

OUR WATER BOX

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SPRINGDALE SPLINTERS.
A Writer Who Heeds to the Line, Regardless Where the Chips Fall.

Mrs. F. M. Martin of Fleming county is visiting at Maysville.

William Garrett, reported ill with pneumonia, died Thursday night.

TIMELY TEMPERANCE TOPICS.
Some Hot Shots Fired Into the Ranks of the Liquorites By an Apt Gunner.

Whisky is the devil's main hold. The liquor maker is the devil's right arm. The rum seller is the devil's dependence.

There's just as much likelihood that the devil will become a Christian as that the man who continues to sell whisky shall round up into a saint.

When Satan gives over luring men to destruction and perdition then it will be time to acknowledge that men who are engaged in the hellish traffic of whisky in any way stand any show for a mansion in heaven.

The man who makes or sells liquor and poses as a Christian hallow "good devil" seven times to where he hallow "good Lord" once.

What presumption for a man to preach righteousness to who has, perhaps, a family of brothers behind him manufacturing the fire of hell—whisky.

If a man will make or sell liquor give us the old-fashioned kind that makes no pretensions to holiness, or righteousness, or sanctification, or sinlessness in any form, shape or description.

Of all the miserable hypocrites this side of perdition that man is the greatest who dabbles in whisky all the week and then, with a sanctimonious face, occupies a seat in God's house on Sunday.

THE DEVIL ON THE RUN.

HUSTONVILLE, KY., March 18th.
Dear Ledger: My love for my home town compels me to sound this alarm.

Rev. Martin Luther, Pastor of the Seventh Street Presbyterian Church, Chicago, Ill., just closed a nineteen days meeting here in the town of Hustonville.

The like was never known in this community—overflow meetings every night. Twenty were added to the Presbyterian Church and ten to the Christian Church; and others yet will come to Christ.

Yet the wave is still on. Fifteen young men have organized a band of Christian workers under the name of Martin Luther Christian Workers. Finally this will result in a Y. M. C. A.

The young ladies have also a band numbering twenty five. The C. E. Society has increased from six to thirty-seven.

DEMOCRACY!

What Led Up to Recent Events at the State Capital.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY RIGHT!

The Action of Judge Hazelrigg is Most Severely Censured.

MUCH FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Louisville Post, (Democratic).
THE MOB IN KENTUCKY.

There is no greater disgrace to the state than the frequent outbreaks of mob violence and the general prevalence of the spirit that tolerates the mob.

Where laws are just and where they are enforced rigidly and promptly there is rarely an appeal to the mob; the public await with calm assurance the execution of the law.

But where the public has learned to distrust law, where it has seen one criminal, after another cleared upon a mere pretext, or where it has known some aggravated crime to go unpunished month after month, and year after year, there is nothing more natural than for public indignation, at some murder or other violence, to find expression in a mob and satisfaction in the decrees of Judge Lynch.

The result of this action and reaction on the public mind has been a growing disregard of the law in all of its relations, the tolerance of violence, and reliance on individual prowess for self-protection.

It was this spirit that countenanced the outrages in Frankfort during the whole of the late session of the Legislature. It is a spirit utterly at war with organized society, and in this case utterly destructive of representative Government.

At the Capital violent men were gathered, proposing to prevent the representatives of the people formally expressing the will of the people. It seemed at one time as though there was but one escape from the intolerable condition of affairs existing at Frankfort, and that was a collision between the aggressors on the one side and the members of the Legislature on the other, who found that self-control and forbearance simply inflamed their opponents.

For a month no careful observer would have been surprised at an outbreak in which a half dozen men would have lost their lives. A score of men at Frankfort during that period would testify that this condition largely prevailed. It was this condition of affairs that justified the Governor in his course; a course which brought peace, restrained those intent on violence and secured the representatives of the people absolute freedom of action.

It was this turbulent condition of affairs which made the course of Judge Hazelrigg so astounding. A Judge on the highest bench of the state for weeks had remained silent in the face of threatened violence, who yet, when the action of the Governor had made violence impossible, had attended a mass meeting and denounced in extravagant terms the Chief Magistrate of the state.

How is it possible to maintain law throughout the commonwealth when men, clothed with such dignity and power as fall upon the Judge of the Court of Appeals, countenance such acts of violence? Judge Hazelrigg and all Judges on the bench know that the danger in Kentucky is not from the militia, but from the mob. The records of every Court will show that society in Kentucky is menaced by violence, and not by power.

