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KENTUCKY PROGRESS.

Ashland—The Ashland Electric Light & Power Co., lately reported as contemplating putting in an incandescent dynamo, has purchased same.
Hardtown—A distillery will be started, it is reported.
Bowling Green—Mossy & Skages will erect a 40-barrel flour mill 12 miles from Bowling Green.

Clatsburg—The Thomas Lumber Co., previously reported as erecting a dry-kin, is adding a band saw mill.
Clay City—The Clay City Brick Co. has been incorporated by M. A. Carney, Charles Scott and C. J. Brown, for the manufacture of brick, tiles, pipe, etc. The capital stock authorized is \$50,000.

Cloverport—It is proposed to consolidate the Cloverport Mineral, Center Gas & Manufacturing Co. and the Gold Fortune Gas Co. to build the pipe line previously reported as to be built the Cloverport Mineral Co.

Covington—The Che-sapeake & Ohio Coal & Coke Co. has been incorporated by J. J. G. Brown, W. S. Howell and G. W. Benjamin with capital stock of \$25,000.

Earlington—A newspaper is to be published.
Glasgow—W. L. Porter and T. P. Dickinson have purchased a controlling interest in the Glasgow Cement & Manufacturing Co. and the Gold Fortune Gas Co. to build the pipe line previously reported as to be built the Cloverport Mineral Co.

Henderson—The Henderson County Natural Gas, Mining & Manufacturing Co., lately reported as to sink a gas well, has let contract for sinking two about four miles from Henderson. A gas well is found in efficient quantity it will be piped to Henderson and to Evansville, Ind.

Lair—Magibben Bros. have recently put in operation a new flour mill at Lexington. The legislature will be petitioned to authorize the city to issue bonds for the construction of a sewerage system.

Louisville—The Arkansas Granite Co., of Little Rock, Ark., which has the contract for furnishing the city with 30,000 tons of granite, has sublet to Mr. Smith, of Norfolk, Va., a contract to furnish 10,000 tons of granite.

Louisville—K. B. Grubb & Co., of Firecity, lately reported as to move their fire-brick works to Louisville, have commenced the erection of buildings for same.

Mayfield—Wright, Reeves, & Co. have recently put new machinery in their mill.
Middlesborough—The Middlesborough Town Co. has signed contracts with the representative of English capitalists to locate an iron and blast furnace in this city, with a capacity of the cost to be \$1,000,000. Bills are being made for the erection of the works.

Middlesborough—The Middlesborough Town Co. has signed agreements for the establishment of a red mill, sheet mill and nail mill.
Middlesborough—The Middlesborough Town Co. has signed a contract for the location of a furniture factory at Middlesborough by the Michigan firm.

Myers—The Washington Manufacturing & Mill Co. is putting a band saw mill in the lumber mill.
Owensboro—The Big Four Mineral & Natural Gas Co. and the Kennedy Gas Co. have consolidated and will sink the Kennedy gas well to a depth of 1,200 feet.

Pisasset Valley Mill—W. S. Fay, of Flemingsburg, will erect a new 50-barrel flour mill and has let contract for machinery.
Princeton—M. J. and T. Dodd, of Ladoga, Ind., expect to locate the stove factory in Princeton, lately mentioned, in January or February of next year. Heading machinery will be added later.

Vanceburg—The Boone Furnace tract of land has been sold for \$45,000.
Winchester—An electric fire-alarm system is being put in.—*Manufacturer's Record.*

HOWELL.

HOWELL, Dec. 13—The absorbing topic of interest to our citizens to-day is your municipal contest, which will have been decided perhaps before this reaches you. Let me assure you that the sympathies of our people are with you, and that the fight which you have made in behalf of a ticket which contains the names only of your best citizens.
From the municipal election to our primary is but the matter of a few days and an interest in this is being greater every day. Each candidate for the various offices has a following of which he may well feel proud, save and except the office of county judge—in this race there is a unanimity of sentiment which I have never before witnessed, and the recipient of our favors will be the Hon. M. D. Davis. This is owing to no ill will to his honorable and worthy opponent, Col. T. J. Morrow, but it is owing to his great personal popularity.
The death of Jefferson Davis has revived more talk of the war than I have heard for years, and whatever may be the verdict of history one thing is certain he died full of the respect, admiration and love of those who he had the honor to command. Owing to the continued warm weather but few hogs have been killed. Some apprehension is felt as to whether the product of those that have been fed for sale; yet as corn is low and plentiful it perhaps is best not to risk.

