



FIFTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1896.

ONE CENT.



**LARGEST IN THE CITY.**

**Purely Business!**

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

**The Continued Calls**

Upon THE LEDGER for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

**For Notices of Suppers,**

excursions, fairs, or other public entertainments where a fee is charged, and for obituary notices, resolutions of respect, &c., THE LEDGER will charge five cents a line, and heretofore this will be the invariable rule. This, however.

**Does Not Include**

notices of lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed ten lines.

**Avoidance of Disputes.**

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for Business Notices in THE LEDGER is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for subsequent insertions. A customer orders a five-line local inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two months—32 times—the bill is \$16. When he finds it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an icy feeling. Now, to obviate this trouble, no "bill forbids" notices will be accepted heretofore. Let us have a definite agreement at the outset and the termination will be pleasant all around.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Dr. M. H. Davis of Mayslick was a caller on THE LEDGER yesterday.

Mr. A. M. J. Cochran returned yesterday afternoon from Greenup.

Mr. W. H. Wadsworth arrived home yesterday afternoon from Catlettsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Watson arrived home yesterday afternoon from Old Point Comfort.

Lieutenant Nat Pfister of the U. S. Army and family are visiting his relatives in this city.

Mr. H. D. Watson came in yesterday afternoon from a trip through the Eastern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owens of this city are visiting her father, Mr. W. T. Perrine, at Miller's Station.

Mrs. Hanley and daughter Miss Minnie are visiting the family of Mr. John Goodman at Miller's Station.

Carlisle Mercury—John Kane of Maysville, the well known clarionetist, is here assisting the Brigade Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mathews returned yesterday afternoon from a brief sojourn at Old Point Comfort.

Mr. Hal C. Curran left this morning for Augusta to attend the Second District Union meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E.

Rev. W. O. Cochran, after spending some time at Chautauque, arrived home yesterday much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Boyd of Nashville, Tenn., after a visit to relatives in this city, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Mr. A. L. Redman, one of Plumville's staunch Republicans, was a pleasant caller at THE LEDGER office yesterday.

Mr. James Fitzgerald, wife and child have returned from an extended visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bond of Lexington.

Miss Julia Ludecke, after spending a few days in this city, returned to her home in Cincinnati yesterday. She is a charming and accomplished young lady, and made many friends in this city who regretted to see her leave.

Mrs. J. D. Muse and two little daughters returned yesterday from a visit in Fleming.

Mrs. J. F. Harbour arrived home yesterday from Chautauque and Clifton Springs, N. Y.

Mrs. Julia G. Morgan left yesterday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Mannen, at West Superior, Wis.

Misses Willie Watson and Allie Dobyns left on their wheels this morning to spend the day with friends in Flemingsburg.

Mr. John Johnson, wife and daughter, of Bedford, Ind., left for their home yesterday after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Hon. W. W. Baldwin and Mr. Henry E. Pogue left yesterday afternoon for Louisville, to attend the Democratic State Convention.

Miss Alice Chisholm, who has been confined to her home by illness, is somewhat better.

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The survivors of the Tenth and Sixteenth Kentucky are requested to meet at the office of Captain Jacob Miller tomorrow, Friday, August 21st, at 7:30 p. m., to make arrangements for the re-union to be held in this city in November.

JACOB MILLER, President.

The Mason County Ministers and Deacons held their bi-weekly session with the First Baptist Church of Manchester, O., in the auditorium of the White M. E. Church Tuesday, the 18th inst. The beloved Pastor, Rev. J. D. Walker, spared no pains in making the event a pleasant one. A delightful time was witnessed by all and a pleasant ride was conceived on the steamer Silver Wave. Prof. S. J. Walker's string band rendered sweet music and all expressed some expression of joy. J. F. WILSON.

Mr. Harry Richardson, one of our Mail Carriers, and Miss Annie Morford, daughter of Mr. John R. Morford, formerly of this city, were married yesterday morning at the residence of the bride in Covington by Rev. G. R. Frenger. His brother, Mr. Joe Richardson, and Miss Mary Morris were the attendants. The happy pair left for Indianapolis on a bridal tour, after which they will return to this city, where they will reside in the future.

THIS AFTERNOON.

The Bluegrass League Will Make Another Move.

Mr. Simon Childs continues to improve.

Keep cool and drink Soda Water at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Col. W. LaRue Thomas will open the campaign at Cynthiana Monday afternoon, August 24th.

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A friend tells us that he recently went into the store of a business man who did not advertise, and was surprised to see him busy. The storekeeper, it transpired, had the itch and a Waterbury watch, and when he wasn't scratching himself, he was winding his watch.

