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Bring Your Keys

Next Monday, Aug. 12, and try them in our safe!

\$20 In Silver

To the holder of the RIGHT KEY!

It's going to be FUN to WATCH IT!

J. B. ANDERSON & CO

AS CHEAP AS

Well, just come and see how cheap they are

HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES just to suit you.

An elegant line of Summer Lap-Robes opened now. Every thing you can need we have.

F. A. Yost & Co.

Great Offerings!

Our Summer Clearance Sale is still going on and we are selling at a Great Sacrifice our handsome line

Dress Goods, French Gingham, Summer Goods, Novelty Wool Patterns.
These goods are going at cost and you will never have such another opportunity to buy.

If you want

Carpets, Mattings or Rugs

Remember we have the best stock in town and offer bargains impossible to duplicate.

RICHARDS & CO.

Well!

You found \$5 shoes at \$1. We now have 175 pairs Bolton's Ladies Shoes, sizes 1 to 6,—selling price from \$3 to \$5,—and we are still determined to sell them at \$1. Come everyone who wears narrow shoes and get them at this Slaughter Sale.

SHIRTS.

We are still selling the now famous "Stronghold" unlaundered shirt at 50 cents—worth One Dollar.

BOYS CLOTHING.

Boys and Childrens Suits go at a \$2.50 for \$1.65, \$3.50 suit for \$2.25, and a Five Dollar Suit goes for \$3.50.

STRAW HATS.

The Grand Climax on Straw Hats! Only a few, but all go at 25 cents. **25 Cents Takes the Best Straw Hat.**

FURNISHINGS.

Furnishing Goods at actual cost.

HATS.

During this sale all hats may be had at a discount of 25 pr. ct.

—WE HAVE ALL WE ADVERTISE.—

PETREE & CO.

CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Princeton Elopement—More Arrest—Miss Carrie Hart Killed—The Louisville G. A. R. Meeting—Other News Items.

THE CONTRACT SIGNED.

Bullock Puts up the Forfeit and Water-works are a Go.

The council at the regular meeting Tuesday night closed the contract with Sam'l R. Bullock, for a system of waterworks, and the contract was signed, sealed and delivered. Mr. Bullock was present and deposited a certified check for \$5,000, to be forfeited to the city in the event he fails to construct the plant within six months. The vote was unanimous. The pipe system is to consist of not less than 9½ miles of pipe of the usual sizes and best quality.

There will be one hundred hydrants at \$40 each, payable \$2,000 on May 1, and \$2,000 on Sept. 1, of each year. There will be two pumps of 1,000,000 gallons each in 24 hours; also two boilers of double the needed capacity.

The stand-pipe will be 16 feet in diameter and 100 feet in height above the foundation.

The reservoir will be made by damming the river above the L. & N. bridge and it will have a capacity of 5,000,000 gallons.

The pump house will be of brick or stone with metal or slate roof.

The water will be taken from Little River. A sufficient pressure to give ample fire protection all over the city will be guaranteed.

Water will be furnished free of charge to the three public schools and for five drinking fountains with openings for man and beast. No one will be allowed to carry water from these fountains. Also one ornamental fountain erected by the city will be supplied. This will enable the city to get the bequest of Mrs. M. N. Roach, left several years ago for that purpose, and which is held in trust by Judge Landes.

The work is to be commenced on or before Aug. 16 and completed within six months, or by Feb. 16, '96.

After the expiration of ten years the council shall have the right to purchase the plant, which shall be appraised by disinterested parties.

Provisions are made for extending the system and the company will be given an amount equal to the city taxes for five years as a donation.

The rates charged will be reasonable enough.

Mr. Crawley, the chief engineer, has already completed a map of the city and work will be pushed ahead without delay.

A Princeton Elopement.

PRINCETON, Ky., Aug. 7.—County Attorney James T. Coleman and Miss Pocahontas Randolph, daughter of County Judge Randolph, eloped to Nashville, Tenn., last night and were married in the parlors of the Maxwell House this morning.

The groom is a promising member of the Princeton bar, now serving his second term as County Attorney. The bride is beautiful and accomplished and is a relative of the noted Virginia family of Randolphs, who trace their relationship back to the noted person for whom she was named. They will return home to-night and ask for parental forgiveness. The affair was quite a surprise, as it was believed Mr. Coleman was going to marry another.