Corn raising is about finished and the crib and pens are all full. What is good grazing and the prospect was never better. Ed Gossett says it is much better in the Julien neighborhood than here.
Dr. Matthews and his accomplished sister will spend the Xmas holidays at Cedar Hill and Nashville. The Dr. will also endeavor during the vacation to take in "Bainbridge".
Success to you, Dr. Howell.

Look Over

The list carefully and you will find the best and most appropriate gifts at Grand, Generous, Bighearted BARGAINS,

The Pick of Santa's Pack.

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8c	Each for all linen Damask Towels, worth 12c.	15c	Each for best Harsey Hand Towels, soft wash, worth 25c.	25c	Each for pure linen Damask Towels, knotted fringe, draw a stitch, cheap at 3c.
33c	For elegant quality Damask Towels, knotted fringe worth 45c.	42c	For exquisite quality Damask Towels, knotted fringe, new and rich designs and colorings.	75c	For very fine Damask Towels, knotted fringe, fish borders.
10c	Each for stamped linen Mats with washable work.	\$1.95	For very fine Damask Table Cloth, 24 inch wide, pure white or hand-colored, worth \$1.12 1/2.	47c	For stamped linen Table scarf, very handsome, value 75c.
\$1.50	For stamped red Table Cloth, 14 inch wide, waterproof to stand and color fast.	15c	For stamped linen Table, worth 25c.	\$2.48	For best quality Damask Table Cloth, 36 inch wide, pure white or with 21 inch colored border, price elsewhere \$4.50.

HANDKERCHIEFS & MUFFLERS.

We closed out the entire sample lines of Messrs. H. Richter's Sons, New York Importers, and bought at half the cost of importation, this means wonderful bargains.

2c	Each for Ladies' Hemmed Handkerchiefs, fast colored borders, worth 5c.	5c	For Ladies' Hemmed Handkerchiefs, worth 10c.	10c	For Ladies' Sheer Drop Stitch Handkerchiefs, worth 15c.
15c	For Ladies' Sheer Handkerchiefs, worth 25c.	25c	For Ladies' Sheer Handkerchiefs, beautifully finished.	40c	For Ladies' Sheer drawn work Handkerchiefs, worth 75c.
35c	For Gentlemen's pure linen Handkerchiefs, very fine quality, hemmed.	15c	GREAT BARGAIN—50 dozen beautiful Silk Handkerchiefs, actually worth 40c, on at 25 cents each.	33c	For the Broadest Silk Handkerchiefs, value 50c.
62c	For full size white silk Mufflers, worth 75c.	\$1.08	For the quality White Silk Mufflers, worth \$1.50.	\$1.88	For lovely quality White Silk Mufflers, sold by others at \$2.75.
98c	For fancy silk Mufflers, large size, worth \$1.75.	\$1.58	Fancy silk Mufflers, rich in design and color, value \$2.25.	\$1.85	Elegant silk Mufflers, worth \$2.50.
19c	For Cashmere and Silk Mufflers, full size, sold elsewhere at 30c.	38c	For Cashmere and Silk Mufflers, worth 50c.	90c	For fine French Cashmere Mufflers, value \$1.25.

FANCY BOX HANDKERCHIEFS.

35c	For a box of Linen Handkerchiefs for children.	90c	For a handsome box of half dozen Pure Linen Handkerchiefs.	\$1.25	For a beautiful box of gentlemen's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 12 dozen to box.
\$1.25	For a beautiful box of gentlemen's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 12 dozen to box.	\$1.50	For a lovely box of beautiful Linen Handkerchiefs, 12 dozen to box.	\$2.00	For a lovely box of fine Linen Handkerchiefs, ladies or gent's 12 dozen to box.

SUNDRIES.

10c	For a German Silver Thimble.	44c	For a splendid Fur Muff, worth 75c.	58c	For a Seal Fish Muff, extra lined, actually worth \$1.25.
MIDWAY	Elegant thimble in Fox, Lynx, Opium, Agave and Hare Muff, first quality.	50c	For your choice of any gentleman's necktie in our house, it all goes.	POCKET BINKS	—A new sample line of holiday hand and pocket books at half value, all new stylish goods.
\$1.25	For Rich Chenille Table Covers, 1 yard square.	\$2.38	For fine silk and linen table covers.	APRONS	—Elegant French Muslin Aprons, beautifully embroidered, at reduced prices.
\$1.00	For plated and Marcellite Hot in Laundry Shirts, also a lovely line of fine Hosiery, 25 cents up.	\$1.38	For extra large marcellite counterpane, worth \$1.75.	\$2.68	For 12 Henry Marcellite Counterpanes, worth \$5.50.
\$1.18	For Gold Head tinware sets, 10 pieces, 25 inches, value \$2.50.	\$3.68	For Lyons Celebrated pure silk Underwear with heavy 2 1/2 inch rib, former price \$7.00.	LADIES COLLARS	and Cuffs in all the new styles and styles.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