At Lexington Mrs. Elizabeth H. Dudley, aged 47, was sent to the Asylum Saturday. She was laboring under the hallucination that angels were flocking about her to prevent a jury of devils from hanging her because she believes in Jesus Christ.

Mr. Alfred Clift, formerly a resident of this city and the father of Mr. C. B. Clift of Cincinnati and Mrs. Fannie E. Tabb of Paris, Ind., died at the home of the latter a few days since at the age of 81. The remains were brought to this city Tuesday afternoon and interred in the cemetery here.

The appraisers of the personal property of the late J. N. Owens made their return as follows:

1 heifer.....\$ 12 00  
2 cows..... 20 00  
6 yearling calves..... 60 00  
1 heifer calf..... 7 00  
2 steer calves..... 15 00  
2 steers..... 45 00  
1 cow and calf..... 20 00  
1 cow..... 10 00  
5 steers..... 150 00  
1 bull..... 25 00

Total.....\$264 00

City Taxes.

City taxes for 1896 are now due. Prompt payment will oblige the city.

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**SOUND MONEY AND M'KINLEY.**

McKinley and Hobart Club Will Be Organized Tomorrow Night.

A McKinley and Hobart Campaign Club will be organized at the Amazon Hall, Fifth Ward, tomorrow night.

All good Republicans and Sound Money Democrats, as well as all who are desirous of maintaining the Government on a solid basis, are invited to join.

John Bennett, C. and O. operator at Gray's Branch in Greenup county, and Miss Laverna Hill were married at Greenup last week.

It is surprising the number of people who had despaired of getting Glasses until they tried P. J. Murphy the Jeweler's system of fitting the eyes, who now see as well as when they were young. No charge for Glasses unless they suit.

Near Nicholasville a large flock of mountain sheep belonging to Embry & Carroll became frightened at the approach of a train on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad and huddled in the center of the track, the train running into and killing twenty-eight before it could be stopped. The engineer and fireman were compelled to dismount and drive the remainder of the flock from the track before the train could proceed.

Robert Laughlin, the condemned August murderer, has been sentenced to hang September 18th. Judge Harbeson administered the death penalty in the following language: "Robert Laughlin, you have been indicted by a Grand Jury of Bracken county for the murder of your wife. You have had a fair and impartial trial before a Jury of your own countrymen, who have rendered a verdict fixing your punishment at death. It is the order of this Court that you be taken back to the Jail of Bracken county, where you will remain until the 18th day of September, when you will be taken by the Sheriff of Bracken county between the hours of 5 a. m. and 6 p. m. and hanged by the neck until you are dead, and may God have mercy on your soul."

DIED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Robert Willett Passed Away at the Almshouse.

Mr. Robert Willett, aged about 65 years, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the city Almshouse.

He had been in failing health for some time, being completely broken down physically.

Mr. Willett had been a life long resident of this city, and was as well known as it was possible for a man to become.

He leaves a married sister—Mrs. Hulda King of St. Louis—a brother—Mr. Henry Willett of this city—a married daughter in Harrison county and numerous other relatives.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, burial at the Maysville Cemetery.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

A Wheelman Falls Under a Buggy, But Is Not Injured.

There was an exciting scene at Limestone bridge yesterday afternoon late.

Pete Luzi started out on his wheel in the forenoon for a ride in the county, and it may be that he went a little farther out than he intended, not being able to get back until about 5 o'clock.

He was coming down through the Fifth Ward at a nice gait when Dr. C. C. Owens with his beautiful black steed hitched to his light buggy came along.

Here was Pete's chance to show the people of that end of the city how the scorcher scorch the pike when they were out for a fast go.

Accordingly he bantered the good-natured doctor for a race.

And anybody who knows the doctor will see at a glance how much fun was in store for him.

Away went Pete, with the horse and buggy a close second.

Just as Pete started to cross the bridge coming West his bike slipped out from under him and he took a nice slide.

Before the doctor could check up or drive to one side the buggy had gone over Pete and his bicycle.

After probing around in the dust and locating Pete, it was found that he was all right, and the only thing that was the matter with him was that he was scared so badly he could not talk for a few seconds.

After recovering his lost nerve the first thing he said was that he was scared so bad that he forgot how to say "whoa" in English.

**With Nearly Forty Years**

Of successful experience in the manufacture of Watch Movements and Watch Cases, and with the mechanical knowledge gained in the construction of special machinery and tools necessary for the manufacture of watches, we have reason to believe that no factory in the world is better able to produce a bicycle of superior design and workmanship. Our machinery is the finest and most modern in existence. Our workmen are trained to a greater degree of accuracy than is usually observed in any bicycle factory. Where is the bicycle factory that is capable of producing a machine made equal to a Dueber-Hampden Watch or machinery required to manufacture same?

