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UNCLE SAM AND GREATER AMERICA

HERE is what the mud roads of Maysville have cost each year for thirteen years past:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Cost. Rows from 1886 to 1898.

Total \$101,145 15

An average of \$7,780 39 for each year. How do you like the exhibit, Messrs. Taxpayers?

THE OHP CURE THAT DOES CURE. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets remove the cause that produces La Grippe.

The funeral of the late Henry P. Rhodes, notice at whose tragic death at Denver, Col., was made Wednesday, occurred yesterday at Elizaville, with services by the Rev. Dr. H. M. Scudder.

Not one child dies where ten formerly died from croup. People have learned the value of One Minute Cough Cure and use it for severe lung and throat troubles.

FLOTSAM—JETSAM—LIGAN!

NEWSY NOTES FROM NATURE'S GREAT HIGHWAY.



The Big Sandy river is frozen over from head to mouth.

Look out for the small stream when the break-up comes.

The Mississippi was gorged one mile above Vicksburg, something unheard of before.

The towboat Little Fred broke loose at Gallipolis Sunday night and drifted down the river, running into eight-mile dike at Chesire, with a tow of five pieces.

A Vicksburg dispatch says fifteen coalboats and barges belonging to Sam Brown of Pittsburgh broke loose from the fleet a little below Capeville, Monday night, and are drifting down the river, with six men on board.

The towboat Charles McDonald, which was cut down by the ice at Stephensport and sunk, will prove a total loss.

The towboat John Barrett & Son of Cincinnati is not in very good shape. One of the barges is aground on the inside of the sunken steamboat, and, as the loads are carried on the decks, the barges are liable to fall to pieces if badly grounded.

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NEWS IN KENTUCKY.

CIMIOTTI INDICTED.

Louisville Councilman Charged With Having Solicited a Bribe—A True Bill Found by the Grand Jury.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 17.—The Jefferson county grand jury Thursday afternoon returned an indictment against Councilman Charles E. Cimioti. The offense charged in the indictment is that Councilman Cimioti solicited a bribe.

In a recent case Cimioti charged that he had been approached by a young woman who said she represented a telephone company of Chicago, and she asked Cimioti what it would take to get a right of way ordinance through the council.

A number of other employees of the newspaper employing the young woman were arrested, charged with conspiracy. The defendants were dismissed, on the grounds that they had not sought to bribe any one, and had merely adopted the means of seeing if the council was corrupt.

Which was appointed from the general council to make an investigation into telephone rates, which it was alleged were too high. While a member of this committee it was claimed that he had gone to Manager Gifford and other persons connected with the telephone company, and had requested them to either go on his note for \$200 or lend him \$100. It was on this that the indictment for soliciting a bribe returned Thursday is based.

SPOTTED FEVER.

Death Claims Two Victims at Little Muddy—They Contracted the Disease From a School Teacher.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Feb. 17.—Cerebro spinal meningitis, or spotted fever, has made its appearance at Little Muddy, Butler county, and two of the children of Cobe Bailey, a well-known farmer of that locality, are dead from it. Miss Susie Gardner, a sister of Mrs. Bailey, was teaching school at Morgantown when the disease made its appearance there, and, with the others, she fled from the town, taking her abode at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. Bailey. Soon thereafter she was stricken with the disease, and very soon all three of the Bailey children were suffering from it.

Death of Judge Burton.

LEHANSO, Ky., Feb. 17.—Judge R. A. Burton died suddenly Thursday morning of heart disease. He had been in splendid health, and had eaten a hearty breakfast. Deceased was county judge of this county for 19 years, and was president of the Farmers' national bank, this city. He served in the state senate in 1859, and was district deputy United States collector under Cleveland. He was 64 years old and leaves a wife and four children.

Shipping Resumed.

