

A full beard isn't much consolation to a man with a bald head—

Ayer's Hair Vigor will make hair grow.

CHARLIE SOMMERS.

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nomination. The last three named witnesses will show that Sommers got off the train on the day of the alleged bribery at Benson Station, this county, and returned here.

The counsel for the defendant gave in no list of witnesses to be called, and will probably introduce no evidence. Judge Pryor, of counsel, stated this afternoon that Mr. Sommers would not go on the witness stand in his own behalf, and that the case would probably be submitted at the close of the testimony for the Commonwealth.

The examination of witnesses was resumed to day. The penalty is a fine of \$500 and disfranchisement.

The Hopkinsville Tobacco Market.

Dear Sir:—We herewith quote you sales of 211 hhds. of tobacco made at our houses since last report:

10 hhds. good to fine leaf, \$11 50, 11 50, 11 00, 10 50, 10 50, 10 00, 9 50, 9 50, 9 00, 9 00.

64 hhds. med. to good leaf, \$8 95, 9 75, 8 50, 8 35, 8 25, 8 00, 7 90, 7 75, 7 75, 7 60, 7 60, 7 60, 7 60, 7 50, 7 50, 7 50, 7 50, 7 50, 7 40, 7 40, 7 40, 7 40, 7 30, 7 25, 7 25, 7 25, 7 20, 7 20, 7 20, 7 20, 7 10, 7 10, 7 10, 7 00, 7 00, 6 90, 6 90, 6 90, 6 90, 6 90, 6 90, 6 90, 6 80, 6 80, 6 80, 6 75, 6 75, 6 75, 6 75, 6 70, 6 70, 6 70, 6 60, 6 50, 6 50, 6 50, 6 50, 6 50, 6 50.

74 hhds. com. to med. leaf, running from \$5 50 to \$6 50.

31 hhds. med. to good lugs, running from \$3 50 to \$5 00.

32 hhds. com. lugs, running from \$2 00 to \$3 50.

Market firm and active at about last week's prices, breaks being largely composed of common leaf and lugs all of which seem to sell at prices more satisfactory than better grades.

Will be glad to hear from you often and hope to have a consignment of a few hogsheads soon.

Yours Very Truly GAITHER & WEST.

Sale of 38 hhds. of tobacco Wheeler & Faxon, April 26, '99.

25 hhds. leaf, \$7 00, 7 00, 7 00, 7 00, 6 95, 6 95, 6 95, 6 50, 6 50, 6 25, 6 25, 6 30, 5 80, 5 80, 5 75, 5 75, 5 60, 5 50, 5 30, 5 25, 5 10, 5 00, 5 00, 5 00.

9 hhds. lugs, \$3 60, 3 50, 3 00, 3 00, 2 85, 2 60, 2 50, 2 30, 2 25.

4 hhds. trash \$1 95, 1 90, 1 60, 1 60. Market about same as last week

Sales by Ragsdale Cooper & Co., Hopkinsville, Ky., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday April 25, 26, 27, 295 Hhds. as follows:

9 hhds. leaf, \$11.00 to \$12.00. 4 hhds. leaf, \$10.00 to \$11.00. 8 hhds. leaf, \$9.00 to \$10.00. 20 hhds. leaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00. 42 hhds. leaf, \$5.00 to \$6.00. 40 hhds. lugs, \$4.00 to \$5.00. 75 hhds. lugs, \$3.00 to \$4.00. 51 hhds. lugs, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

R. E. COOPER, For RAGSDALE, COOPER & CO.

Chicago Market. Chicago, April 27.—May wheat opened at 72 1/2 and closed at 71 3/4; July wheat opened at 72 3/4 and closed at 72; May corn opened at 34 1/2 and closed at 33 3/4.

Our Shoes are good Shoes! every pair warranted. Try us, you'll

ANIMATED ART TOURS.

The Next Attraction at the Opera House a Fine One.

