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## LOOK OUT

Spring has come and with it comes the Hustling Cash Store filled with a new and complete line of the latest novelties in

Dress Goods, White Goods, Gingham, Percals, Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons in endless variety, Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Oil Cloths, &c in the Latest Designs

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## Clothing, Shoes and Hats

Bought direct from the factories and placed on sale at unheard of low prices

We have searched the market for bargains and as we were buying

### An Entire New Stock

we were enabled to secure the very lowest prices in every line

We have no old goods and you are not asked to pay large profits to cover losses. Call and inspect our stock and be convinced that we can save you money. Our Motto is to please

Very Respectfully

## LACKEY & HAMILTON

Cor Main and First Streets

## The Racket Store

From a Hat.

A Louisville dispatch says that the police say they are in possession of information which leads them to believe that there is a suicide club whose members are composed of young boys and girls, in the east end of that city. Two girls who have died within that last year, Agnes Moeller and Tracey Boerner, are alleged to have been members of the club, according to the information that the police have received. The suicide club organized with a social organization of young people. Ten of the boys and girls, having been of melancholy turn of mind, withdrew from the club and agreed to die, one at a time. It is said that names are put into a hat, and every six months there is a drawing. Both of the girls are said to have carried out their agreement without flinching, and at the time of the suicide—one of which was by asphyxiation, the other by poison—they were dressed in their best gowns. A member of the club, who has since regretted entering the agreement, reported the fact of the club's existence to the police who are having difficulty in finding out the facts.

Has laid in a complete stock of new Goods which is now offered to the Cash Trade. Every useful article needed in the house can be found on our shelves.

We thank our patrons for the favors of the past year, and wish all a happy and prosperous new year.

## THE RACKET STORE

Opposite Blue Grass Grocery

MAIN STREET RICHMOND, KY

## Big Hill Coal Co

ORLANDO, KY

Shippers of

### ...A Inite Coal

Guaranteed to last all night in ordinary grate without any attention

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Largest variety, newest designs, finest finish, lowest prices. We offer you genuine bargains in

Iron Beds, Bed Room Suits, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture

We guaranteed to save you money. We cordially invite our country friends to call—make our store their headquarters.

## We Must

please. Our success depends upon it and the reasonable prices at which everything useful is offered will astonish and delight you. Mattings and Carpets in variety. Our Picture Department is complete. Framing neatly done and the newest mouldings always carried.

## JO. S. JOPLIN

RICHMOND, KY

Undertaking a Specialty

G. W. Evans, Jr. Embalmer

## THE OLD RELIABLE



There is no substitute

### "BEN HUR" COMING TO LOUISVILLE.

Southern Tour of the Famous Spectacle Limited to Four Cities.

Klaw & Erlanger's stupendous spectacle, "Ben Hur", which is touring the South for a limited engagement of five weeks, comes to Macaulay's Theatre, Louisville, direct from its present Mardi Gras triumph in New Orleans for one week only, commencing Monday, March 9th, with matinees Wednesday and Saturday. The coming of this great spectacle is an event of the greatest importance, as everyone in this community has long wished to witness the stage presentation of General Wallace's famous novel. Special accommodation and reduced rates will be offered on all roads between here and Louisville during the engagement of "Ben Hur".

Although "Ben Hur" is already well known here, a word regarding its massiveness will be of interest. The production which comes to Louisville is the same original Klaw & Erlanger organization which was seen in Chicago and St. Louis last year with the same cast, scenery, equipment, horses, camels and ornate electric effects. There are a few bars of music—serving the same purpose as a voluntary before divine service—and when the curtain rises, it discloses the illimitable waste of desert; the tired camels; the three wise men gathered from Greece, from Egypt, from Hindustan, to greet the appearance of the star, "a focus of dazzling lustre". His star proclaims his birth. The play opens with His birth and closes with his death. The play with his birth and rejoicings over the last miracle he was to perform before his appointed end.

Following the prelude comes the brilliantly colored picture of the house tops of Jerusalem, the terrace of the palace of Hur. Next is one of the great scenes of the play—the dim interior of the Roman galley ship—the muscular, grim visaged slaves tugging in rhythmic motion at the oars. Then the wreck, with Ben Hur and his captain struggling in the waves.