Nothing in the whole ten weeks at Frankfort will now, or can hereafter, seem so astounding as that a Judge on the highest bench should take the position taken by Judge Hazelrigg on Monday, or that all of the Judges, acting jointly as the Court of the highest appeal, should manifest a fear of interruption to their deliberations because citizen soldiers, under the order of the Chief Magistrate, were maintaining order in the Statehouse.

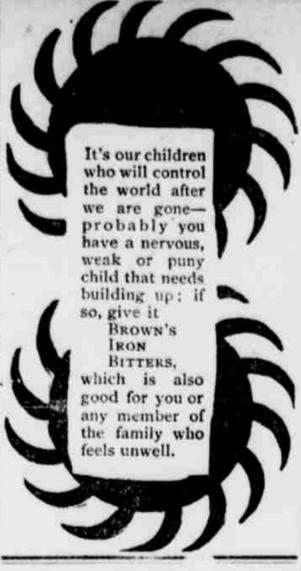
Dandruff forms when the glands of the skin are weakened, and if neglected, baldness is sure to follow. Hall's Hair Renewer is the best preventive.

Don't miss the National entertainment at the Opera-house Tuesday March 24th, for the benefit of the poor and the sick in Maysville.

Beginning at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and continuing till nearly dark, 100 colored converts were baptised in the old Workhouse pond at Lexington.

Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHERRY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75 cents.



It's our children who will control the world after we are gone—probably you have a nervous, weak or puny child that needs building up; if so, give it BROWN'S IRON BITTERS, which is also good for you or any member of the family who feels unwell.

Send your next order for Printing to THE LEDGER office. We do work cheap, but not cheap work.

Leave orders with James N. Lynch for The Cincinnati Post, the best afternoon daily in the Ohio Valley.

A huge electric fountain is to be the feature of a big dry goods house now approaching completion in the shopping district of New York.

The advertising columns of THE LEDGER speak for themselves. They show that people who know how to advertise know also where to advertise.

Mrs. L. V. Davis has returned from New York, and as usual she has all the correct styles in Millinery which she will display on Thursday and Friday, April 2d and 3d.

In England and Wales the number of voters is 2,862,947 in the counties, 2,159,024 in the boroughs and 16,847 in the universities. The total number of voters in the United Kingdom is 6,415,469, out of a population of 39,118,000.

A Bangor Taxidermist is mounting a 29-pound toad, the biggest fish ever caught in Moosehead Lake. It measures 3 feet 4 inches in length, and is a beauty in form and color. This is probably the biggest specimen of the trout family ever hooked in the state.

President Harris of the Reading Railroad estimates that the original contents of the anthracite coal fields amounted to about 14,453,400,000 tons, of which 82 1/2 per cent. remains to be worked. We can have coal at the rate of 60,000,000 tons a year for 100 years to come, he says.

The Wisconsin staff officers of the Salvation Army, numbering over 100, will meet in Sheboygan March 26th to discuss the question whether the army in that state will remain loyal to the old organization or go over to Ballington Booth's new society, God's American Volunteers.

There are only two survivors in France of Napoleon's Grand Army, and one of them, M. Bailloid, was recently decorated by President Faure with the Cross of the Legion of Honor. Bailloid is 103 years old and still reasonably active, though after Waterloo he was discharged from the army as a consumptive.

An anti-squirrel convention is to be held in Spokane, Wash., on May 15th which will be attended by delegates from all county boards in Eastern Washington. The purpose of the convention is to make united and determined efforts to exterminate the ground squirrels, which annually destroy grain and other crops in that region to the value of several hundred thousand dollars.

Call and see Cleveland No. 22 High Art Wheel. J. T. Kackley & Co. agents for the two C's.—Cleveland and Crescent.

In 1851 the Maine Prohibition Law was enacted, says The Bath Times. In 1884 it was made a part of the constitution. After forty five years of prohibition in Statute Law, and twelve years of prohibition in Constitutional Law, there are 400 saloons where liquor is sold for other than medicinal purposes in the city of Portland.

Although a very busy man, Dr. E. V. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., has found time in which to write a great book of over a thousand pages entitled, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in Plain English, or Medicine Simplified. Few books printed in the English language have reached so great a sale as has this popular work, over 600,000 copies having been sold at \$1.50 each. The profits on this enormous sale having repaid its author for the great amount of labor and money expended on its production he has now decided to give away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this valuable book, the recipient only being required to mail to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., of which company he is President, twenty-one (21) one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent post-paid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. It contains 1008 large pages, and over 300 illustrations, some of them in colors. The Free Edition is precisely the same as that sold at \$1.50 except only that the books are bound in strong manilla paper covers, instead of cloth. It is not often that our readers have an opportunity to obtain a valuable book on such generous terms, and we predict that few will miss availing themselves of the unusual and liberal offer to which we have called their attention.

