

**THE ADVOCATE.**

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**The Business Outlook.**

R. G. Dun & Company's Weekly Review of Trade says: The business situation is not quite so satisfactory or encouraging as it has been. While there has been a gradual increase in the distribution of many lines of merchandise there is shrinkage in demand and much depression in iron. Further decline in cotton blights the hopes of a revival in Southern trade and speculation stimulated by cheap money and by a great success of coal speculation now extends to wheat and threatens to restrict export. Notwithstanding the fact that exports of wheat have been diminishing and for four days of the past week been only 300,000 bushels from the Atlantic ports while Western receipts continue large. Speculations at Chicago lifted the price 6 1/2 cents during the week and sales here have been 57,000,000 bushels. An advance from any cause which cuts off exports of breadstuffs at a time when Europe has heavy demands for stocks marked here would not be wholesome.

The Court of Appeals has twice, within a few days, given its endorsement to the validity of the new constitution; a thing the people had done in a most emphatic manner some time since.

H. M. McCarty, the venerable editor of the Jassamine Journal and one of the most brilliant writers of the State, who died at his late residence at Nicholasville, on the 15th inst., was buried at Bardstown last Wednesday.

Chief Justice Maxwell, of the Supreme Court, has handed down an opinion holding that Gov. Thayer had no right to hold the office of Governor nor had he the right to usurp authority and that Lieutenant Governor Majors should have held the office pending the test of Boyd's citizenship.

The Senate passed the Goebel Lottery Bill on Friday morning. The bill passed by a vote of 20 to 0; the opponents of the bill not voting. This is a step in the right direction and when the House shall pass it, if the law is enforced, it will help to rid us of a very great evil.

It is the opinion of those in position to know that the proposed amendment to the United States Constitution, providing for the direct election by the people of their United States Senators, is passing prosperously through its committee stages and will be reported favorably to the House.

The First Congressional district has started out with a multiplicity of candidates for Congress, Judge W. N. Robertson, Mayfield; Judge James Campbell, Paducah; Capt. Stone, present incumbent, J. K. Hendrick, Smithland; and two gentlemen of the Alliance party, who have not yet permitted the use of their names, but who will doubtless become candidates.

We are glad to notice that our representative had the manliness and liberal mindedness to vote for the appropriation to build a monument to the memory of Hart, the sculptor. Mr. Thomas is not in the legislature to make a "record," but to represent his constituents, and do that which he thinks will reflect honor on his State. A former legislature appropriated a large sum of money to bring Jeel T. Hart's body home and now some members of this one refuse to vote \$1,000 to mark the spot where his body is laid.

Governor Brown has wisely offered a reward of \$200, for the capture of Berry Turner. This, in addition to the \$100 offered by the Patrons, makes a reward of \$300 offered. Turner and his gang were last heard from at "South America," not far from Pineville. Another fight is expected between the Turner and Patron factions.

Frank Martin, one of the famous Parton faction, is locked up at Middleboro for shooting W. T. Brooks, one of the Turner faction, on the 15th. Brooks was passing a cabin on Stony Fork, when Martin stepped out and said he should not pass. He was armed with a rifle and shot Brooks in the groin, from which Brooks will probably die. Martin escaped, but was pursued by Sheriff Colson and deputy Turner, who arrested him at "South America," the scene of the Turner-Parton feud.

This space is for I. N. Phipps, successor to W. S. Caldwell, dealer in **Clothing and Hats**. His stock is complete with desirable goods, which, at this time, are marked down very low. The Clothing Department is full of choice bargains. Suits in all the latest styles and woven by the best manufacturers of this country. Youths' and Children's Suits Very Low. Customers will find everything as represented, both in price and quality of goods. Hats are sold at prices less than ever before, on account of the large stock to be reduced. Stiff and Soft Hats at all prices. Styles the newest. Money Saved. Examine his stock.

**The Critic Egged.**

The Lexington Transcript gives the following account of the egging of a Lexington man that is said to have occurred in our city Friday night. The facts, as given by the correspondent, seem to be very nearly correct, so we copy the article entire.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Feb. 20.—The sensation of the season occurred in front of the National Hotel in this city at a late hour last night.

A young society man and would-be critic on the Leader, came to Mt. Sterling about a month ago to attend a ball and banquet, and in his report of the affair in the next day's Leader, he was very severe and made all sorts of unkind remarks about the supper.

Among other things, he said: "The supper was rotten, but I suppose it was owing to the fact that they had no eggs."