Then comes the most thrilling and realistic effect ever presented on the stage—the great chariot race. A rumble is heard in the background the hurrying clatter of horses' hoofs and then the race is disclosed. Two Roman chariots each drawn by four horses, form the centre of the marvellous picture. The animals with far stretched necks and dilated nostrils run like mad, urged on by the whips of the charioteers—Ben Hur and his enemy, Messala. The wheels of the chariots rumble and sway, now Ben Hur is ahead, now Messala, then Ben Hur and the race is ended.

The last scene is one of fitting beauty and impressiveness, revealing the Mount of Olivet, where a great multitude gather to greet the Nazarene and where the Savior performs the miracle of cleansing the lepers. Christ's personality is never represented in the flesh, but his presence is indicated by a ray of marvellous brilliancy, which is reflected by a shaft

of pure white light from the halo over his head.

To present the marvellous spectacle, no less than 350 people are required. In the chariot race eight horses are used, while four more are kept in training for emergencies. The advance sale of seats opens Thursday morning, March 5th at nine o'clock. Manager Macaulay announces that all out of town orders, if accompanied by cash or money order, will be filled before the regular box office sale opens.

### More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by a more or less serious ailment. It is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective medicine and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia and expels malaria germs. Only 50c and satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

### The Earth Swallowed Him.

The experience of young Denny Tomlinson, of the Hound Hollow section in Pulaski county, the other night was most thrilling. He was returning from church services at a late hour of the night and missed his pathway in the darkness. Suddenly the earth seemed to open and swallow him. After falling a distance of some 50 feet he found himself considerably bruised and bleeding at the bottom of one of the limestone caverns so numerous in that region. Fortunately for him a 36 foot pole had been previously let into the hole for the purpose of rescuing a dog that had met a similar mishap some years ago. This he climbed to within 12 feet of the mouth of the aperture, and by heroic efforts, succeeded in cutting one by one, footholds into the rock and making his tortuous way out of the middle of an awful fix. He had fired many shots and called until he was voiceless in hopes of bringing a rescuer before taking the desperate chances of climbing out unaided. He was in what was practically a living grave for over twelve hours, which, for a fifteen-year-old youth, was a decidedly thrilling adventure.

### Record of The Past

No Stronger Evidence Can be Produced.

Look well to their record. What they have done many times in years gone by is the best guarantee of future results. Any one with a bad back any tender suffering from urinary troubles from any kidney ailment, will find in the following evidence proof that relief and cure is near at hand:

Mr. G. M. Myers, the well known shoe-maker of Winchester avenue and 14th street Ashland Ky., says: "Dunn's Kidney Pills are like true friends, the longer you know them the better they are appreciated. I can add nothing to the statement I first made in 1896 after I procured the remedy at the Ventura Drug Co., and took a course of the treatment, which cured me. I was absolutely free from all backache for nearly three years, then I noticed a slight ache, as the result of a cold in my back. A box of Dunn's Kidney Pills disposed of. I have recommended this remedy to many and never heard of one who did not endorse the claims made for it.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. For Mr. Milburn Co., Buffalo N. Y. sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Dunn's—and take no substitute.

The volume of water flowing out of the south end of the Simplon tunnel under the Alps, is over 15,000 gallons per minute, and furnishes motive power sufficient not only to work the refrigerating apparatus, but to compress the air by which the drills are operated.

### Condition of Wheat Satisfactory.

The weather bureau's monthly report on crop conditions follows—On the whole winter wheat crop fared well in January, 1903, the central and northern portions winter wheat belt being well protected by snow covering until the closing days of the month when much snow melted, leaving only the extreme northern districts with covering January 31. Over southern portion of the winter wheat belt some damage resulted from alternate freezing and thawing, but the crop apparently has not sustained serious injury. The rain fall throughout winter in the wheat belt was heavier than usual. Kansas is the only state which has reported needed moisture.

### Tragedy Averted.

Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. Pneumonia had played and havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well. Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

### The Talking Turkey.

The turkey has a note which signifies immediate danger overhead, and this is different from the sharp and rapid call that means imminent peril from something on the ground, as a rat, for example. A hawk seen in the distance calls forth yet another cry. A fourth note is of defiance, a fifth of pain, and a sixth of complaint or remonstrance (as when the turkey is being driven.) When feeding in an open meadow a call is uttered different from that voiced in high grass or bushes, where the flock is to be kept together. There is a summons to call together scattered members of the flock; a social note in a manner conversational, is also peculiar; and at night the turkeys on guard have a special signal.—Ex.