D. E. Frantz's Animated Art Tours gives an entertainment in this city May 4. The pictures are far the finest ever seen in this city. The pictures by both machines are perfect scenes of Battles, Marches, Bombardment; Troops at drill, and many scenes from all over the world comprising nearly one hundred different subjects.

The hit of the evening is the professor's rivalry of the great magicians, and placing the laws of gravitation at defiance. A man falls up easier than he falls down. Scenes of this character are produced without limit, and keep the audience convulsed with laughter. The Military Company drills at the command of the audience. The ships appearing and disappearing at command are wonderful and beyond description.

It is this feature of producing at will any picture, that distinguishes the machine from all others, and it is the only one in the world. The entertainment is wholesome, full of instruction, and immensely pleasing.

CHAMPLIN-RUTHERFORD.

Young Tobacco Man Takes unto Himself a Bride.

Mr. Green H. Champlin, a prominent young tobacco man, and Miss Katie Rutherford, were married Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the bride's home in this city. The ceremony was performed by Dr. W. L. Nourse, of the Ninth Street Presbyterian church. The groom, who lives with his mother, took his bride to his home on Clay street.

The marriage is a culmination of a love affair of several years duration.

Mr. Champlin is identified with the tobacco trade and is one of the most capable book-keepers in the city. His bride is the youngest daughter of the late R. B. Rutherford and is a niece of Judge J. I. Landes.

The young couple have many friends who wish them much happiness.

SEEK SEPARATION.

Several Divorce Suits Filed in the Circuit Court.

Carrie L. Harding sues her husband, W. H. Harding, for divorce. She alleges that her husband has failed to make provision for her maintenance. Case will be tried at September term.

Jas. Lewis wants a legal separation from his wife, Eclera Lewis. They were married in April '98 and the petition states that they only lived together 23 days.

Annie Moseley sues for divorce from Charles Moseley, her husband. The petition alleges that the couple only lived together 14 days.

The Sick.

The condition of Mr. W. H. Jesup is thought to be somewhat improved.

Mr. D. A. Tandy is able to be up again, but he is still quite weak.

Col. A. H. Clark's condition is unimproved and he is growing weaker with each day.

Heavy Sales.

The tobacco market was firm and active this week at about last week's prices. The breaks were composed largely of common leaf and lugs. Sales were heavy and receipts continue large.

Lodged in Jail.

Ed Ware, col., indicted at the last term of court on a charge of gaming, was arrested at Gracely Wednesday by Deputy Wilkins and lodged in jail.

"A word to the wise is sufficient" and a word from the wise should be sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft-repeated experience of trustworthy persons may be taken for knowledge.

Mr. W. M. Terry says Chamberlain's Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people.

FOUR PER CENT RAISE.

Committee Sent to Frankfort to Protest Against Increase.

The State Board of Equalization has "raised" Christian county's assessment of real estate and personalty four per cent.

Judge Cansler appointed Messrs. John P. Prowse, Jas. F. Rogers and Jas. W. Morgan a committee to go to Frankfort and enter protest against the proposed increase. The committee went to Frankfort yesterday and will appear before the board to-day.

Breeding of Brown Leghorns.

There are many different shades and tinges of color on breast, neck, back, and wings, according to the peculiar fancy of the breeder who has manipulated their breeding. We see them frequently bred so dark that the females almost resemble the Brown Red Game.

You see in those extremely dark specimens; you fail to get the fine willowy color, so beautiful in the medium light specimens where the brown and the lighter golden are proportioned rightly; it becomes more of a dead brown; it is rather a hard matter to describe accurately, but we can tell quickly enough when we come across those of the proper shade. The breasts also become too dark; instead of a dark salmon, they attain more to a brown tinge, peculiar as I said, to the Brown Red Game; while on the other hand, we find some breeding so light as to produce a sort of a clay-colored breast, lacking the reddish or salmon tinge almost entirely. We see the effect upon the males of the darker stock in the hackles, saddles and wing bows; instead of the brilliant or orange red, described by the Standard, we have a dark mahogany or almost seal brown. When a standard bird is placed beside one of these the contrast is very decided.