Last night the same young critic came up and gave a box party at the Opera House and of course, put on a lot of style, as city boys generally do at a show in a small town. The Wilbur Opera Company seemed to have special attractions for him as he had followed the girls to this city after witnessing their performances every night for a week in Lexington.

Criticism aside and back to the facts: He was here and after the show he started to the National Hotel, but the night was dark and the boys were out with their pockets filled with eggs and when the young critic was near the hotel they let fly their spring-time missiles and covered his brown suit, pants and all, with shells, white and yellow until he cried "enough." But the boys yelled: "d— be he who cries enough."

The screams of the young man attracted the attention of the police who rushed to the scene in time to see a loud pair of pants making their escape through the front door into the hotel office and hear a muffled laugh in the darkness near the new Court House.

The young man was shown to his room where he was groomed up in passable shape and he retired a wiser, if not a more discreet man.

No arrests were made up to six o'clock this afternoon and from present indications there will be no extra exertions made by the police to bring the guilty parties to justice.

Eggs are still firm and range from 18 to 20c; market brisk. Weather cloudy and cool. Track fast.

Mr. Clarence Bradley, dramatic critic of the Leader, gave a box party at the Opera House in Mt. Sterling, Friday night.—Lex. Transcript.

On Wednesday night George Gibson and Cole Smoot had a difficulty in Pangburn's saloon on Court street. During the quarrel Gibson struck Smoot with a beer glass when Smoot cut Gibson quite severely in the right breast. The wound, whilst serious, is probably not a fatal one. Smoot had an examining trial yesterday and was released.

Some parties without the fear of the law before their eyes broke into Mr. James Turley's cold storage warehouse on Friday night and stole a quantity of meat, wine, etc.

**A Mob Felled.**

The following special from Owingsville to the Courier-Journal, gives an account of an attempted jail delivery Saturday night: "About 12 o'clock last night a mob of fifty or sixty masked men called at the jail in this place, claiming to have a prisoner to lock up. Jailor D. S. Nixon was suspicious, however, and refused to let them in. The mob then revealed their true intentions by breaking down the front door of the jail and rushing in, saying they wanted and intended to have a man confined there, at the same time firing toward the head of the stairs, where the jailer and his son Will were stationed.

The jailer returned the fire as fast as he could, and the mob proceeded to disperse as rapidly as they could get out. It is not known whether any of them were struck or not. People differ in their belief as to who the mob wanted. Some think they wanted to release George Green, sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of John B. Davidson, while others think they wanted to lynch the negro, Oscar Jones, who murdered Town Marshal Taylor Vice, of Sharpsburg, Christmas eve."

**Notice.**

I am forced to have money in order to meet my payments. Those owing me must come forward and settle their indebtedness. I dislike to be thus abrupt but necessity forces me to make collections. I therefore ask those indebted to me to come forward and settle at once, and avoid trouble.

Respectfully,  
EDWARD MITCHELL.

John Brady, of near Thomson station, has rented the Grassy Lick turnpike and will take possession March 1st.

Gov. Brown says the reason he desired the removal of Capt. Mike Bolan as warden of the penitentiary at Frankfort was for unnecessary cruelty to convicts.

W. A. Sutton has rented the store room on Main street lately occupied by W. L. Morris, and yesterday afternoon went to Louisville and Cincinnati to purchase the finest line of furniture ever brought to this city.

The latest rumor in regard to the vacancy on the Interstate Commerce Commission is that Judge J. C. Clements, of Georgia, will receive the appointment.

The most important matter before the State Legislature this week is the Goebel lottery bill, which is the special order for Thursday in the House.

A son of Judge Alex. Strong, of Owsley county, was killed near St. Helens, Lee county, Sunday, by a son of John Angel. The difficulty arose over a settlement. Young Angel fled, and an officer passed through here yesterday in pursuit of him.

George Reissinger has rented the basement under R. M. & T. K. Barnes and has fitted up a shop. He will be glad to welcome all his old customers at his new quarters.

We are under obligations to the Sentinel-Democrat for favors conferred the past week. Gentlemen, we thank you for the courtesies extended to us.

Robt. L. Sharpe and Miss Lillie Evans, of Sharpsburg, took the train here this morning for Cincinnati, where they will be married at the Palace Hotel at 1 o'clock. Mr. Sharp is the son of Dr. Wm. Sharp, and a most estimable young business man, connected with the drug firm of Sharp & Co., and his chosen bride is a young lady of great worth of character, and in every respect a truly noble woman, the daughter of Mr. A. R. Evans, a prominent farmer. Both are excellent people. It is no runaway, but they simply go away to avoid the publicity of a home or church wedding. Mr. A. B. Whaley accompanied them. The ADVOCATE joins their host of friends in best wishes for their future happiness.