### Cures Cancer and Blood Poison

If you have blood poison producing eruptions, pimples, ulcers, swollen glands, bumps and rashes, burning itching, or copper-colored spots or rashes on the skin, mucous patches in mouth or throat, falling hair, bone pains, old rheumatism or foot catarrh, take Eucalyptic Blood Balm. It kills the poison in the blood; soon all sores, eruptions, head hard swellings, subside, aches and pains stop and a perfect cure is made of the worst cases of Blood Poison.

For cancer, tumors, swellings, eating sores, ulcers, persistent pimples of all kinds, take B. B. B. It destroys the cancer poison in the blood, heals cancer of all kinds, cures the worst humors or suppurating swellings. Thousands cured by B. B. B. after all else fails. B. B. B. is composed of pure botanical ingredients. Improves the digestion, makes the blood pure and rich, stops the awful itching and all sharp shooting pains. Thoroughly tested for thirty years. Druggists \$1 per large bottle with complete directions for home cure. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice also sent in sealed letter.

### Courts Making Appropriation.

President A. Y. Ford, of the Kentucky Exhibit Association, continues to receive encouraging reports from county committees which have been asked to take up with their Fiscal Courts the matter of an appropriation. It is quite certain now that a large majority of the courts look favorably upon the proposition. As the appropriations from counties will in all cases be for needed exploitation and expenses incurred in furnishing and advertising the county products and resources in conjunction with the whole state exhibit, no objection can be raised.

Garfield Johnson, Silas Smith and Bennie Smith, three juvenile crap shooters, aged thirteen and fourteen years, were arraigned before County Judge Stout, at Versailles. The additional charge was preferred against Johnson of knocking Silas Smith senseless with a rock. The Judge fined Johnson \$10 and costs, and gave the Smith brothers the option of paying a fine or being soundly flogged. They chose the whipping.

The Simplon tunnel which is being driven through the Alps at their base, between France and Italy, is costing almost a million dollars a mile. Ten of its fourteen miles are completed. The length of the St. Gotthard tunnel is nine miles and of the Mont Cenis seven miles.

## OPENING

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BUSY BEE CASH STORE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

March 6 and 7

## W. D. OLDHAM CO

BUSY BEE CASH STORE

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There's Life and Strength in Every Drop.

A scientific combination of the essential constituents of PRIME BEEF and PURE OLD MALT.

Meat & Malt Co., Louisville, Ky. Gentlemen—Having examined your Meat and Malt Preparation, and being thoroughly acquainted with its composition and mode of manufacture, I can state that it is an efficient nerve and blood tonic. It is especially beneficial in nervous prostration and all diseases attended with debility. Yours truly, L. D. KASTENBINE, M. D., Louisville College of Pharmacy.

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### Louisville & Atlantic Railroad.

DAILY EX. SUNDAY.

TRAINS LEAVE RICHMOND: For Versailles, Lawrenceburg, Shelbyville, Louisville, Lexington, 6:05 a.m. and Cincinnati 7:45 a.m. For Irvine 1:55 a.m. For Miller's Creek 2:30 p.m.

TRAINS ARRIVE RICHMOND: From Louisville, Lexington and 11:54 a.m. Cincinnati 1:42 p.m. From Irvine 3:55 p.m. From Miller's Creek 4:30 a.m.

O. M. BROWNING, Gen. Mgr. R. A. Woolburn, S. & Versailles, Ky.

GEESE WANTED 100 car-loads of Geese wanted. Highest market price paid. Will also buy your pigeons. J. H. NEFF, sep 24-tf Richmond, Ky

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## WINE OF CARDUI

"Wine of Cardui" is indeed a blessing to tired women. Having suffered for seven years with weakness and bearing-down pains, and having tried several doctors and different remedies with no success, your Wine of Cardui was the only thing which helped me, and eventually cured me. It seemed to build up the weak parts, strengthen the system and correct irregularities.

By "tired women" Mrs. Adams means nervous women who have disordered menaces, falling of the womb, ovarian troubles or any of those ailments that women have. You can cure yourself at home with this great women's remedy, Wine of Cardui. Wine of Cardui has cured thousands of cases which doctors have failed to benefit. Why not begin to get well today? All druggists have \$1.00 bottles. For any stomach, liver or bowel disorder, Theodor's Black-Draught should be used.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, The Ladies' Advisory Dispensary, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

## THE CLIMAX \$100 A Year