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Here!

Is a Chance for Those Who Did Not Take Advantage of Our 1-3 Off Sale!

By reason of the unprecedented large sale of Suits and Overcoats in this sale it left us quite a lot of our finest Suits and Overcoats in broken sizes; also quite a number of elegant Coats and Vests in Imported Clays, Cheviots and Unfinished Worsteds from which the Pants never sold. If you can find your size in any of these lots

You can buy the garments for less money than the material in them costs.

We are going to close them out. First come, first choice. Don't miss this opportunity.

Look in our windows and you will see the

Best 50-Cent Madras Bosom and Cuff Shirt

in the world. They come in all the newest spring shades.

Look in our windows and you will see the

Best Line of MEN'S FINE SHOES

in the state. Our prices are \$2, \$2 50 and \$3. The qualities of these are Satin Calf and Calf Skin. Our Enamel, Russia Calf, Box Calf, Cordovan and Patent Leather Shoes are up to date.

HECHINGER & CO LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

BEE HIVE THE... THE... BEE HIVE

New Spring Silks!

In our Great Silk Department.

They are here betimes in great quantities and varieties. All the very latest novelties produced by the best manufacturers of this and other silk producing countries. A heavy Changeable Silk at 80c. Fancy Silks in Castor and the new shade, Burnt Orange, and in many different kinds of Plaids and Checks at 80c., 90c., \$1.25 and \$1.50. Rich Taffetas in Solid Red and Black at 80c. and \$1. Such a combination of beauty, great value and lowness of price has never been seen in any silk stock in this vicinity. Have you seen the new Liberty Silks? Made of "Crinkled" Cheffon. We have a great line in all colors from 50c. up

ROSENAU BROS., KINGS OF LOW PRICES. PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER. What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS. White streamer—FAIR; Blue—RAIN or SNOW; With Black ABOVE—'Twill WARMER GROW. If Black's BENEATH—COLDER 'twill be; Unless Black's shown—no change we'll see



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

Miss Louie Bruer of Paris is the guest of Mrs. John Duley.

Miss Mary Best of Orangeburg is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Hoeflich.

Mrs. L. G. Maltby has returned from an extended visit to relatives at Austin, Texas.

Miss Mamie Young, a student at State College, Lexington, has been visiting relatives here the past few days.

Mr. Ben Davis and Mrs. Isaac Levi of Portsmouth are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, of Market street.

Mrs. S. S. Winter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wittmeier of Augusta and Mr. W. W. Marmaduke of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with Mrs. John J. Winter.

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

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 13, and send it in.

Grape Fruit at Traxel's.

Timothy Seed at M. C. Russell & Son's.

W. E. Newell, Fire and Life Insurance.

Chenoweth's Cream Lotion heals chaps; is not sticky or greasy. Try it.

Greenville Rice of Ashland has been granted a pension of \$12 a month.

Teeth extracted without pain Dr. J. W. Cartmell, over Harry Taylor's. Phone 60.

Don't fail to place your "ad" in THE LEDGER if you want the most for your money.

The Louisville Board of Trade has received official notification that the battle-ship Kentucky will be launched Thursday, March 24

Daylight Incandescent Gas Burners, 95 cents.

Mantles for all incandescent burners, 30 cents each. FITZGERALD & CO. Office, McClannahan & Shea.

Miss Rosa Carr of Leesburg, Harrison county, was held to the United States Court in \$300 bond to answer the charge of selling whisky without paying Government tax.

At the meeting of stockholders of the "busted" Bluegrass Building and Loan Association at Lexington a new directory was chosen, and an attempt will be made to have a receiver named. The meeting was sensational and lawyer John R. Allen and Charles H. Stoll came near fighting at one stage of the proceedings. It is thought the Maysville investors will get about 10 cents on the dollar.

Colonel George Strawder is confined to his home with a severe attack of muscular rheumatism.

The Rev. Hugh F. Searcy of Winchester has accepted a call to the Sharpsburg Baptist Church.

