfactory prices.

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BRICK MASONS AND CONTRACTORS!
Estimates made on all classes of Work.
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RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

CINCINNATI DIVISION CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.
No. 1. 7:45 a. m.
No. 2. 1:30 p. m.
No. 3. 4:30 p. m.
No. 4. 8:30 p. m.
Add twenty-six minutes to get city time.
Nos. 19 and 20 are the Maysville accommodations, and Nos. 17 and 18 the Huntington accommodations. Nos. 1 and 3 are the fast express and Nos. 2 and 4 the F. F. V.
No. 4 (F. F. V.) is a solid train with through of dining car and Pullman sleeping to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. Through Pullman sleeper to Richmond, Va., and Old Point Comfort. No. 2 is a solid train with Pullman sleeper to Washington, making all Eastern and Southeastern connections.
The accommodation trains are daily except Sunday; the rest are daily.
Direct connection at Cincinnati for points West and South.

MAYSVILLE DIVISION.

Southbound.
Leave Maysville at 5:30 a. m. for Paris, Lexington, Cincinnati, Richmond, Stanford, Lexington, Jellico, Middleborough, Cumberland Gap, Frankfort, Louisville and points on N. and M. V., Eastern Division.
Leave Maysville at 4:45 p. m. for Paris, Cincinnati, Lexington, Winchester, Richmond and points on N. and M. V., Eastern Division.

Northbound.
Arrive at Maysville at 10:00 a. m. and 5:45 p. m.
All trains daily except Sunday.
Add twenty-six minutes to get city time.

O & M

DIRECT ROUTE WEST
The Ohio and Mississippi Railway
In the short line between Cincinnati and St. Louis, and its trains run through solid to St. Louis. No transferring of baggage or passengers who travel sleeping to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. Less than ten hours is our time to St. Louis, where our trains make connection in the Union Depot with trains of all lines for the West, South and North.
The Ohio and Mississippi Railway is the direct and fast line to Louisville.
The Ohio and Mississippi Railway gives special attention to citizens going West, either single or in parties. Our agents are prepared at all times to furnish information as to rates and routes to points West, and when passengers are ready to start will secure their tickets at lowest rates and attend to checking baggage through to destination.
For tickets visit O. and M. Railway and further information call on agents of connecting lines or address
C. W. PARIS,
Central Passenger Agent O. and M. Railway, 48 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, O.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

—ADOPTED BY—
THE PUBLIC LEDGER CO.
OF MAYSVILLE, KY.

ART. 1. Be it known that William H. Cox, Thomas A. Davis, W. H. Wadsworth, Jr., Samuel T. Hickman, A. M. J. Cochran, M. C. Russell, George L. Cox and Allen A. Edmonds, have this day associated themselves together and become incorporated under and by virtue of Chapter 56 of the General Statutes of the State of Kentucky as The Public Ledger Company and by that name shall continue in existence and be contracted with, and shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, with power to alter same at pleasure.

ART. 2. The capital stock of said Corporation shall be \$5,000, divided into shares of \$10 each, and the same shall be transferable by written assignment on the certificate, and when transferred to the Company and canceled, and new ones issued in lieu thereof.

ART. 3. This Corporation is organized for the purpose of publishing a newspaper in the city of Maysville, and distributing the same throughout the state of Kentucky, and for the carrying on of a general newspaper business in said city and state.

ART. 4. The principal place of business of said Corporation shall be at Maysville, Ky. The capital stock of said Corporation shall be increased at a meeting of the stockholders (those holding a majority of the stock assenting thereto) to any sum not exceeding \$10,000. This Corporation may organize and issue 300 shares of its stock is subscribed. Stock may be paid for in money or equivalent at an agreed contract price, and any stock not subscribed for may be paid from time to time as the Directors may direct and authorize, and the certificates of stock shall be signed by the President and Secretary, and the corporate seal shall be affixed to same.

ART. 5. The Corporation shall be managed by a Directory of five persons who shall be elected annually at the Company's office in Maysville, Ky., on the 1st Monday in March of each year. If, for any reason, there should not be an election held at the time fixed, the Directors in office shall continue as such until their successors are elected and qualified.

ART. 6. The Directors shall choose from their number a President and Vice-President, and from said number of the stockholders a Secretary and Treasurer, or, if they see fit, they may combine these two offices into one. They shall elect an Editor, and may elect an Assistant to the Editor, both of whose duties and tenure of office they may fix and prescribe by by-laws of the Company, which by-laws a majority of the Directors may adopt for the management of the Company's business.

ART. 7. The Company shall not incur an indebtedness exceeding, in the aggregate, at any one time, a sum equal to one-half of the capital stock paid in.

ART. 8. The private property of the stockholders of this Company shall be exempt from all debts or liabilities of the Corporation.

ART. 9. The Corporation shall begin when it shall have organized, as provided for herein, and shall continue as long as may be necessary, according to law.
In witness whereof, the said incorporators have hereunto set their hands this 10th day of March, 1892.
WILLIAM H. COX, T. A. DAVIS, S. T. HICKMAN, G. L. COX, A. M. J. COCHRAN, M. C. RUSSELL, W. H. WADSWORTH, JR., GEO. L. COX, ALLEN A. EDMONDS.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,)
Mason County,)
I, T. M. Pearce, Clerk of the County Court for the county and state aforesaid, do certify that the foregoing Article of Incorporation of The Public Ledger Co. was on March 10, 1892, produced to me in said county, and acknowledged by said Thomas A. Davis, William H. Cox, W. H. Wadsworth, Jr., S. T. Hickman, M. C. Russell, George L. Cox and Allen A. Edmonds each to be their act and deed, and on March 14, 1892, the same was again reproduced to me and acknowledged by A. M. J. Cochran to be his act and deed, and for record, whereupon the same, together with this certificate, hath been duly recorded in my office. Given under my hand this 14th day of March, 1892.
T. M. PEARCE, Clerk.

There is nothing more dangerous, and nothing more certain to bring on disease than impure water; and while
The CHOLERA
is at our very door you can prevent it from this source effectually and permanently if you use a
Pasteur
Filter!
It is germ proof. For sale by
S. B. OLDHAM, Sole Agent.

C. W. WARDLE,
DENTIST
Swiggart's Block, Second and Station Streets.
When having Teeth Extracted take Care. Attractive Facilities and Safe.