Then we have the extremely light male with lemon hackle and saddle, similar to the Black Breasted Red Game, a mate to our clay breasted females; and these are no vain fancies, they are found almost every day in our travels at the shows and fairs. They are the results of ruts that breeders have fallen into and as they have been in them for some time, have made up their minds that they are on the right track, not stopping to investigate the Standard or any thing else; they simply think because they have been breeding that way for so many years, it makes it right, and they do not like to knock under any one.

Friends, better stop short and face the music; consider the matter carefully and candidly, and if you find your stock in the wrong do not hesitate to admit it, at least to yourself, and make a change, either by selling off the stock on hand, purchasing others of the proper shade, or, what we think a better way, especially if you have valuable points aside from these defects, such as good combs, earlobes, fine shape backs, tails, etc., and good typical carriage. Buy a good colored male to mate with these best females, one either lighter or darker, as the case may require, and then use the pullets from this mating with a bird similar in color; and you will soon be where you should be, on the color question, and at the same time retain the valuable points of your former stock.

There are so many breeders that do not study the Standard enough on their own breeds. In fact, we are all too much prone to think we know what they should be and go ahead on that line, even the judges may always learn something by becoming more familiar with our Standard—I tell you there is nothing like it! In some towns they have clubs to practice scoring, and study the Standard on the different breeds, and learn to apply it. I think this a good plan and I would like to see more of them. Let the good work go on.—F. J. MARSHALL in Fanciers Gazette.

The citizens of Louisville has raised a guarantee fund to cover the expenses of the May Music Festival, May 8th, 9th and 10th, and prices will be lower than for any other similar festival ever given. Season tickets will be only \$5, and \$7 for the five concerns in which some of the greatest singers in the world will appear.

KNOCKED OUT.

Lexington's Appropriation for the Encampment.

Lexington, Ky., April 24.—Judge Parker this morning declared the city ordinance appropriating \$8,326 for the military encampment last fall unconstitutional, null and void. Maj. H. C. McDowell, who advanced the money, is out that much. It is thought that an appeal will be taken. This decision, if sustained, is far-reaching, as it makes illegal all appropriations for other than strictly municipal purposes in Louisville and elsewhere in the state.

MOTHER SLAYS BABIES.

Because of Ill-Health and Poverty She Commits Double Murder.

Braxton C. H., W. Va., April 25.—Because of ill-health, poor financial circumstances and the fact that her husband had died recently after a long illness, Mrs. Terry Shetler, aged twenty-nine, living thirteen miles from this place, cut her two babies' throat and took poison. She may be saved, but it is hardly probable.

Mustered Out.

Savannah, Ga., April 25.—The One Hundredth and Sixtieth Indiana Regiment was mustered out here to-day. The men left for home in companies over the Florida-Central & Peninsular Railroad, during the afternoon, in four specials.

Regardless of Age.

The kidneys are responsible for more sickness, suffering, and deaths than any other organs of the body. A majority of the ills afflicting people to-day are traceable to kidney trouble. It prevades all classes of society, in all climates, regardless of age, sex or condition.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are unmistakable, such as rheumatism, neuralgia, sleeplessness, pain or dull ache in the back, a desire to urinate often day or night, profuse or scanty supply.

Uric acid, or brick-dust deposit in urine are signs of clogged kidneys, causing poisoned and germ-filled blood. Sometimes the heart acts badly, and tube casts (wasting of the kidneys) are found in the urine, which if neglected will result in Bright's Disease, the most dangerous form of kidney trouble.

All these symptoms and conditions are promptly removed under the influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It has a world wide reputation for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

No one need be long without it as it is so easy to get at any drug store at fifty cents or one dollar. You can have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery, Swamp-Root, and a book telling all about it, both sent to you absolutely free by mail. Send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and kindly mention that you read this liberal offer in the HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKIAN.