33c	A pair for Electrolytic Victoria Fast Black Hosiery. See sample card on 2c.	48c	A pair for Ladies Fine Cashmere Hose, made from 25 cents.	\$1.19	A pair for ladies pure spun Silk Hose, down from \$1.75.
19c	Ladies Cashmere Gloves, worth 25c. Elegant line of Fine Cashmere gloves.	98c	A pair for Ladies Fine Kid Gloves, worth \$1.50.	\$1.75	A pair for black under and some pattern and gloves. The scarcest in this city in America.

SMYRNA RUGS.

63c	For Smyrna Mats, sold elsewhere at 75 cents.	\$2.37	For 36 inch wide Rugs, sold elsewhere at \$3.50.	\$2.93	For 36 inch Rugs, sold elsewhere at \$4.50.
\$4.22	For 36 inch Rugs, sold elsewhere at \$6.00.	\$3.83	For handsome Chenille Parlor Rugs, down from \$1.25.	\$7.23	For very rich Silk Chenille Parlor Rugs.

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and we know it will have to be a hustler to do that. But here goes and we will leave it to the people to judge.

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Several lots of \$8.00, 10.00, 12.00 and 14.00 Suits down to \$5.00.

This sounds ridiculous, but by our way of doing business you can easily find out whether it is true or not. Every man, woman and child almost knows that our goods are all marked in plain figures and at exactly what they are for, and if you'll come in and we don't show you the original prices of which were \$8, \$10, \$12 and \$14 and in this sale \$5.00, we will give you the finest suit in our store.

Remember this don't apply to every \$10, 12 or 14 suits in our store, but to only 6 or 7 lots.

In like manner we have marked down several lots of \$15.00 and 18.00 Suits to \$7.50 for this sale and so on throughout our stock.

In boys fine worsted and cassimere suits we have out some of our choicest patterns down to \$5, original price \$7.50, \$8.00 and 10.00. In childrens suits we offer choice of our stock for \$5.00, including those elegant \$8, 9 and 10.00. In this sale we will sell an all-wool (we mean it) light weight suit for \$1.00 worth 3.00.

Choice of Our Boys Knee Pants for 50 Cents.

CHOICE OF OUR MEN'S FINE PANTS WORTH \$7.50, \$8.00 AND \$8.50 FOR \$5.00.

At \$3 we will sell as good wearing pants all-wool as you made.

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Several lots of Men's \$10, 12 and 14 Overcoats down to \$5. Our finest \$17.50, Silk-lined Wideweals down to \$12.50, Childrens \$2 and 3 Overcoats down to \$1.00.

Underwear.

Mens all-wool shirts and drawers worth 75 cents for 25 cents.

Men's Collar in Undershirts worth 25 to 35 cents for 15 cents.

Olds and ends in fine wool shirts and drawers for 75 cents to \$1.25 worth double.

Childrens Merino Shirts, 15 cents. Childrens all-wool shirts and drawers 25 cents.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Celluloid Collars, all shapes and sizes for 5 cents. Celluloid Cuffs, 10 cents. Four-ply Linen Collars, broken sizes, 5 cents. Silk Mufflers at one-half price. Fast colored woven bordered Handkerchiefs, worth 10 cents for 4 cents. The finest line of Silk, Satin and Velvet Scarfs bought especially for holiday trade at lowest prices. Beautiful line of lined and unlined kid and calf skin dress gloves. Pure linen bosom double back and front un-laundered shirts, 40 cents. First-class marcellite and pique bosom dress shirts for 50 cents, worth \$1.50. Finest camel's hair and natural wool 1/2 hose worth 40 cents for 25 cents.

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Choice of our fine imported French Hats that sell for \$3 to \$4 in this sale for \$2. Three grand lots of Derby's:

1st. All \$1.75 and \$2.00 grades for	\$1.25
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Men's fine Fur Crushers worth \$2.00 for \$1.00. The new Puff Cap for children worth \$1.00 for 50 cents. Choice of all 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Children's Plush Turbans for 25 cents. Men's Fur Caps worth \$1.50 for 75 cents.

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The sales in this department have been truly wonderful at least

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Men's Silk Embroidered and Alligator Slippers for 50 cents to \$2.50, much less than factory cost. 60 pairs Ladies' finest Dongola and French Kid Hand Sewed and Machine Turned Shoes, originally price \$3.00 to \$5.00 in this sale go for only \$2.00. Old ladies' and men's felt shoes and slippers

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