Two hundred and fifty indictments have been found in Danville, Ind., against druggists for violating the law prohibiting the sale of liquor.

There is great activity in railroad car building this year. So far 12,500 cars have been built and most of the builders have large orders on hand.

A cow owned by a Middletown, Conn., man gave birth the other night to three calves. The calves are strong and healthy and will probably live.

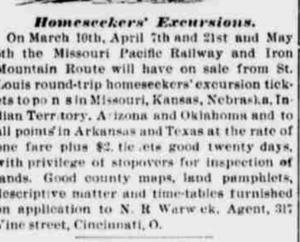
It is said that the new bonnet which Mrs. Ballington Booth has designed for the fair "American Volunteers" will make the girls look much prettier than did the poke bonnets of the Salvation Army.

A French engineer has conceived the interesting idea of reproducing the house in which Napoleon lived at St. Helena as an attraction during the Paris Exposition in 1900. The house will be an exact copy of the original, with panoramic canvases representing the natural surroundings.

All last winter Mr. George A. Mills of Lebanon, Conn., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. At times it was so severe that he could not stand up straight, but was drawn over on one side. "I tried different remedies without receiving relief," he says, "until about six months ago I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. After using it for three days my rheumatism was gone and has not returned since." For sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

RIDING ON THE RAIL!

What the Great Steel Highways Offer to Travelers.



Home-seekers' Excursions.
On March 10th, April 7th and 21st and May 5th the Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route will have on sale from St. Louis round-trip home-seekers' excursion tickets to go to a Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Indian Territory, Arizona and Oklahoma and to all points in Arkansas and Texas at the rate of one fare plus \$2. The rate good twenty days, with privilege of stopovers for inspection of lands. Good county maps, land pamphlets, descriptive matter and time-tables furnished on application to N. R. Warwick, Agent, 317 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

Through Cars to California via "The True Southern Route."
The Iron Mountain Route, in connection with the Texas and Pacific and Southern Pacific Railways, offers to tourists and home-seekers a complete trip to California the following features: From St. Louis daily Pullman Palace Buffet Sleeping-cars to Los Angeles and other California points without change, and every Wednesday and Thursday evenings Pullman Tourist Sleeping-cars to Los Angeles and other California points. The tourist cars used on these weekly excursions are modern and built especially for California travel. The excursions are personally conducted, and the object is to enable those who do not wish to purchase first-class tickets the privilege of sleeping-car accommodations and no change of cars. No high altitudes and free from ice and snow, forming an ideal winter way to the land of sunshine, fruit and flowers. Via this route the dangers of snow blockades and delays are obviated. For maps, time-tables and full particulars address N. R. Warwick, Agent, 317 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

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IN A HOUSE WITH OUR
Wire Screens!
SPECIALTY:
SCREENING HOUSES TO ORDER.
We Pay Freight—Write for Catalogue.
Largest Factories in the World.
—THE E. B. BUKHOVEN CO.—
PORTLAND, ME.
OFFICES IN ALL LARGE CITIES.

No Charge! Advertisements under the heading of "Help Wanted," "Situations Wanted," "Lost," "Found," etc., of an acceptable nature, and not to exceed three lines, on this page, are FREE to all.

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WANTED—To lend, on improved real estate \$1,000 for seven years, at guaranteed net cost only \$50, and other sums in proportion, on easy terms.
A. E. COLE & SONS.

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Poland China Hogs. Eligible to record, size 150 to 200 pounds. Call on or address WILLIAM O. SLDWELL, Tuckahoe, Ky. mail d2w2

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—One of the finest and best paying businesses in the city. For information apply at this office.

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Guaranteed 8 per cent, and 10 per cent, bonds. Coupons payable semi-annually.
A. E. COLE & SONS.

FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—Two dwellings of five rooms each on Fourth street, near Market. ROBERT PICKLIN.

LOST.
LOST—Wednesday evening about 10 o'clock on an electric car on Lexington street or Forest avenue, a small purse containing about \$7. Return to Mrs. M. F. MAZIE, 423 Forest avenue, and receive liberal reward.
J. H. L.