A Welcome Exhibition.

The announcement that Prof. Gentry's famous dog and pony show is soon to exhibit in this city has led to numerous inquiries about the details, such as the location of the grounds and prices of admission. The character of the show is so well known that people will regard the information as news and consequently we have made inquiries with the following result: The show, which it is needless to mention, is the best one of its kind in the world, will exhibit under their own water-proof tents which will be located on Campbell street near Acme mill Monday May 1, afternoon at 2:30 night at 8.

The prices of admission are children 15cts., adults 25cts., and when the magnitude and artistic worth of the show is taken into consideration it will easily be seen that the prices of admission are decidedly reasonable.

Champion Egg Eater.

A Rumsey, Ky., correspondent of the Evansville Courier writes: "I was reading the Courier of April 14 about George Kertrig's feat of eating twenty-five raw eggs. I want to say that is nothing compared with what the Rev. J. S. Harrod, of our town, did. He first offered to eat twenty eggs if any person would pay for them. Then he proposed to eat one dozen more. They were bought for him and he ate them also, and so on until he had eaten the enormous number of fifty-two and said he would eat ten more if any one would get them. "Brother Harrod is a man weighing only 130 pounds and is a judge of police court here. The eggs were eaten



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GROVER CLEVELAND.



I have replaced my jack Napoleon, that I lost last fall with the above jack, which has proven itself to be one of the greatest jennet or mule jacks in the State of Tennessee or Kentucky. He is 16 hands high, black and white points, 19 feet from muzzle to root of tail. His size is no freak of nature, but is inherited from a number of his celebrated ancestors, distinguished for great size, such as Nick Bottom, Black Prince, Kentucky Mammoth, Imp, Black Forrest and others.

He will stand at my farm 2 1/2 miles from Casky by the insurance of \$10, money due when animal ascertained to be in foal or transferred.

KING GEORGE.

King George is five years old, 15 1/2 hands high, black with white points, by Silver Brown and out of Mary Beard and I consider unequalled by any jack in the county. He will make this season at \$8 on the same terms as above. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Jennets kept on good pasture at \$1.50 per month. R. F. RIVES, Casky, Ky.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

The rich man's whiskey is HARPER because it is supremely delicious. The poor man's whiskey is HARPER, because such good whiskey helps him. The family whiskey is HARPER, because it's pure, pleasant and strengthening. Sold by W. R. LONG, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Going to Take a Trip Soon?

We are headquarters for trunks and valises, got anything you want in these goods from the cheapest to the finest. Prices are right—goods are right. THE HOPKINSVILLE MERCANTILE CO.

Our Clothes Fit

But that ain't all, when you get a suit from us, you not only get a fit, but you get value received for your money; it matters not whether it is a \$450 suit, or one of our finest textures. THE HOPKINSVILLE MERCANTILE CO.

Want a Good Pant Cheap?

Come and see our line of them. Jeans Pants at 65c, 75c, \$1.00. Cassimers as low as \$1.25, good and stout, well made, and will wear you like buckskin. THE HOPKINSVILLE MERCANTILE CO.

New Dressmaking Establishment.

Miss Mittie Dowell, who recently opened up a dressmaking establishment in a suite of rooms over Mrs. Layne's millinery store, has secured the service of Miss Mary McClellan, an experienced modiste of Louisville and the lady has arrived. All work guaranteed strictly up-to-date. The ladies are invited to call. Don't forget the place—over Mrs. Layne's.

Good Farm For Sale.

On account of failing health I have decided to sell my farm, situated on the Cox mill road, 3 1/2 miles south of Hopkinsville. The tract contains 150 acres, with dwelling house, outbuildings and other improvements. Terms: one third cash, balance in notes. ISAAC WOLFE.

ICE! ICE!

The ice season has opened up. Are making daily delivery. We solicit your orders. F. L. ELLIS & CO.

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