

Maysville Weather.

Can't May Be Expected Here During the Next Thirty-a Hours.

THE LEDGER CODE.

White streamer—FAIR;
Blue—RAIN or SNOW;
Black ABOVE—WILL WARMER GROW.
Black BELOW—COLDER 'TILL BE;
If Black's not shown no change we'll see.
The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 4 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Fresh, new medallions at cut rates, at Taylor's.

Mrs. Georgie F. Harrison, wife of William T. Harrison, Business Manager of The Lexington Leader, died Sunday at Daytona, Fla., where she had gone for her health.

Xmas presents in guitars, violins, mandolins and music stands at O'Keefe's.

THE BRONSON COMPANY.

The Christmas attraction at the Washington Opera-house will be the Bronson Company, numbering twenty-five people, headed by Harry and Mae Cody Langdon, including their own band and orchestra. To give their plays proper presentation, the Bronson Company carries an entire carload of scenery and effects. "A Royal Spy," a new four-act comedy drama of French military life, will be presented at the matinee, and the sensational English melo-drama, "Taken From Life," at night.

Do the wise thing of seeing my stock of dolls and toys and buying early at Jno. O'Keefe's.

PREFERENTIAL CONVEYANCE.

Homestead Exemption Not Lost By Fraudulent Conveyance.

The Court of Appeals, in the suits of James Davis and others against the H. Feltman Company; Walker & Sengstak vs. the Feltman Company, etc., and the H. Feltman Company, etc., vs. Davis, etc., taken up from this county, reversed the Mason Circuit Court.

The opinion was by Judge Burnam, and follows—
First—When one has lived on a tract of land for more than forty years, and during his occupancy has married and had children, and his wife had died and the children married and moved away, but he continues to live with his sister upon the land, he is entitled to a homestead therein, and the loss of his family by death and marriage does not defeat this right.

Second—The homestead exemption of an insolvent debtor was not lost by a fraudulent conveyance to a third party, which was set aside at the instance of his creditors.

Third—A debtor may make such disposition of his exempt property as to him may seem right, and this to the extent that he can pass a perfect and indefeasible title to such property, and his conveyance thereof will vest his grantee with all the right, title and interest thereto.

Fourth—Under Section 489 of the Kentucky Statutes providing that, in an action for the settlement of an estate, where one party has prosecuted a suit for the benefit of others interested, such person shall be allowed fees for his attorney, and under Section 1913, providing that the settlement of deceased persons, where the plaintiff, in an action for the settlement of estates of deceased person, where the plaintiff, in an action to settle an insolvent estate, by his attorney, took all the proof, wrote the judgment, advised the receiver, argued the case orally in the Circuit Court, and briefed it in the Court of Appeals, an order allowing his attorney a fee out of the estate would not have been erroneous.

L. W. Galbreath, G. S. Wall and E. L. Werthington were Attorneys for Davis, etc.; W. H. Wadsworth for Walker & Sengstak; W. D. Cochran and A. M. J. Cochran for the Feltman Company, etc.

Secret Societies

DEKALB LODGE, I. O. O. F.
Regular meeting this evening at 7:00 o'clock of DeKalb Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. F. All members requested to be present.

PERSONAL

Dr. J. B. Tautbes returned yesterday from Ashland.

Miss Elizabeth Adamson returned home last evening.

Miss Alberta Luman returned last evening from Georgetown, to remain during the holidays.

Mrs. R. L. Mannon and daughter, Mrs. Slapp, left Sunday for their home in New York after a visit to relatives and friends in the county.

Miss Margaret Allison left this morning to spend the winter with her cousin, Mrs. J. J. Hewitt of Riverside, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Power.

Mrs. Mary A. Phillips and Mr. P. Krauth Wimer of Des Moines, Ia.; Mr. Harry Buckner, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Buckner and daughter of Cincinnati; Colonel J. A. Buckner of New Orleans; Mrs. Lewis Apperson and daughter, Miss Harriet, and Miss Anna Johnson of Mt. Sterling; Mr. and Mrs. Garrett B. Wall and Mr. Buckner Clay of Richmond, Va.; Miss Nannie Wall of Paris and Mr. Ed Pearce of Lexington are here to attend the Wall-Phillips nuptials tomorrow afternoon.