More Arrests at Princeton.

PRINCETON, Ky., Aug. 7.—L. L. Creekman and Glenn Staffey are under arrest here, charged with complicity in the Howton tragedy. This makes three now ready for examining trials. Witherspoon will have his preliminary trial to-morrow. Excitement is running high. Great crowds of country people come to town every day to find out what is going on.

Commonwealth's Attorney John L. Grayot has been employed to conduct the examinations, and they will have to give a good account of themselves or be placed behind the bars.

A Kentuckian Girl Jumps Out of a Carriage, Breaking Her Neck.

HENDERSON, Ky., Aug. 6.—[Special.]—Miss Carrie Hart, daughter of David Hart, one of our most prominent citizens, lost her life by a most distressing accident this afternoon. She was driving, together with her two sisters, an infant of Jackson McClain and the driver of the family carriage, when the horses became frightened and ran away. While going at full speed Miss Hart jumped out and had her neck broken by the fall.

G. A. R. Encampment.

Louisville expects to be called upon to entertain 300,000 visitors at the G. A. R. encampment on Sept. 9 and there are fears that the city has "bit off more than it can chew."

ASSEMBLY NOMINATIONS.

Blackburn's Strong Lead in the Senatorial Race.

Following is a list of 49 nominations already made for the next legislature. Many of these have not announced their preference for senator but at least 25 of them are counted with reasonable certainty for Blackburn. Below we mark the known preferences of those who have taken a stand in the senatorial race. The others are not marked at all. Where nominations have not been made Blackburn expects to get the members in Scott, Woodford, Kenton, Covington, Logan, Daviess, Owensboro, McCracken and other districts.

SENATORS.

Warren, Allen and Edmondson counties—Jas. S. Lay, Bl.
Marion, Taylor and Washington counties—C. C. McChord, Bl.
Carroll, Henry, Oldham and Trimble counties—Park C. Smith, Bl.
Owen, Boone, and Gallatin counties—R. B. Brown, Bl.

Fayette county—C. J. Bronston, Bl.
City of Louisville—Jno. H. Weller.
Calloway, Livingston, Lyon and Trigg counties—Fenton Sims, Bl.
Green and Hart—W. J. Bale, Bu.

REPRESENTATIVES.

Graves county—J. E. Robbins, Bl.
Hopkins county—W. P. Davis.
Webster county—W. G. Brooks.
McLean county—G. W. Hickman, Bl.
Todd county—J. S. Johnson.
Simpson county—J. W. Dinning, Bl.
Warren county—Bowling Green district—Nerge Clark, Bu; county district, W. G. Gosson, Bu.

Meade county—J. D. Hardin.
Hardin county—C. W. White.
Hart county—W. J. Macey, Bu.
Marion county—C. C. Spalding.

First district of Louisville—Jno. M. Letterlie; second district, H. H. Goeke; third district, T. P. Satterwhite; fourth district, A. J. Carroll; fifth district, Hector Dulancy; sixth district, C. J. Cronan; seventh district, J. M. Huffaker, Oldham and Trimble counties—W. O. Coleman, Bl.
Carroll and Gallatin counties—B. F. Furnish, Bl.

Henry county—W. P. Thorne, Bl.
Shelby county—P. J. Foree, McC.
Anderson county—J. T. Stout, McC.
Owen county—S. P. Wilt.

Fayette county—First district, Moses Kaufman, Bl; second district, Jas. Phelps, Bl.
Jessamine county—R. S. Perry.
Boyle county—H. K. Hay, McC.

Lincoln county—M. F. North.
Madison county—J. C. Chenault, McC.
Harrison county—W. C. Swinford.
Grant county—Dr. W. H. Daugherty.
Boone county—Dr. J. G. Furnish.

Montgomery and Menefee counties—W. F. Horton.
Knott, Floyd and Letcher counties—John H. Johns.

Wayne and Clinton counties—Alvin Bertram.
Larue county—Dr. R. N. Moss.
Ballard and Carlisle—Chas. Wickliffe, Bu.
Lyon and Marshall—A. C. Holland, Bl.
Crittenden and Livingston—T. J. Nichols, Bl.

Trigg—Denny P. Smith.
Allen—J. H. Hancock, Bl.
Franklin—Jas. A. Violett, McC.
Mercer—J. Morgan Chinn, Bl.