THE OLDEST AND THE BEST

Cough-cure, the most prompt and effective remedy for diseases of the throat and lungs, is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. As an emergency medicine, for the cure of Croup, Sore Throat, Lung Fever and Whooping Cough,



AYER'S

Cherry Pectoral cannot be equalled. E. M. BRAWLEY, D. D., Dis. Sec. of the American Baptist Publishing Society, Petersburg, Va., endorses it, as a cure for violent colds, bronchitis, etc. Dr. Brawley also adds: "To all ministers suffering from throat troubles, I recommend

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral

Awarded Medal at World's Fair. AYER'S PILLS Cure Liver and Stomach Troubles.

Whole Wheat Flour

Those who want good, wholesome, nutritious bread should try a sack or barrel of HUNTER & IRVINE'S "STRAIGHT" WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR!

This Flour is made by the latest system known to milling—the Swing Sifter and Full Roller Process—from selected and twice scoured wheat, and retains all the properties of the wheat berry. Try one sack and you will want another. As your grocer for it, and if he has not got it we can furnish him on short notice. Put up in one-sixteenth, one-eighth and one-fourth barrel sacks and in cooperage.

We can also furnish to the Trade Meal, Hominy, Bran, Middlings and Crushed Corn. Genus, raking Flour, made on millstones, in 15-pound sacks. HUNTER & IRVINE, Washington Mill, Mason county, Ky.

FOR SALE!

VALUABLE HOTEL PROPERTY. THE Hill House!

PROPERTY, ON THE CORNER OF FRONT AND SUTTON STREETS, IN MAYSVILLE, KY., IS FOR SALE.

It has a frontage of eighty-eight feet on Front street and one hundred and forty-five feet on Sutton street, which is a splendid location for a hotel. The house contains over fifty well lighted and ventilated rooms, and can be put in good condition for a comparatively small sum. Maysville needs a hotel more than anything else, and now is the best chance that will ever be offered to get one. If not sold privately sooner, will be offered publicly, to the highest bidder, on

Wednesday, April 22d, 1896.

For further information apply to the undersigned.
E. R. LOVELL, Executor Mrs. E. A. Hill, deceased.

Washington Opera-House!
WASHINGTON FIRE COMPANY, Proprietors.

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BEST LINE TO AND FROM CHICAGO.

Solid Vestibule Trains with Buffet Parlor Cars, elegant Coaches, Dining Cars, Wagner Sleeping Cars and latest improved Private Compartment Buffet Sleeping Cars, magnificently furnished with toilet accessories in each compartment. Best terminal station.

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Solid Vestibule Trains with Buffet Parlor Cars, Coaches and Dining Cars and Wagner Buffet Sleeping Cars, entering St. Louis over the new Merchants' Bridge, avoiding the disagreeable tunnel.

BOSTON.
The only through Sleeping Car line from Cincinnati. Elegant Wagner Sleeping Cars.

NEW YORK.
The "Southwestern Limited" Solid Vestibule Trains, with Combination Library, Buffet and Smoking Cars, Wagner Sleeping Cars, Elegant Coaches and Dining Cars, landing passengers in New York City at Forty-second Street Depot. Positively no ferry transfer. Be sure your tickets read via "Big Four." D. B. Martin, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, E. O. McCormick, Passenger Traffic Manager, Cincinnati, O.

LOUIS H. LANDMAN, M. D. OPTICIAN. No. 411 West Ninth street, Cincinnati, O., will be at the Central Hotel, Maysville, Ky., on Thursday, April 2d, returning every first Thursday in each month. Glasses adjusted to all persons of defective vision at popular prices.

CITY DIRECTORY

OFFICIALS.
Mayor.....William H. Cox
Police.....A. Wadsworth
City Clerk.....Charles K. House
Collector and Treasurer.....W. H. Fisher
Chief of Police.....Douglas J. J. J.
Assessor.....A. N. Hill
Wood and Coal Inspector.....J. Banks
Wharfmaster.....John L. Chambliss
City Prosecutor.....John L. Chambliss
City Physician.....Muel H. Hays
City Undertaker.....M. F. Goughlin
Keeper Almshouse.....Mrs. Mary Hill

WYOMING COUNCIL.
Meets First Thursday Evening in Each Month.
William H. Cox, President.

MEMBERS.
First Ward.....R. R. Frost, John Desech.
Second Ward.....C. B. Pearce, J. George H. Heiser.
Third Ward.....John C. Blatterman, John Eitel.
Fourth Ward.....H. T. Newell, T. M. N. Smith.
Fifth Ward.....G. W. Green, W. E. Shaloup.
Sixth Ward.....John C. Blatterman, John Eitel.
Seventh Ward.....F. C. Heston.
The Councilmen are elected to serve two years.