Holiday Goods, all new, at Taylor's.

Cranberries, figs, dates and fruits of all kinds at Jno. O'Keefe's.

The severe cold caused a breakdown of a freight engine on the C. and O. at Broshors Station Sunday morning and of another engine in the East end of this city a few hours later.

LADIES... ONLY!

No doubt all of you desire to bestow some article as a Holiday Gift upon your father, your husband or your friend. It is equally true that many of you are entirely undecided as to what you get or where to get such articles. If you may desire, our Men's Wearing Apparel consists of a magnificent array of Novelties, quality and style combined, which is with us the first requisite. Neat effects which will appeal to feminine tastes have not been overlooked. If you will favor us with your patronage our time and talent is at your command to offer any suggestion or to give any advice that may be of service to you. From Wednesday, December 18th, with every \$10 purchase ladies will be entitled to put their name in a box which will be placed in the front of our store. On Christmas Day, by some responsible interested person, a name will be drawn from the box and the lucky one presented with a handsome Silver or Pearl Handle Umbrella. A visit to our store will convince the most skeptical that we are not making idle boasts, but have succeeded in getting together the most elegant assortment of Holiday Goods ever brought to Maysville. Respectfully yours,

THE FAVORITE CLOTHING STORE.

CHILDREN CRY FOR IT.
It's the most mannish coat ever made for a kid, yet it don't give him a mannish look; it's warm enough to keep him warm, short enough to let him run and cheap enough to let him have fun in it.

Best can and bulk oysters daily and in any quantity at O'Keefe's.

The State Board of Valuation and Assessment has assessed the franchise of the Dover, Minerva, Tuckahoe and Maysville Telephone Company at \$472.

Best fireworks made as low as the lowest—all sizes at Jno. O'Keefe's.

A six-year-old son of James Romines, here on a visit from Arheim, O., died last night of scarlet fever at the home of Mrs. Sarah Havens in the McDonald House on Front street.

Genuine kid-body dolls, dark or light hair, no wall-flowers, all debutantes this season, cheap at Taylor's.

The New Tigers—W. M. Archdeacon, W. C. Watkins, Charles First, T. M. Russell and J. B. Russell—challenge any five men at the Maysville Bowling Alleys tonight at 8 o'clock. The new lights for the alleys have arrived and been put in.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured
By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, etc.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

RIVER NEWS.

All tributaries of the Ohio are rising.

The Bonanza will be up tonight for Pomeroy.

The Virginia will pass up for Pittsburgh tonight.

The Lizzie Bay will be down tonight for Cincinnati.

Much loose timber was washed out of the Big Sandy Sunday.

Most of the coal swamped by the Fred Wilson at Cabin Creek will be saved.

On the Big Sandy river navigation was resumed yesterday after a two-months season of idleness.

The steamer Liberty, now lying at Wheeling, is being equipped with smaller machinery of the Montgomery type.

The Charley Hook backed into the steamer Virginia Saturday at Pittsburgh and came near sinking both boats.

The towboat Margaret, recently built for the Rogers Sand Company of Pittsburgh, raised steam Saturday for the first time.

A hole will be dredged in the Mississippi 600 feet long, 150 feet wide and 50 feet deep for the big new naval dock at New Orleans.

There is a big rise coming from headwaters, and had the cold wave been side tracked there would have been a sure enough flood in the Ohio.

A fleet of Pittsburgh towboats will pass through this week on their way to Southern points with tons of coal. A conservative estimate places the amount these boats have in tow at about 6,000,000 bushels.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

Christmas and Holiday Excursion Rates.

For the above occasion the C. and O. will sell round-trip tickets from Maysville as follows: To all points on the C. and O., except to Stations on the Washington Division, at rate of one and one-third first class fare. Tickets on sale December 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th and January 1st, with final limit of January 24, 1902. Will also sell round-trip tickets to all points on the C. C. C. and St. L., C. & H. and D., C. I. and L. B. and O. Railroad, Ohio Division, N. and W. Railway North of Xenia and Ohio Central lines at one and one-third first class fare. Tickets on sale December 21st, 22nd, 23rd and 24th and January 1st, with final limit of January 24, 1902.

