Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

THEO. E. BARTLEY, Business Manager

TUESDAY, MARCH 15th, 1892

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. Bailey Richards has returned from New York.

Miss Hallie Rives, of Lafayette, is visiting in the city.

Dick McCarroll, of Dallas, Tex., is visiting his parents here.

Hon. C. J. Pratt, of Madisonville, was attending Court yesterday.

Mr. S. R. Layne, of Pembroke, visited his parents Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Samuels, of Nashville, were in the city Sunday.

Mr. A. I. White, of Nashville, is visiting relatives in the city and vicinity.

Esq. Ned Campbell and son, of Henderson, are visiting Mr. B S. Campbell.

Misses Nellie Bradley and Willie Campbell visited Miss Jessie Whitlow, at Casky, Sunday.

Miss Nellie Lerly, of the Superior Art Co., Evansville, Ind, left for her home Friday night.

Mr. J. M Frankel will leave for the east to morrow to buy spring goods. Mrs Frankel will accompany him to buy a stock of Millinery.

Jim Gooch, who has been Mr. E. P. Campbell's private secretary, will go to Louisville this week to take a position with the *Kentucky Methodist*.

Mr. F. M. Whitlow and little son, of Casky, were in town Friday. Mr. Whitlow came in the interest of Sam'l Hodgson's marble works at Clarksville, and as usual did a good business for his establishment, which is the best established and best equipped enterprise of the kind to be found anywhere in the whole country.—Cadiz *Telephone*.

Mr. Edw. O. Leigh, Assistant Secretary of State, was in Tennessee last week on public business and took occasion to run over to this city to spend Sunday. By a singular coincidence he was so fortunate as to meet a party here for whom he had at attachment. He spent most of the day looking after this case, and left in the afternoon after taking necessary steps to bring the matter into court.

CREAM OF NEWS.

Night Watchman Killed.

T. J. Stevenson who had been employed as night watchman of the Henderson bridge for years, was instantly killed Thursday night at 9 o'clock. His death is mysterious, but it was supposed that while making the rounds over the bridge a gun he carried was accidentall discharged. His body was cut to pieces by a train, which could not be stopped in time after he was discovered on the track.

Hugh C. McGehee Buncoed.

Hugh C. McGehee, a merchant at Oak Grove, went to St. Louis last week and fell into the hands of bunco steerers and was robbed of all his money and his gold watch. The Evansville *Courier* of Friday gives Mr. McGehee's explanation of how it was done. He says he fell in with three strangers whomade themselves agreeable on the train coming home and finally invited him to play euchre "just for fun." After awhile they began playing for small stakes, which were gradually increased until their victim had staked and lost several hundred dollars and a fine gold watch. They got off the train and gave him the slip before reaching Evansville.

MATRIMONIAL.

LeRoy-Traylor—Eloped to Clarksville, on the 9th, from Caldwell county, Mr. Marion LeRoy and Miss Addie Belle Traylor. Married by Rev. B. T. Watson.

Burks-George—Dr. R. H. Burks, a young dentist of Princeton, was married to Miss Jessie George, of White Sulphur, Ky.

Mann-Ethridge—Mr. T. M. Mann and Miss Bobbie Ethridge, of Lyon county, eloped to Metropolis, Ill., and were married last week.

A social sensation at Murray was the elopement last week of Geo. Derrington, a widower with Miss Ida Matthews, a daughter of Rev. T. M. Matthews, of that place. The minister was so much opposed to the match that he threatened to shoot Derrington if he married his daughter. The girl, however, went with him to Illinois and they were married and have returned to Murray and gone to housekeeping.

TOBACCO NEWS.

CLARKSVILLE MARKET.

Clarksville, Tenn., March 10, '92.—Offerings of tobacco by Hancock, Withers & Co., for two weeks ending March 10th, 1892:

45 hhds. common to good leaf $5 75 to 10 50.

34 hhds. common to good lugs $3 50 to 6 25.

DEATHS.