Morgan and Wolfe—J. C. Lykins, McC.
Nelson—Isaiah Wilson.
Ohio—S. K. Cox.
Clark—J. W. Willis.

DEATH OF MRS. TALMAGE.

The Wife of the Eminent Minister Receives a Shock Several Years Ago From Which She Never Recovered.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Mrs. T. Dewitt Talmage died at Danville, N. Y., this morning. Since the burning of the Brooklyn Tabernacle last year Mrs. Talmage has suffered from nervous prostration and has never fully recovered from the shock sustained then.

The deceased was the second wife of Dr. Talmage. His first wife was drowned while boating, in 1862, leaving a daughter, Miss Jessie, and a son, who has since died. Within two years afterward the Doctor married Miss Susie Whittener, of Brooklyn. She became the mother of five children, Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage, Mrs. Dorin, Mrs. Mangan, Miss Maud and Miss Daisy Talmage.

Clarksville's Telephone War.

CLARKSVILLE, Aug. 5.—To-day the Clarksville Telephone Company began to place instruments in the business houses and residences of the city. The Company has about 200 subscribers. The Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company has for some time operated in this city, and lately a rather sharp war has been waged between the two companies, and the prices of 'phones have been considerably reduced to customers. The new company uses the Harrison patent.

World to End in Ten Days.

TABOR, Ia., Aug. 5.—The Holiness people have been holding meetings in this city the last week. They claim to have had a divine presentment that the world will come to an end within ten days. The Holiness people have worked themselves into a frenzy, and some of their leaders announce positively the early destruction of the world, and many of their followers are making preparations for the exit.

W. N. Love, the murderer of the Rodenbaughs, at Versailles, has been taken to Lexington to escape a mob.

GREAT

"Specker Bros." SALE.

Begins Monday Morning August 12th.

Fortunate purchases from the great Cincinnati Assignee's Sale to be offered as a benefit to our customers.

A Money Saving Sale of the Extraordinary kind.

Staple and highly desirable merchandise at prices to delight the Economical.

Stock must be closed in 7 days.

Prices will make quick work.

BASSETT & CO.

A MURDEROUS KENTUCKIAN.

A Fence Dealer of Lexington Kills a Hotel Keeper and His Son.

VERSAILLES, Ky., Aug. 5.—Shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon, W. N. Lane, a fence dealer, of Lexington, Ky., shot and killed Jas. Rodenbaugh, and mortally wounded H. C. Rodenbaugh, father of James, at Hotel Woodford.

Early this morning Lane arrived from Lexington, quite drunk, and applied at the Hotel Woodford, of which H. C. Rodenbaugh is the proprietor, for a room in which to sleep off his drunk. Shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon Lane came down, and addressing H. C. Rodenbaugh, said: "The room that you gave me is not fit for a hog." He kept up loud and abusive language.

Finally H. C. Rodenbaugh said: "The room was very nice until after you had been in it."

This enraged Lane and made him more violent. Just then Jas. Rodenbaugh, aged 22, son of the proprietor, and a cripple, came in with a revolver in his hand, and addressing Lane, said: "Get out of here, you shall not abuse my old father in that way."

Quicker than it can be said Lane drew a pistol and fired, sending a bullet through the young man's neck cutting the jugular vein. As Jas. Rodenbaugh fell he fired at Lane. His aim was unsteady and the ball barely grazed Lane's left breast, plowing along the side.

More furious than ever, Lane rushed up to the old man and at close range sent a bullet through his mouth into the base of the brain and still another into his spine as he fell by the dead body of his young son. Lane was immediately jailed. He is an agent for a patent fence, with his office at Lexington.

H. C. Rodenbaugh was a soldier in the Federal army under Col. Charles D. Jacob, ex-mayor of Louisville. He was eight years postmaster of Nicholasville during Grant's administration. He kept a hotel at Nicholasville until he came here last spring to take charge of the Hotel Woodford.

While in Jessamine county he was the leading Republican of that county. He also had turf interests, in partnership with Rodegap, he was owner of Rook Laidley, Alary, Orisio and others, including some colts in training at Lexington. His only surviving child is Mrs. Cyrus Kenney, of Nicholasville.

At 10 o'clock to-night H. C. Rodenbaugh was sinking. He can scarcely live till midnight.