These Bicycles, as well as a full line of the Dueber-Hampden Watches, can be seen at

**BALLENGER'S.**

Little Harry Dudley of Flemingsburg met with a painful and probably dangerous accident a few days since. He ran into the Janitor of Lyceum Hall and as he turned ran against a chandelier, smashing it to pieces, and splitting his nose and cheek so badly that all his teeth could be seen. It also cut him on the neck. Glass entered the hand of the Janitor in fourteen places.

Since 1878 there have been nine epidemics of dysentery in different parts of the country in which Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy was used with perfect success. Dysentery, when epidemic, is almost as severe and dangerous as Asiatic cholera. Heretofore the best efforts of most skilled physicians have failed to check its ravages, this remedy, however, has cured the most malignant cases, both of children and adults, and under the most trying conditions, which proves it to be the best medicine in the world for bowel complaints. For sale by J. Jas. Wood, Druggist.

Rev. W. O. Cochran led prayer-meeting at the Central Presbyterian Church last evening. He is greatly improved in health. There will be preaching Sunday morning at this church, to which all are cordially invited.



Those who will Receive or Entertain during the ensuing week are kindly invited to favor Saturday's Ledger with an announcement of the fact.

Every great event must be celebrated. Mr. Paul Cullen, the handsome, genial and warm-hearted clerk at Hechinger & Co.'s clothing establishment, was over-taken yesterday with 21 years, and last night, at his home on West Third street, he had a gathering that would have done credit to the Czar of Russia. There were sixteen couples present, indulging in progressive euchre and other games and fancies until the presence of old Sol this morning called a halt on the festivities. All left wishing him many returns of the day.

THE Y. M. C. A.

The Fall Campaign to Begin Next Month.

Secretary Canfield of the Y. M. C. A. has one of the neatest of neat offices fitted up in the Cox Building, and he invites all those of our male population who are interested in the work—and all those who are not interested as well—to call and make him a visit. He is always ready to give information about the workings of this grand organization.

The Association will make a vigorous campaign the coming season for the benefit of the young men of our city, and after the new quarters are secured there will be a place for this class of our population to spend a few hours each day very profitably.

The first Sunday in September the Men's Gospel Meetings will resume, when it is expected that at least once a month a good speaker from a distance will be in attendance to lead the meetings and make them of interest to all who may attend.

Catarrah Cannot be Cured with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrah. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c.

White Kid Strap Sandals. J. HENRY PECOR.

**THE LAPEL BUTTON.**

It Is Now the Proper Caper For Both Old and Young.

Fads there are and fads there will be so long as people continue to live.

Some are of a nature local in their tendency, while more popular ones take on a National hue.

It is to the latter class the lapel button belongs.

And what a fad it is! Nearly every one you meet nowadays has a button showing some silly wording upon its face, causing you to think humanity has turned signpost for divers kinds of business, professions, &c.

Of course the greatest use to which the button can be put is for showing forth one's political proclivities, proclaiming to the eyes of the world how you stand on the money question, the Tariff, to what candidate you are loyal, and many other silent monitors which tell without words the ideas, thoughts and opinions of the wearer.

These buttons are God-sends to many, for by their faces they speak the words which otherwise would cause one to think many people dumb.

All honor to the lapel button! May its life be long and its business grow until we shall only argue through these button-hole conversationalists.

**Great Undervalue Sale!**  
..... OF .....  
**SUMMER FOOTWEAR!**

Men's Light Tan Russia Bals; former price \$4 50; now \$3 00	
Chocolate	5 00 " 3 50
Tan and Red	3 50 " 2 35
" " " "	1 75 " 1 25
Boys' Red	2 00 " 1 40
" " " "	1 75 " 1 00
" Tan	1 85 " 1 00
Chocolate	2 00 " 1 40
Youths' Tan	1 75 " 1 00
Women's Tan and Chocolate	
Oxford Ties	3 50 " 1 25

Misses' and Children's Colored Shoes and Sandals at 25 per cent. off.

You will find nothing but first-class fresh goods in the above lots and the newest styles. FOR CASH ONLY.

**F. B. RANSON & CO.**

**Necessity - Sale For August**  
TWO DOLLAR SHOES FOR ONE DOLLAR IN SILVER.  
We Must Have Money From This Stock!  
Look, and the Shoes Will Do the Rest!  
**H. C. BARKLEY & CO.**  
W. W. HALL, Assignee.