Symphony Concerts, Cincinnati.

For the above occasion the C. and O. will sell round-trip tickets Maysville to Cincinnati at rate of \$1.75. Tickets to be sold only to persons holding single admission or season concert tickets. Tickets sold on the following dates: December 27th and 28th; January 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 24th; February 7th, 8th, 21st and 22nd; March 7th, 8th, 21st and 22nd; April 4th and 5th. Tickets good going only on date of sale. Tickets sold on Friday good returning on the following Saturday, and tickets sold on Saturday good returning on the following Monday.

Notice.

The election of Directors for the Mason County Building and Saving Association for the ensuing year will take place at the Council Chamber on December 24th, 1901, at 7 o'clock p. m.

B.&O.S.-W.

Fast Scheduled Trains.
ONLY
9 HOURS
CINCINNATI
AND
ST. LOUIS.
3 DAILY TRAINS.

Observation, Parlor, Dining Cars on day trains; Pullman Drawing-Room Sleepers on night trains. For rates, time-tables or information call on any Agent, or address
O. P. McCARTY, G. P. A.,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

We have just received 10,000 bushels of the best coal, and will sell cheap for cash. Phone 70. GABLE BROS.

During the past four years Dover citizens have lost \$4,000 in Building and Loan Associations that promised 10 or 15% interest on their money—like the Paducah, Winchester and Louisville concerns, the latter having just "busted" to the tune of \$80,000.

THE STORY OF A CINNAMAN KISS

Few persons in Maysville know that a Candy Factory is one of the enterprises of our city. It was an agreeable surprise to the newspaperman, who knows everything—and he wants to tell the readers of THE LEADER about the Candy Factory, of its product—how it's made, of what it's made and where it is. Like the ever modest violet which hides its pretty self from view, yet generously exhales its rich perfumes to freight the winter air, this industry is in the rear of a Second street building away back upstairs, difficult of access and with a rigid rule of "No Admittance" to still further bar the door. Inside are skilled workmen, who work like bees in a hive—silently, effectively, wonderfully; with modern machinery—moulds, tinsels and cutters—which do but assist to more speedily work up all the goodies which artists mix and prepare. All sorts of sweets are herein made, candies in every shape and color, variety and flavor, until you see a vast horde of buckets, boxes, casks and pans stored ready for shipment or to be carried down to the retail room below. Space and time forbid us to enumerate the kinds of candies and the process by which they are made; but for the delectation of the buying public, and to take it into the confidence of the firm, we select one article and trace its history from the sack of sugar wherein it lies to the bonnet of deliciousness in your mouth. Let us call it the "Story of a Kiss," and for our heroine's name we'll take "Cinna," which, when she tells her tale, the proverbial "Man" will have appeared, and these two shall be "Cinnamon Kisses." The cauldron boils over a charcoal fire, wherein have been placed great measures of purest sugar with the secrets of the Candyman's art, which bring the consistency and beauty when time shall have passed. The mass is dumped on to a marble slab, coloring rolled and flavoring added, and the whole divided, thrown across great hooks, stretched, worked and developed until the trained eye of the Candy Sculptor sees his treasure ready for the second message. Quickly placed in a semi-heated oven to gently raise the temperature, the shaping machines are placed and through these the pliable mass is elongately run, clipping strips, which in turn fall into a folding machine and then into a press, from which they come dainty, and beautiful. Soon these are boxed or placed in jars and by emissaries given to salesmen for an appreciative public, which buys the "Story of the Cinnamon Kiss" and pronounces it the sweetest story ever written. The owner of this Candy Factory is the P. H. Traxel Confectionery Company, which just now is loaded down with sweet things—Nuts, Fruits, Cakes and Candies—enough to supply the whole territory hereabout. If you live in Maysville you need not go away from home to get the purest and best of goods; if you live in the country you will have to come to Traxel's if you wish the best sweet things for children and grown folks.

Be wise when you buy,
Buy the best and be wise;
We give you the best,
And "don't ain't no lies."