Robert E. Bennen, an asylum patient, died in that institution Friday, aged 55 years. Bennen was for many years a prosperous merchant at Paducah and his remains were taken back to that place for interment Saturday.

Four-year-old child of Mr. Kephert, near the city, Sunday.

HERE AND THERE.

Vitalia Liver Pills restore lost appetite.

Anything from a nickle to an Onyx clock at Yates'.

According to the ground hog, this is the last day of winter.

The fruit crop is still all right in spite of the recent freeze.

Born to the wife of Esq. B. D. Lackey, of Fairview, on the 13th, a boy.

Orange spoons, fruit knives, cream ladles, etc., just received at Yates'.

Dr. A. P. Campbell, dentist, office at Mr. J. N. Mills, East Seventh St.*

Ducker & Underwood, undertakers, office opposite First National Bank.*

The six months limit on the Garity electric light franchise expires March 26.

Alex Crabb had one of his hands badly mashed while operating a job press in this office Friday.

Sunday was a day after one's own heart. It was the first pretty Sabbath we have had for many weeks.

A chorus of twenty five voices has been organized at the Baptist church with Bailey Waller as leader.

Lost.—A pair of gold spectacles between Baptist church and my residence. Liberal reward. J. P. Thomas.

Work has been stopped on the Ninth street fill until the sewer can be taken up and rebuilt of stone.

Robt. Hallam was drowned while fishing in Barren river, near Bowling Green. He was 26 years old and a printer.

Mercury didn't stop at 28 Thursday, but by Friday morning fell to 20 degrees. It was a sure enough cold wave.

As low down as Clinton, Miss., the mercury went down to 30 degrees and in that latitude caught the fruit trees in full bloom.

The Court of Appeals Saturday overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of Abernathy vs. Long and Wheeler, Mills & Co.

The tobacco sales of Hancock, Withers & Co., Clarksville, appear in this issue, and will be read with interest by the farmers.

Matt Rawls, of Princeton, was robbed of $35 by a sneak thief, who entered his room at night. A negro boy was arrested on suspicion.

The Uniform rank, K of P., has elected Thomas Rodman, captain, Henry Taudy first lieutenant and John P. Campbell second lieutenant

Miss Virginia Haile, of Colombus, Ky., is in the city for the purpose of organizing a Sketchograph Portrait School. Further announcement Friday.

Large numbers of people, men, women and children, walked out on the O. V. Railroad Sunday, many of them to a distance of a mile and a half.

Mrs. Sthalsworth and Miss Merriam pleasantly entertained a limited number of invited guests, in the parlors of Bethel Female College, Saturday night.

Casper J. Fell's has sued the Breckenridge Railroad Co., at Cloverport, for killing his son Jno. B. Fella Reuben A. Miller, of Owensboro, is his lawyer.

Any one wishing a Spring suit cheap should call on Frank Zinder, merchant tailor, Ninth street rear of First National Bank. Prices from $20 up. Pants from $5 up.

A large piece of plastering fell in the corner near one of the stoves during the performance in the Opera House Saturday night. It was not over any seats and no harm was done.

The house of Mrs. G. W. Douglass, of Warren county, was struck by lightning and although she was not injured she died from nervous prostration, being literally scared to death.

The beautiful display of foot weart in Thomas Rodman's show windows is the talk of the town. Mr. J. F. Danforth is entitled to the credit for arranging the handsome line so artistically.

The Governor has remitted the $100 fine against Dr. White (the "W. W. W" doctor who was recently here) assessed by Esq. Tinsley because he forgot to register his license. Maj. Phelps was his attorney.

Felix Grundy's sire old Happy Cross, who is 15 years old, was sold on the 9th inst at Mr. Hiliary Bell's sale Fairfield Nelson Co., Ky. for $1,000.00. His purchaser lives in Marion County where, they are preparing to raise some fine saddle stock.