PADUCAH, Ky., Feb. 17.—There was still further resumption of shipping here Thursday. Next week will likely see river business wide open. Several Tennessee river packets are preparing to get away. John Harpham, Cincinnati underwriter, was here Thursday and left for Stagg's wreck to investigate. River here still falling, contrary to expectation of flood when thaw set in.

Threats Made by Soldiers.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Feb. 17.—Middlesboro is wrought up to an exciting pitch over a rumor to the effect that several members of the 4th Kentucky regiment intended killing Capt. L. F. Frisbie of their company as soon as the captain returned from Anliston. The men who made the threat are mountaineers living on Greasy creek, this county.

City of Hopkinsville Sued.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 17.—G. H. Myers brought suit against the city of Hopkinsville for \$2,100. He alleges that owing to the narrowness of a street his horse ran into a wagon, throwing his buggy into a deep ditch, severely injuring him and breaking 25 dozen eggs.

Fire at Taylorsville.

TAYLORSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 17.—Stone's livery stable, Dawson's saloon, Coulter's hardware store and Cox & Wellor's grocery burned. Loss, \$25,000. The courthouse was in danger for a time.

Insane From Snake Bite.

MOREHEAD, Ky., Feb. 17.—Mrs. Rinda Gilliam has been adjudged insane by Judge Nickel and sent to the asylum at Lexington. Mrs. Gilliam became insane from the effects of a bite from a poisonous snake.

Covington Coal Co. Increases Stock.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 17.—The Covington Coal Co. filed articles of amendment with the secretary of state, Thursday, increasing the capital stock from \$25,000 to \$40,000.

Kentucky Farmer is Bankrupt.

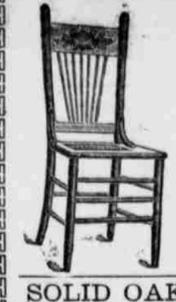
FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 17.—P. P. Perkins, a Shelby county farmer, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, \$7,000; no assets.

THE BUYERS' GUIDE.



THIS BIG SOLID OAK CANE SEAT ROCKING CHAIR \$1.25!

Notice the large fancy carved spindles in back and under arms, the handsomely carved panel in back and three stretchers in front. I had to buy a carload to get 'em at this price.



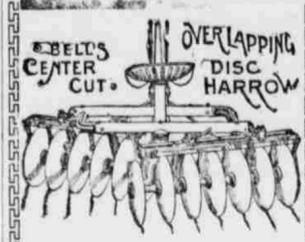
SIX CHAIRS ONLY \$3.70

Look at these Chairs. Solid oak, cane seat, large brace arms. Look at handsome carved back and three stretchers in front. This chair is other places at \$5.

ONLY 39c's



JUST TO PLEASE THE BABIES.



The Pride OF THE WORLD IS The Vulcan!



We know that this is the best DISC HARROW in the world! It cost us considerable money and three years time spent fooling with other Harrows to find out this. We give you the information gratis. This Harrow has thirteen discs—seven discs in one gang and six in the other. Throw the gangs in any position you please, on either side of the hill or any angle of a cross-cut and this seventh disc is always in the middle performing its work—positively and absolutely cutting out all the center. This Harrow has no neck weight, runs light and, owing to the patent method of hanging the gangs, literally tears the ground all to pieces. It is the strongest and best made Harrow on earth, weighing 625 pounds! We put out forty-four of them last Spring and they simply revolutionized the business. We can show you voluntary testimonials from the best farmers in this country! Don't make a mistake but buy an up-to-date Harrow. We have just received a carload of them and can name the lowest price on record!

We know that the VULCAN is the best Plow made. We wrestled with plow handles, trying to hold the Plow into Bracken county soil, two full years before we found this out. You need not tell us your troubles with other Plows—how hard it is to hold into land—what a mean furrow it makes—how your points break—how the bolt in the point is eternally breaking—how you have to carry the Plow around the end—we have been all along the line. But our troubles all ended when we bought a VULCAN! The Vulcan Point, Landside and Moldboard interlock—do not fall to the Standard. You never break a bolt on a Vulcan Plow because the interlocking device takes all the strain off the bolts! We put out last year 103 Vulcan Plows and never sold a single Moldboard. Vulcan Moldboards are rigid—the ridges are not chilled thus adding 40 per cent. to their strength. Owing to the peculiar shape of the Vulcan Landside it takes the land well and sticks. Why the Vulcan plows a fairly good furrow without the operator holding the handles!