Mr. John Breeze of Fleming county, aged 27, and Miss Sudie Phillips of Orangeburg, aged 19, were married in this city this morning by the Rev. J. C. Molloy.

At Carlisle Saturday Edward Crump was sentenced to seven years in the Penitentiary for the murder of John Wilson last August. Crump and his victim were under 15 years of age.

Well, well! A Maysville man has been landed at last—but he's only been here from Virginia a few years. The President yesterday appointed Professor James Robert Spurgeon of this city to be Secretary of Legation at Monrovia, Liberia. The position pays \$1,500 per year.

The fine Bourbon county farm, containing 1,740 acres, belonging to the assigned estate of William Tarr, will be sold by the Assignees, R. P. and J. S. Stoll, on Thursday, March 3d. This farm is without doubt one of the best in the noted Kentucky Bluegrass Regions. For particulars see advertisement elsewhere.



THE CONGRESSMEN.

From far and near they hasten. A happy hero band, With courage in each bosom And papers in each hand. And the sun shines out a welcome And the prospect speaks of May, And the breezes from the Southland Come and bid the world be gay.

But we know the hours so fleeting Are fraught with gloomy change; That the old-time mood will triumph O'er the moments sweetly strange; That we'll get back to the old ways So monotonously rough; That this promise so effulgent is the same old bluff! —Washington Star.

Clover Seed at M. C. Russell & Son's.

Everything good to eat at Langdon's.

For chapped hands and rough skin use Ray's Epiteine at Postoffice Drugstore.

Miss Marguerite Ingels at her performance in Frankfort a few nights ago cleared over \$200.

Mr. Henry Keith of Washington and Miss Tois Clift of Northfork will marry tomorrow at the home of the bride.

Lexington Oddfellows will offer \$24,000 if the Widows and Orphans Home is located there, and \$14,000 if located elsewhere.

Murphy the Jeweler will sell you Sterling Silver Spoons for less than they have ever been sold. Think of it, Sterling Silver Ten Spoons \$9 per dozen, regular price \$12 and \$13 50. No charge for engraving.

The gross earnings of the L. and N. for the second week of February were \$430,185, an increase of \$42,800 over the same period of 1897, of \$34,905 over 1896, of \$135,715 over 1895, of \$58,845 over 1894, but a loss of \$26,000 compared with 1893.

G. A. R. Entertainment. Miss Idabel Brock Archer, celebrated elocutionist, at Courthouse February 22d. Comes highly recommended by the Cincinnati Press.

Two clerks of the Republican Congressional Committee at Washington have been accused of stealing 6,000,000 envelopes.

John R. Procter, formerly State Geologist, has written a paper for the March Century on "The Mammoth Cave of Kentucky." The article has many striking illustrations by the noted French-American artist, Andre Castaigne.

Building Association Receipts. The receipts of the several Building Associations of this city Saturday night were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Association Name, Amount. Includes Mason County, Limestone, People's, and Total.

Revenue Collections. Deputy Collector C. T. West reports the following collections in this city for the week ending Saturday, February 19th, 1898:

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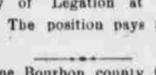
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GREAT SALE OF Bourbon County LANDS!

1,740 Acres belonging to the assigned estate of William Tarr to be sold under the hammer on

THURSDAY, MARCH 3d, 1898,

at the residence of William Tarr on Maysville and Lexington Turnpike, five miles East of Paris and three miles West of Millersburg at 12 m. standard time.

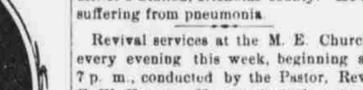
These lands are equal to any in the far famed Bluegrass Regions of Kentucky. They produce of the very best of all the many products of which this county is so favorably known. Grass and Cereals of all kinds, Hemp, Tobacco and Fruit. They are all in the highest state of cultivation, having on them natural woodlands of the finest timber, both ornamental and useful; well improved and well watered, on the best turnpikes and railroad, near the county seat.