Don't forget to call at I. N. Phipps and see that nice patent trunk he sells. They beat anything that has ever been brought to this market. Don't forget the place, W. S. Caldwell's old stand. Ladies are invited to call and see them.

Two book cases, cheap at Cassidy's 29-3t

Miss Bessie Morris, of Winters, Cal., is visiting her uncle, W. L. Morris of this city.

"Now mother Coleman, you let that flag stay behind that bureau 'till I call for it, for us boys are going to salivate Geo. Washington's birthday next Monday." ROBT.

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A desirable house of nine rooms with seven acres of ground attached, within the city limits. Terms reasonable. For information apply at this office. 29-4t

Louisville Tobacco Market, Furnished by Glover & Durrett—Louisville Tobacco Warehouse.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 4,391 hds., with receipts for the same period of 3,010 hds; sales on our market since Jan'y 1st, amount to 27,189 hds. Sales of the crop of 1891 on our market to this date 24,484 hds.

Our market has not developed any changes on new burley tobacco this week. The sales continue immense and the market remains very firm and active for all grades, color low grades being especially strong. The demand for burley seed is very heavy and the preparation for the new crop unusually extensive. The following quotations fairly represent our market for burley tobacco crop of 1891.

Trash (dark) or damaged tobacco \$2 50 to \$4.  
Common colory trash - - - \$4 to \$5.  
Medium to good colory trash \$5 1/2 to \$6.  
Common lugs not colory, - \$4 to \$5.  
Common colory lugs, - - - \$6 to \$8.  
Medium to good colory lugs - \$8 to \$15.  
Common to medium leaf, - \$7 to \$12.  
Medium to good leaf, - - - \$12 to \$17.  
Good to fine leaf - - - \$17 to \$22.  
Select wrappery tobacco, - \$22 to \$26 1/2.

For carpets call at Cassidy's. 29-3t

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**New School District.**

A new school district will be created around the city of Mt. Sterling, beginning at and including the toll-house on Camargo pike, thence by a straight line to and including Thos. Calk, thence to and including Jno. S. Wyatt, Jr., thence with straight line crossing Winchester pike at Jno. P. Games' pond, thence to and including the Capt. Jones farm, thence to and including Wm. Garrison, thence to and including D. Smith, thence with straight line to Johnson Young dirt road, including the Stoops and Tyler farms, and excluding the Wilson and Wm. Reese farms, thence to and including Thos. Grubbs, with straight line to and including Rich. Wilson, H. H. Ringo, R. R. Crooks, E. J. Shackelford, thence to and including old house on J. O. Embry's farm, thence to mouth of dirt road near old fair grounds, thence with Owingsville and Mt. Sterling pike to and including Richard Trimble, thence a straight line to and including toll-house on Spencer pike, thence with straight line to the beginning. Trustees in adjoining districts will please take notice and not list any children who may reside between the foregoing boundary line, and the city limits of Mt. Sterling. J. E. GROVES, County Supt.

A line of bed lounges or couches at cost to close out in order to make room for carpets, at Cassidy's. 29-3t

Mr. Charles Henry, a wide awake business man, yesterday bought out the stock of groceries of S. P. Nunnely. Mr. Henry is sure to prove a valuable acquisition to our circle of live merchants.

To-day Ex-President Cleveland will meet ex-Governor Campbell, at Detroit with the view of taking steps in order to capture the Ohio delegation to the National convention for Mr. Cleveland. Mr. Campbell will lead the Cleveland forces, assisted by W. H. Harter, Congressman Tom Johnson, Allen W. Thurman and other leading Ohio Democrats, in a vigorous campaign against John R. McLean and Hill Democrats. Thus factional work is extending, and is an other reason why neither Hill nor Cleveland should be nominated at Chicago.

J. W. Morris, a mountaineer moonshine witness, is under arrest for having shot a curl from the head of a Louisville courtesan on a wagon.

30,000 barrels of flour from Minneapolis, Chicago and Buffalo, and \$50,000 in money was shipped yesterday, Washington's birthday, to the famishing sufferers in Russia.

A forger got rid of two drafts at Chattanooga last week, one for \$1,800, on the Third National Bank of Cincinnati, raised from \$18, and the other for \$1,700 on the First National Bank of the same city, raised from \$17. The work was done in an accomplished manner and the drafts gotten rid of just as adroitly.

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