MASONIC LODGES.
Confidence Lodge No. 12—Meets first Monday night in each month.
Maysville Chapter No. 9—Meets third Monday night in each month.
Maysville Commandery No. 10—Meets fourth Monday night in each month.

ODDFELLOWS.
DeKalb Lodge No. 12—Meets every Tuesday night.
Ringold Lodge No. 27—Meets every Wednesday night.
Flagship Encampment No. 9—Meets second and fourth Mondays in every month.
Canton Maysville No. 2—Meets third Monday night in each month.
Friendship Lodge No. 42, D. of R.—Meets second and fourth Fridays in each month.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.
Limestone Lodge No. 36—Meets every Friday night.
Maysville Division No. 5 U. R.—Meets first Tuesday in every month.
J. O. T. A. M.
John V. Keech Council No. 16—Meets every Monday night.
Washington Camp No. 3—Meets every Friday night.
G. A. R.
Joseph Heiser Post No. 13—Meets first and third Saturdays in each month.
M. C. Hutchins Camp No. 2, S. of V.—Meets first and third Wednesdays of the month.
Woman's Relief Corps—Meets second and fourth Saturdays in each month.

K. O. F. M.
Maysville Lodge No. 2778—Meets first and third Tuesdays in each month.
Mason Lodge No. 6, O. E. W.—Meets second and fourth Fridays.
Maysville Lodge No. 75—Meets every Wednesday night.

S. O. T.
Fidelity Division, S. of T., meets every Monday night in G. A. R. Hall.

RENEWAL SOCIETIES.
St. Patrick's Benevolent Society—Meets every second Sunday.
Society of the B. V. M.—Meets every Sunday.
Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society—Meets first Sunday in each month.
Ancient Order of Hibernians—Meets first Monday night in each month.
Knights of St. John—Meets every Tuesday night.
German Relief Society—Meets first Monday night in each month.

COLORED SOCIETIES.
MASONIC.
Aecia Lodge No. 24, F. A. M.—Meets second Wednesday night in each month.
St. Hermon Chapter No. 8, K. A. M.—Meets second Friday in each month.
Palestine Commandery No. 4, K. T.—Meets fourth Friday in each month.
G. O. O. F.
Maysville Star Lodge No. 198—Meets second and third Friday night in each month.
Household of Ruth No. 37—Meets second Thursday night in each month.
Concho River Tabernacle No. 38—Meets first Thursday in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN.
Evans Lodge No. 9—Meets first Wednesday night in each month.
G. O. F. M.
Good Will Lodge No. 46—Meets first Saturday and third Wednesday night in each month.
Young's Temple No. 44—Meets first Monday night in each month.
G. A. R.
McKinnon Post No. 106—Meets third Saturday night in each month.
Woman's Relief Corps No. 28—Meets first Tuesday in each month.

COURT DIRECTORY.
MASON COUNTY COURT.
Meets Second Monday in Each Month.
M. C. Hutchins, Presiding Judge.....Maysville
George W. Adair, County Attorney.....Maysville
William D. Cochran, Clerk.....Maysville
J. C. Jefferson, Sheriff.....Maysville
Sam P. Ferine, Deputies.....Maysville
J. R. Robertson.....Maysville
John Johnson, Jailor.....Maysville
John D. Roe, Coroner.....Maysville
J. D. Dye, Assessor.....Maysville
G. W. Blatterman, School Sup't.....Maysville
Quarterly Court meets Tuesday after the second Monday in January, April, July and October, and has civil jurisdiction to the amount of \$200.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Hon. J. P. Harbison, Judge.....Flemingsburg
J. H. Sales, Commonwealth Atty.....Maysville
Isaac M. Woodward, Clerk.....Maysville
J. N. Kehoe, Master Commissioner.....Maysville

Courts Meet.
Mason—At Maysville first Monday in February and June and third Monday in November.
Fleming—At Flemingsburg first Monday in January, Tuesday after fourth Monday in April and third Monday in September.
Greenup—At Greenup first Monday in April, first Monday in July and first Monday in November.
Lewis—At Vanceburg third Mondays in January and May and first Monday in September.
Bracken—At Brackenville second Monday in March, first Monday in July and second Monday in October.

Mrs. J. D. Davis
Maysville, Ky.
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