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Mr. W. T. Perrine, formerly of this county, is critically ill at his home, Miller's Station, Nicholas county. He is suffering from pneumonia.

Revival services at the M. E. Church every evening this week, beginning at 7 p. m., conducted by the Pastor, Rev. F. W. Harrop. You are invited to these services. Come and assist in the good work.

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We All Know

There is a popular belief that eyes cannot be properly fitted outside of an oculist's office, but we are constantly proving the incorrectness of that belief. If you have a dull pain about the eyeball, or if, when reading, the letters seem to run together, call and be relieved. We charge nothing for examination, and guarantee satisfaction in every case.

BALLENGER, Jeweler and Optician.

FIREMEN'S BALL. A Neat Sum Realized For the Benefit of the New Opera-House.

The young men of Washington Fire Company, ever persevering in every good cause, last night "killed two birds with one stone,"—raising money to assist in building the Opera-house and in giving pleasure to the young people who worship at the shrine of Terpsichore.

At 9 o'clock the Floor Manager, Mr. Bode, gave the word for the Grand March, and 186 young and happy persons wheeled through the intricate, beautiful and interesting evolutions of this prelude to every well managed and charming ball.

Clifford's Orchestra of six musicians was in the balcony, and from that height discoursed bewitching strains to woo the feet of all who love the dance.

When we consider that everything connected with this function was donated—the music, Mr. Myers's calling, Neptune Hall and other courtesies—one can readily appreciate the interest manifested and the real mirth and enjoyment had.

Nearly \$45 was raised through this medium, for which Messrs. McCarthy, Bode, Kirwin and others deserve compliment and praise.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75 cents. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

SOCIETY

Miss Schaeffer entertained a few of her girl friends last Saturday with an afternoon party. The cozy home on Second street was tastefully decorated, and an air of charming hospitality pervaded the house.

The guests enjoyed the very laughable donkey game, which was played amid peals of laughter and mirth. Beautiful prizes were awarded, Miss Martha Piatt winning first prize and Miss Pickett Smith carrying off the booby. Miss Anna Martin's Orchestra furnished delightful music, to the sweet strains of which the lively and graceful Misses whiled away the remaining hours. A very delicious supper was served as a finale to the pleasure, a fitting climax to a most beautiful function. Those present were—

- Christine Elizabeth Yezell, Louise Alexander, Julia Shultz Chenoweth, Lizzie Brown Clinkbeard, Jennie Douglass Doonys, Nettie Cooke Dobyns, Julia Hathaway Lee, Helen Owey Nelson, Grace Emma Sprinkle, Lillie Pickett Smith, Nellie Milton Thompson, Ina Maretta Richards, Margaret Frances Guilfoyle, Mary Bertha Locke, Martha Eugenia Piatt

MISSES' and CHILDREN'S Chocolate

HIGH SHOES. J. HENRY PECOR.

Toddler's Wants.

Figured Elderdown Coats, Angora fur trimming, \$1 were \$2 50. Tau and red mixed boucle, Angora trimmed, \$2 50 were \$5.

ANTI-SEPTIC DIAPER. The best medicated variety. Hemmed, 27 inches square, 10c. each, \$1 a dozen.

BABIES' UNDERWEAR. 1 to 3 year sizes. The favorite with babes and mothers is made of soft lamb's wool, is warm and will not irritate the child's sensitive skin. It opens the entire length. Easy to put on and off. 25c. to 40c. according to size. Same style in cotton 15c.

BABIES' HOSIERY. 10c. for 1x1 ribbed black wool stockings. 25c. for fine seamless cashmere stockings with silk heels and toes.

BABIES' SACQUES. Hand knit in all white, pink and white, blue and white, 25c., 39c.

BABIES' BOOTEES. Hand made with thick soles, white, pink, blue, 15c., 25c.

BABIES' DRESSES. Soft Cambries, Nainsooks and Mustins for short and long dresses. Nice for tiny tuckings and dainty handwork. Soft laces and lacey embroideries, with many beautiful "all overs" for trimming. Inexpensive too.

D. HUNT & SON.