FARM WAGONS! In Alabama a factory who would build a Wagon the way we wanted it. We have the spokes made of butt cuts off two-year old hickory—hubs of Pennsylvania black birch—all woodwork dipped in hot linseed oil—swelled tires put on perfectly cold—boxings put in hubs without any wedges—ironed very heavy—built in proportion and perfectly balanced. This Wagon runs like a buggy! This Wagon is called FLORENCE after the town in which it is made. We have patent brake on this Wagon, hung from rods on both sides, thus bringing direct pressure upon each wheel in locking. We buy these Wagons in five carload lots and quote the lowest price on earth. ONLY \$37.00 for Two-horse Running Gear. ONLY \$17.25 for Two-horse Wagon complete with Red, lazy-back Spring Seat, anti-spreaders, and Patent Brake—brake your Wagon from both right and left-hand side.

Table listing various items and prices: Our Little Giant Corn Shellers, Our Feed Cutters, Dales' Double-gangled Feed Grinders, etc.

Table listing various items and prices: A large Kitchen Table, A Solid Oak Dresser, A Solid Oak Rocking Chair, etc.

JOHN I. THE PRICE FIGHTER. WINTER, TWO BIG STORES MAYSVILLE, KY. BROOKSVILLE, KY.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Henry W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

Mrs. Alice Kelly died at Paris this week, aged 85.

William M. Tugman, formerly of Aberdeen, now a prominent resident of Cincinnati, is seriously ill.

For La Grippe.

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash av., corner Jackson-st., one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a gripple, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of a gripple to result in pneumonia. For sale by J. Jas. Wood & Son, Druggists.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

I am a candidate for re-election as Railroad Commissioner from the Third Kentucky District, subject to the action of the Republican party. I base my claims upon life-long adherence to the principles of my party; loyalty to all its nominees; years of earnest effort for its success, and faithful and conscientious performance of my official duties. Respectfully, JOHN C. WOOD.



Beautiful Queensware. Is more serviceable than china-ware. The good housewife likes a few dishes of it and perhaps a bowl or two. We have plain and decorated goods. Prices very reasonable for the values shown. Our Crockery, China, etc., seasonal and well selected. New Dinner and Toilet Patterns at

Geo. F. Brown's CHINA PALACE, 40 West Second Street, Maysville, Ky.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

Table with multiple columns for different railroads: CINCINNATI DIVISION, B&O, and VANDERBILT SYSTEM. Includes train numbers, routes, and arrival/departure times.

Depot, Grand Central, Ticket Office, S. E. corner Fourth and Vine streets, Telephone, 112. Daily except Sunday. Sunday only. Parlor Car, sleeping Parlor Car, etc.

Trains leave and arrive Cincinnati as follows: OHIO DIVISION—TRAINS EAST.

Table for Ohio Division—Trains East, showing departure and arrival times for various routes like Wash., Balt., Phila. and N. Y.

MISSISSIPPI DIVISION—TRAINS WEST.

Table for Mississippi Division—Trains West, showing departure and arrival times for routes like St. Louis Limited, St. Louis and Louisville, etc.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral advertisement. Text: For all coughs and colds: Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. The medicine tried for 60 years is the medicine you can afford to try.

Resumption advertisement. Text: Means business resumption.....It is wise to start early.....It is wiser never to stop..... If it pays to keep your front doors open, it must pay to keep your name before the readers of THE LEDGER—they are your customers..... Dangers of the Grip. The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for a gripple we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure a gripple in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by J. Jas. Wood & Son, Druggists.

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