Dr. A. J. Knapp, the celebrated optician, will be in Hopkinsville on April 1st and 2nd. As Dr. Knapp will not visit this city during March parties desiring his services will do well to remember the above dates.*

In Henderson coal is delivered in thirty bushel loads at 8½ cents per bushel for lump; 6½ cents per bushel for nut, and 3 cents for steam coal. In quantities of fifty bushels or more it is one-third of a cent cheaper for lump.

Weather Prophet Foster's predictions for this week are, Sunday moderating, Monday warmer, Tuesday storm wave, Wednesday wind changing and cooler, Thursday clearing and cool, Friday moderating, Saturday warmer.

Chief Fritz arrested Virgil Bogan, col., at Guthrie, Thursday, on a charge of house breaking and grand larceny committed at Franklin about a week ago. He spent the night in jail here and was taken to Franklin Friday to answer the charges. It is believed that he is the same man who robbed two ministers at Greenville last week, as he answers the description. He is considered a desperate character but made no resistance when he was taken it to custody by Mr. Fritz.

There are eight brothers living in this county, the smallest of which is six feet tall and weighs 180 pounds. The largest stands six feet, two inches in his sock feet and tips the beam at 228 pounds. They are Messrs. A. H., J. D., Lige, M. S., George, Sam, Alex, and A. B. Bastin, and are sons of the late William Bastin, who was a comparatively small man. Their mother was a small lady, but a very hearty one, and was the mother of 15 children.—Stanford *Journal*.

Dr. Appleman, the Louisville specialist, was in the city one day last week, as per announcement. His rooms were crowded with patients throughout the day, and the fact that his business is rapidly increasing was apparent. Should the rush continue it will be necessary for him to spend two days of each month with us instead of one. He will again visit the city Thursday, April 7, remaining one day only. The afflicted should bear this date in mind.

Gray & Pace, the Ninth street barbers, have had their office handsomely papered and painted for spring. The paper will prove especially attractive to lovers of horse flesh, as the figure is a horse-shoe design and the border is a string of racers in full speed. This firm does a large business and its patronage has increased so much of late that another chair will be put in shortly.

The O. V. hands nearest the city are now beyond the Major place and as the grade is light are making rapid headway. About four miles, or nearly half, of the road has been graded, and work is also being pushed on the gap at Princeton. Contractor Morgan says the entire road will be graded in five weeks, with good weather.

Let the holders of dark tobacco, thoroughly organize and make the fight for their lives against the Regies. Clarksville, Paducah, Hopkinsville and Louisville can accomplish more by uniting under a common banner and fighting a common enemy, than they can by pin hooking small shipments from one another. Altogether is our motto.—*Progress-Democrat*.

Mr. Buckner Leavell is announced to day as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Leavell is one of the staunchest and best-known Democrats in the county and a high official in the F. & L. Union. He will make a race that will set a 2:30 pace from start to finish.

If you wish the best poultry stock that is typical in shape, rich in color and beautiful in marking, stock that is bred from a long line of winners, and will breed a long line of winners, then you should place an order with the Empire Poultry Yard, Pickford & Co., Proprs., Empire, Ky.

Gov. Brown last week appointed Mr. Charles Knight to the vacancy on the board of asylum Commissioners. Mr. Knight is a gentleman of intelligence and of excellent business ideas and his nearness to the asylum will make him a valuable member on the Board. The appointment is a first rate one.

The Central City *Herald* writes up Rev. A. D. Litchfield, of Butler county, as a "jack leg," an "ignoramus," a "pusillanimous puppy," and other similar things, on account of an offensive sermon preached on the subject of dancing, in which certain utterances of the *Herald* were severely criticised.

Grand Dictator, A. J. Hess, of Columbus, Ky., will deliver a public lecture at the Church Hill grange hall on the fourth Friday in this month. His subject will be "The objects and aims of the Knights of Honor." The public invited. The lecture will begin promptly at 1 o'clock p. m.

Mr. E. M. Flack, who has had his office with J. D. Ware for some years, has opened an office of his own in the corner room over the postoffice. Mr. Norman Smith, of Clarksville, will be in charge of this office, as Mr. Flack spends a portion of every week in Clarksville during the tobacco season.

