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VEILS OF EVERY KIND

In Our New
**Millinery
Department.**

We have just received a big lot of Face Veils in all the NEW SHADES and the most up-to-date styles.
PRICES 25c TO \$3.00 EACH.

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CIRCUIT COURT NEWS

Acquittal of Melvin Powell, Who Killed Lillian Humphreys.

OTHER CASES HEARD.

Rob Wood Indictment Dismissed and Case Resubmitted.

Much of the time of circuit court was taken up this week in trying Melvin Powell for killing Lillian Humphreys last fall. The jury yesterday returned a verdict of not guilty. Powell's contention was that the killing was accidental.

Common law cases were taken up yesterday and the trial of the Hopkinsville Canning Company vs the I. C. Railroad Co., was entered into.

The case of Castle Heights School against A. O. Dority was dismissed settled.

The case of the city of Hopkinsville vs Winfree & Knight is set for Thursday of next week.

The grand jury has been examining a large number of witnesses this week in an effort to find out something about the raid on the city Dec. 7.

The indictment against Robt. Wood was dismissed yesterday and resubmitted to the grand jury. He was indicted under a different section of the Statutes than the one under which he was arrested. The object was to have the indictment changed.

The case of W. P. Winfree, Jr., charged with the murder of officer C. E. Hord, Dec. 11, was called Tuesday and continued till the June term of court.

An indictment was returned Monday against Sam Reeves and Ed Cook, charged with house breaking. They are in jail. Their cases are set for the 26th day of the term.

Chappell Hatchett, colored, was found guilty of voluntary manslaughter on the charge of killing Wilson Reed, his step-father, and given three years in the penitentiary. Hatchett pleaded self defense. He was indicted for willful murder.

Daughters to Meet.

The U. D. C's. will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at Hotel Latham.

Money Back!

On All Cash Tickets
of
FEB. 5.

At 10 a. m., Monday March 2, Mr. Brannon opened the envelope containing the date entitling all holders of cash tickets to their money back and the date was Feb. 5th. Bring your tickets in NOW and have them cashed. They are worthless after March 16th.

**W. T. COOPER
& CO.,**

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

INFLAMMATORY IN EXTREME.

W. B. Hawkins Makes Open Threats In a Paper At Lexington

JUSTIFIES NIGHT RAIDS.

Says That The Independent Growers Will Spend a Year in Hell.

Mr. W. B. Hawkins has the following card in the Lexington Herald:

MR. HAWKINS' CARD.

"When your plant bed is scraped or your barn burned send to Gov. Willson and he will let you have a battalion of soldiers and a gatling gun to protect your property and maybe save you from a whipping. I say advisedly WHEN for there is no use to apply for the gatling gun until after the mischief is done. There is an old saying 'I do not care to buy a lawsuit.' Do you care to buy trouble in this way by flying in the face of public opinion, and also in the face of determined men, who believe you are their worst enemy and who will stop at nothing to right their supposed wrongs.

"Would it not be better to stop and think before attempting to raise a crop in 1908? A little discretion at the proper time is good for the best of us as well as for the little bull that tried to butt the train off the track. The majority has said 'No crop in 1908.' What will you do, sow your beds and begin the year of torment, for it will be 365 days of hell for you, sleepless nights, alarm at every noise—what are the riders doing now? Are they only scraping the plant beds, are they after my barn, or oh horrors! are they after my back with their damnable switches?

"Do not hug to yourself a delusion and say 'It will not come to me.' Hasn't it come to the highest? When the riders start are you so good that you will escape?

"The writer knows of the long and thorny road the growers have traveled for now about five years. He knows the cruelty of the tobacco trust. He knows how unscrupulously they will work like moles under the ground to defeat the farmer in this great game. He knows how it calls to its assistance the farmers, who, in their greed, will act as allies to the trust in its endeavors to again put tobacco down to starvation prices—6 1-2 cents.

"Is it any wonder that the outraged growers resort to violence when each day's hardship is rehashed and his selfish neighbor (neighbor in name only) is on easy street, having sold at the high price obtainable by the sacrifice and self-denial of the Equity members? I do not appeal to those selfish men to help us. You may as well put corn before hogs and ask those of them who were filled at breakfast 'wait till those hungry ones get some.' I only have put it to you as it is—'flee from the wrath to come;' for if you plant tobacco you are sowing the whirlwind.

"Mutterings and numblings are heard on all sides. The outraged farmers will not stand persecutions always, and I say to you that in my opinion trouble will come to you if a crop is planted in 1908.

(Signed) "W. B. HAWKINS."
Mr. Hawkins was the first president of the Tobacco Growers' Association out of which has developed the latter and present plan.

Flood at Pittsburg.

A second disastrous flood has reached Pittsburg and the rivers are rising at the rate of a foot an hour. Parts of the city are already under water and every team in the city is being utilized to move household goods to high ground.

Winter Goods.

New Fancy Silks,
New Dress Goods,
New Silk Linens,
New Silk Gingham,
New Carpets, Rugs,
Mattings, Linoleums.

Large Assortment of Gent's Shirts.

All Ladies Suits and Skirts at less than wholesale prices. Cut prices on all winter goods.

T. M. JONES,

Main Street. Hopkinsville, Ky.

BANK OF HOPKINSVILLE

CAPITAL \$100,000.00.
SURPLUS 35,000.00.

With the largest combined capital and surplus of any bank in Christian county, supplied with modern burglar proof safe and vault, we are prepared to offer our depositors every protection for their money.

3 per cent Interest on Time Certificates of Deposit.

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H. L. McPHERSON, Assistant Cashier.

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HOPKINSVILLE - KENTUCKY.

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

Only National Bank in This Community.

Capital \$75,000.00
Surplus 25,000.00
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Three Per Cent Interest Paid on Savings and Time Deposits

E. B. LONG, President. W. T. TANDY, Cashier.

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Capital, \$60,000.00
Surplus, \$70,000.00

This Bank ranks among the first in the state of Kentucky in proportion of surplus to capital.

In Surplus there is Strength.

We invite your account as a safe depository for your funds. Deposit your valuable papers in our vault—safe from fire and burglars.

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Save Your Money

Be Happy. Be Wise.

Money saved is money made. We pay 3 per cent. on Time Certificates of Deposit for six or twelve months. We want your business, no matter how small. We extend to every one the same courteous treatment. Now is the time to open an account with the

Planters Bank & Trust Co

Also acts as Administrator, Executor, Trustee, Guardian, and Agent. Will take care of your valuable papers, and lend you money on real estate or personal security.

BUYS AND SELLS REAL ESTATE.

Petition Denied.

Judge Ball denied the petition of H. W. Leman for an injunction restraining the voting of 281,231 shares of stock held by the Union Pacific railroad and the Railroad Securities Company at the annual meeting of the Illinois Central.

Seven Arrests.

The police have been kept busy thus far in the month of March, scoring 7 arrests up to yesterday morning, as follows:
Drunk 4
Breach of the peace 1
Disorderly conduct 1
Carrying concealed weapons 1

Seeds, Seeds, Seeds!

Clover,
Red Top or Herds Grass,
Orchard Grass, Timothy,
Garden Seeds in Bulk.

Daybreak Fertilizers,
Standard Tobacco Grower,
Special Tobacco Grower,
Also
Lake Erie Fish Guano,
Indian Brand Truck and
Tobacco Grower.

PIONEER FIELD FENCE,

Woven wire field fence, barbed and smooth wire, Rabbit and Poultry fence, poultry netting and all kinds of Hardware, Harness, Buggies, Wagons, etc., COME TO SEE US.

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