

Dance and Concert—Hauke's Band and Cornet Band at Neptune Hall.

Hauke's Band will give a Concert and Dance at Neptune Hall, beginning Tuesday night, December 24th, and continuing the rest of the week. Good order and a good time assured. Admission 10 cents—ladies free. Come and enjoy yourself.

See Nelson's line of Hats and Gloves.

Go to Henry Lins for the best Fruit Cakes, Candies and Nuts.

Baltimore is making arrangements for a centennial exposition in 1897. The Federal Government will be asked to subscribe \$1,000,000.

The Frankfort Capital, the Democratic state organ, says "Kentucky has had a Republican Governor for a whole week, but no one ever saw the December sun shine brighter than it did yesterday."

The smallest verdict ever received for in the Common Pleas Court at Cambridge, Pa., has been placed on the books in the case of Julia Meighen against John Campbell for damages for alleged assault. The jury gave her one cent and each party was to pay costs. When the defendant settled the judgment he paid two cents, allowing the extra cent for interest.

In 1875 James Wilson of Aberdeen got into trouble and conveyed all of his property to his wife and skipped out. Nothing was heard from him, and in the course of years his wife took it for granted that he was dead and sold her property the same as a widow might have done. After an absence of twenty years Wilson suddenly reappeared at his old home, and is now prosecuting a suit at Georgetown to recover the property sold by his wife, or at least his dower interest in the same, as he did not join in her deeds.

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Governor Bradley denies that he is a candidate for United States Senator.

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Governor Bradley has no sympathy with crap shooters, and turned down a petition asking pardon for a Paducah offender.

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Mrs. Ed. H. Nesbitt and Master Hugh of this city and Mrs. Dr. J. T. Sirode of Lexington have returned from Atlanta with pleasant memories of the great Fair. While there they were guests of Mrs. John Miller, formerly of this city, and had the best of attention with Mr. Miller's livery team at command.

Mr. William J. Anderson, well known in this county, died in St. Louis Monday very suddenly and was buried at Louisville, his former home, Wednesday. During the war he was a successful business man in the latter city, where he amassed large wealth, but lost it in gold speculation in New York City. His wife was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Seabrooke Forman of Louisville, formerly of this county. Colonel James B. Forman, killed at the battle of Stone River, was his wife's brother. Mr. Anderson had for many years made his home in St. Louis, where he was much esteemed. He was 65 years of age.



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Nice line of Umbrellas for Xmas, at Nelson's.

Miss Gene Millam cleared nearly \$300 on the recent production of the "Deerstrick Skule" at the Opera house, for which she thanks our generous citizens.

The Covington Commonwealth, one of the oldest Democratic papers in this part of the state, was sold at auction Wednesday. Hon. Harvey Myers became the purchaser at his bid of \$4,000.

The Aberdeen Journal says President Cleveland has "electrofied" the country by his stand in the Venezuelan controversy. That's too bad; but better, probably, than if he had "electrocuted" it.

It is stated that Speaker Reed does not approve of the scheme to appropriate large sums of money for Public Buildings, and that he will only appoint members of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds who will practice economy.

The Bluegrass Blade hails now from Cincinnati, because Editor Moore says he wants the large number of issues to support him. The last paper has no special pointers, Moore saying: "As between the Gospel-singer and the gin-slinger, I would not give a damn for the difference."

"Skinny" Kelly, ringleader of the pickpockets who flooded the big crowd at Frankfort inauguration day, was given his examining trial and held in \$1,000 bond. Kelly is believed to be the man who engaged Governor Bradley in a wroth conversation, and was promptly knocked down by the brawny new Executive.



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