Rev. J. B. Cottrell and Rev. J. A. Lewis were in Greenville last week and had their rooms entered by a thief who stole their pants and pocketbooks. Dr. Cottrell lost $112 and Mr. Lewis $5. The latter awoke in time to see a negro escaping with his plunder.

The Hartie building is being torn down this week and arrangements are being made to move the Hawkins and Stoehr cottages to vacant lots of Mr. A. Hille's, on Jesup Avenue. These houses are all on the O. V. depot grounds.

The Iron Hall is having a boom since the cash payments it made in last week. There is a regular rush of new members. The plan is to pay in about $48 a year for seven years and draw out $1,000.

Fifty-six jurors from Hopkins county arrived yesterday morning summoned in the Boyd case. A jury was made up and the rest returned at 10 o'clock.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. ex-sheriff John Boyd was called yesterday and is now being tried. This is the famous embezzlement case which was made the main issue in the county election of 1890. A special panel of 56 jurors from Hopkins county arrived yesterday and out of this number a jury was made up. This entailed an expense to the state of about $5 each or nearly $300. The jury as made up is as follows: W. T. Davis, S. H. Hanna, A. P. Hanna, C F. Williams, G. W. Gower, E. B Frost, W. C. Kell, Adam Shank, R. W. Bryant, J. D. Garrard, J. L. Berchfield, J. R. Demoss.

The commonwealth is represented by Mr. Garnett and the defendant by Petree & Downer, Clark & Howell, L. A. Sypert and C. J. Pratt.

Two divorces were granted yesterday. The cases were Mandy Hester vs. Sam B. Hester and Harriet Bryant vs. Noble Bryant, col.

Nothing of importance was done Friday or Saturday. Only one jury case was tried.

W. J. Withers & Son are now the leading stock dealers in this end of the State They have during the last six months, sold five fancy geldings for a total of $1900.00 an average per head of $380.00. During the month of January they handled 193 head of hogs and about 100 head of cattle; up to this time they have sold to farmers 22 head of mules. Besides the above they pack pork every fall, having killed this past season only about 400, on account of the hog crop being short.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Columbian Exposition.

The First National Bank has opened an account called "The Columbian Exposition Fund," and proposes a plan by which most any body may be able to attend the great fair in 1893. Particulars on application.

Notice of Dissolution.

By mutual consent the partnership heretofore existing between S. R. White and Mrs. L. H. Ham, doing business under the firm name of S. R. White & Co., at Julien, Ky., is dissolved and Mr. M. E. Ham, by consent is authorized to collect the uncollected notes and accounts due said firm, but neither party is to use the firm name for any other purpose. This February 27th, 1892.

S. R. WHITE,
L. H. HAM, By M. E. HAM. 18-4t

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

Of Hopkinsville, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business

March 1st, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 34,595 35
Overdrafts	995 80
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	16,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents	22,515 86
Due from other National Banks	7,031 44
Due from State banks and bankers	766 20
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	1,797 88
Other real estate & mortgages owned	4,700 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	898 34
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	2,720 00
Checks and other cash items	1,055 14
Bills of other banks	6,156 00
Fractional currency, nickels, & cents	399 04
Specie	14,095 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulat'n)	720.00
Due from U. S. Treasury, other than 5 per cent. redemptioe fund	120 00
Total	$174,440 65

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 60,000 00
Surplus Fund	1,234 11
Undivided Profits	2,128 42
National Bank notes outstanding	14,400 00
Dividends unpaid	665 00
Individual deposits subject to check	95,999 12
TOTAL	174,440 65

State of Kentucky, County of Christian, ss: I, Thos W. Long, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOS. W. LONG, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of March., 1892. WALTER KELLY, Notary Public

CORRECT—Attest:
JOHN MOAYON,
C. F. JARRETT,
W. A. LOWRY, } Directors.