THE F. H. TRAXEL CONFECTIONERY COMPY.

...WE...
...HAVE...
This day placed on sale until January 1st, 1902, twenty-five rolls

.....ROXBURY.....
.....CARPETS!.....

Known the world over as the best Brussels Carpet made. It will pay you to look these goods over and set aside such as you may need for spring.

.....75 CENTS.....
.....PER YARD.....

Will be the price. First come, first served.

GEO. COX & SON.

We are not out of coal. We have plenty and it's A No. 1. WILLIAM DAVIS.

Lovel's Holiday Special

My immense purchases specially for the Holidays are arriving daily, and on Monday, the 8th day of December, I shall have opened up and on sale the largest, most complete, attractive and up-to-date stock ever put on sale in our city. My stock of

CANDIES, NUTS AND FIREWORKS

Is simply enormous and the prices unprecedently low. Just think of it: best Mixed Nuts only 12c per pound; Mixed and stick Candy only 8c per pound. Fireworks to burn at almost nothing. Look at prices, boys:

ROMAN CANDLES.
4-ball..... 5c each, 5c per dozen
5-ball..... 10c each, 10c per dozen
6-ball..... 15c each, 15c per dozen
7-ball..... 20c each, 20c per dozen
8-ball..... 25c each, 25c per dozen
9-ball..... 30c each, 30c per dozen
10-ball..... 35c each, 35c per dozen
Besides good to Cannon Crackers, from 3-inch up to 12-inch, and the nicest ones you ever bought off-street. All who have heretofore bought Fireworks of me need not be told that I handle only the best. My stock of

CANNED GOODS..... AND..... FANCY GROCERIES!

It is always full and complete. I make a specialty of the very finest Open Kettle New Orleans Mince, Louisiana County Sorghum, finest Tea, greatest varieties of Coffee, both green and roasted; always headquarters for

POULTRY, GAME, OYSTERS,

Colony, Cranberries, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Currants, Raisins, Figs, Citrus, Grapes, Raisins, Peas, Dates, Buckwheat Flour, Pancake Flour, Graham Flour, Whole Wheat Flour, Crisis of all kinds, Pickles, sour and sweet, Mince Meat, Preserves, Jellies, Cheese of all kinds, and everything good to eat and of the very best.

I DON'T SELL ANY LOW-GRADE, STALE OR UNWHOLESALE GOODS.

When buying Flour if you want the best always buy Perfection. My fine Blended Coffee, of which I sell three grades at 15, 20 and 25 cents, are equal to the best 25 cent grades sold by others. I buy my coffee in large quantities from the importers, have them roasted and blended myself, and know exactly what I sell; besides they are always fresh. My aim has been to deal fairly with the people—give them the best goods obtainable at very low prices possible. My large and steadily increasing trade convinces me that my efforts in this particular are fully appreciated by the public. A special invitation is extended to all to visit my store and make it their headquarters when in our city. Specially low prices always made to dealers. Always buy the Perfection stock Oysters, in cans and bulk. They are always the best. Received fresh from Baltimore every day.

PHONE NO. R. B. LOVEL, LEADING GROCER.

WHOLESALE and RETAIL

WANTED! 500 tons of Baled Straw for immediate shipment.

J. Y. DEAN.

TURKEYS WANTED!

Bring your nice, large, fat Turkeys directly to us. We shall be in a position to handle all good stock, and shall slaughter at Wornald's Elevators on Limes one street this season instead of Wall street. Will be at the Elevators on and after Monday, November 8th. Come in and see us and we will cheer to please you. BRIGHTMAN BROS. E. L. MANCHESTER, Manager.

People's Column

No Charge! Advertisements under the heading "People's Column," "Wanted," "Situations Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding three lines in length, are FREE to all.

No Business Advertisements inserted without pay. If answers fail to come the first time, we trouble as many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you advertise for. We wish advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns.

Advertisements must furnish copy, which can be left at the office or sent by mail.

THE PUBLIC LEADER, No. 11 East Third Street.

Help Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

WANTED—POSITION—By experienced stenographer and typewriter; best references. Address E. L. Lector office. dec 17

WANTED—GIRL—Experienced and inexpensive, in dining-room and packing room; can earn good wages. J. V. MARKS & CO., Augusta, Ky. dec 17

WANTED—IN EACH COUNTY—A person of integrity and good standing to represent and advertise well established business houses of solid financial standing. Salary \$10 weekly and expenses, payable weekly in cash direct from head office. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. Cash advanced for expenses. References. Inclose self addressed stamped envelope. Standard Home, 341 East Third Street, Chicago. dec 17

For Rent.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

FOR RENT—HOUSE—Apply to Mrs. WILLIAM LALLEY, or Leonard & Lally, Market street. dec 17

FOR RENT—HOUSE—Of six rooms and flat of four rooms, suiton street. Apply to J. RETMOND. dec 17

Found.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

FOUND—GOLD RING—In a glove at my store. For a solid Gold Ring. (owner can have it by proving property.) GEORGE COX & SON, 121 W. dec 17

FOUND—STEEB—Has been seen at my place nearly a year. A Yearling Steer; broad red; weighs about 600 pounds. Owner prove property. Major A. M. SLACK, near Fernleaf. dec 17

Lost.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

LOST—BLACK MITTEN—On Second street. Return to this office. dec 17

LOST—COLLAR PUP—Bitch, 6 months old; black with white marks. Return to Little Stone Drillers Co. and be rewarded. dec 17

LOST—DIAMOND BROOCH—Between my 1111 home in Cabernet Bottom and Page's Millinery. Please return to Miss BERTIE TRIMM and receive reward. dec 17

There is so much poor dentistry being advertised it's well to be careful in the selection of your dentist. One mistake may be the source of life-long regret. An investigation costs nothing. A full set of Teeth, upper or lower, \$5. Prices on other work in proportion. Written guarantee on all work.
Dr. J. A. DODSON,
Cor. Second and Wall.
Entrance, 1 door W. Daulton's stable.

SALE... OF TELEPHONE TURNPIKE FRANCHISE AND PRIVILEGE....
By order of the Fiscal Court of Mason county, I was on
Saturday, Dec. 21, 1901,
At 11 o'clock a. m., at the Courthouse door in Maysville, Ky., offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, but reserving to the Fiscal Court the right to reject any and all bids—the franchise and privilege—but not the exclusive franchise or privilege—for a period of twenty years, to construct, operate and maintain a telephone system on, over and along the following public roads in Mason county, viz:—
1.—The Maysville and Lexington Turnpike Road and its Branch Roads, viz:—Casper Ridge Turnpike, Kenton Station Turnpike, Maple Turnpike, Clark's Run Turnpike, Maytick and Millcreek Turnpike, Maytick and Sardin Turnpike, Benton Creek Turnpike, and Mayslick and Flat Fork Turnpike.
2.—The Mt. Sterling Turnpike Road and its Branch Roads, viz:—Taylor's Mill Turnpike, Strader's Run Turnpike, Hornsbee Turnpike, Owens' Turnpike, Lewisburg and Mt. Glead Turnpike, and Millcreek Turnpike.
3.—The Hill City Turnpike Road and its Branch Road, the Horseshoe Turnpike.
Each of the three main roads, including their branches, will be offered for sale separately, on a credit of six months. Purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing interest, with good surety. In the event the sale is approved and confirmed by the Fiscal Court, the purchaser shall in good faith commence the construction of said telephone system within six months from date of confirmation of sale and complete same as soon as practicable, and as soon as complete will justify, and shall furnish good and able maintenance at reasonable charges, and give satisfactory evidence the free use of the system for official business.
By order of Fiscal Court, entered November 23, 1901.
SAMUEL P. PERLIN,
Sheriff of Mason County,
Maysville, Ky., December 4, 1901. dec 18

A Dray Load of Christmas Slippers For Men and Women.
At DAN COHEN'S Great Western Shoe Store. A great many styles to select from at prices lower than were ever shown in Maysville.
WILLIAM H. MITCHELL
Assistant Superintendent for the Purchase of Boots and Shoes for Ninth Congressional District.