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We are Loaded down on

Books!

They must go.

CUT PRICES:

- 500 12 mo. Books, good titles, 15c.
- 300 12 mo. Books, good titles, 25c.
- 500 8 mo. Books, good titles, 25c.
- Miss Alcott's Works at 99c.

Full line of all kinds of Christmas Books at cut prices.

W. S. Lloyd,

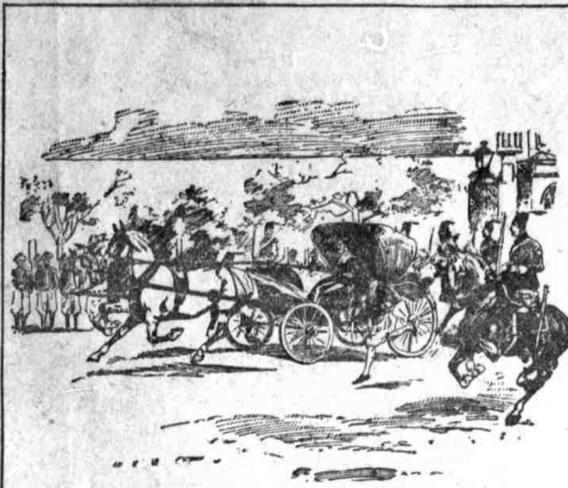
9 Maysville St.,
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

DAMNABLE

The Fiendish Work of a Mob Near Lebanon.

A Woman Burned to Death—Her Paramour Filled With Lead.

News comes of a horrible crime committed near Lebanon, Ky. William Devers became too intimate with the wife of T. J. West, a farmer living near Lebanon. West left his wife about a month ago and instituted suit for divorce. Later meantime he met Devers, and drawing his pistol snapped the weapon at Devers twice before the latter could draw a weapon. Finally Devers managed to pull his pistol and fired, killing West in his tracks. Devers surrendered and was acquitted on his examining trial. He at once moved his household effects to Mrs. West's house and the two began an open life together. Mrs. West's children left her, after exhausting every argument to induce her to give up Devers. The entire community was outraged at the open disregard for honor and decency exhibited by the guilty pair. Saturday night a band of men went to the house and called for Devers, who refused to come out. They knew their man and the cowardly crowd were afraid to



THE SULTAN IS WELL GUARDED.

When the sultan leaves his palace his carriage is surrounded by his ministers and military guards and the roadway is lined with cavalry, infantry and artillery. He rides in a low carriage and handles the reins himself. Along the line of march his four little sons, mounted on Arab ponies, salute as he passes. Before he leaves the palace carts hurry along the streets, carpeting them with sand so that the sultan will not note how dirty his capital is.

Put Him Out.

Samuel Gompers, who emigrated to this country from England, yesterday denounced the people who are talking of war, declaring they were not true Americans, all of whom, according to Gompers, are for peace.—Courier-Journal.

It Saves Lives Every Day.

Thousands of cases of Consumption, Asthma, Coughs, Colds and Croup are cured every day by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

With this evening 1895 becomes a part of the past.

ARE YOU PREPARED

For the winter's cold?
If not, you can get Clothing,
Boots and Furnishings at reduced
prices. We have

TO MAKE WAR

On some very desirable goods
to close them out. Suppose you see
them before buying?

Denton, Guthrie & Co.,

MT. STERLING, KY.



GROVER CLEVELAND.

Hurrah for the Holidays!

Right now we are ready
with an immense assort-
ment of

Christmas Gifts.

The presents you want at
the prices you like are all
included in our splendid
line of

Toys, Books, Novelties, Fancy Goods, Notions, etc.

We offer a great variety of
appropriate Presents for
ladies, gentlemen and
children. We can supply
a suitable gift for young
or old at any price you
desire to expend. Our
elegant Holiday Stock is
a popular stock in all res-
pects. We are glad to
welcome visitors, pleased
to show our goods, and
ready to make close prices
to all.

Enoch's

Bargain
House,

Reese Building, Mt. Sterling.

Tipton's Drug Store

Has a full line of NEW
DRUGS, and all pre-
scriptions will be careful-
ly compounded by that
careful druggist, JAS. T.
BREEN.

Agent for Smith's New
Kidney Tonic for Brights
Disease, Inflammation of
Kidneys and Bladder,
greatest nerve and stom-
ach tonic known.

Tipton's Drug Store,

Corner Main and Maysville
Streets.

SHOT LIKE DOGS.

Heinous Treatment of Four
Americans in Bolivia—Ac-
cused Of Being Spies.

tion Thursday noon, publicly.
Their property has disappeared, but
it is known that Gonzales has dis-
tributed it among his friends and the
police.

It is said England made several at-
tempts last week to get Germany to
join in a movement looking to com-
bined European diplomatic action
against the latest application of the
Monroe doctrine, but these efforts have
thus far met with non-committal an-
swers. Popular feeling in Germany
is becoming more favorable to the
United States as the cause of the
trouble is becoming understood.

Congressman Washington, of Ten-
nessee, makes the point that Reed,
Dingley, Cannon, Payne and other
Republican leaders voted for a gold
bond when the Democrats were in
power, and he thinks it is a little ir-
regular that they should go back on
their record.

Leslie Combs, an extensive land and
tobacco speculator, of Lexington,
made an assignment Thursday. Dan-
iel and Robert Swiggert, who were
more or less connected with him also
assigned. Combs and Daniel Swig-
gert will each pay about 70 cents on a
liability of \$160,000, each while Robert
Swiggert with a liability of nearly
the same amount, will hardly pay
more than 10 cents on the dollar.

Wright's Celery Tea cures constipa-
tion, sick headaches. 25c at druggists.

Bargains

IN GROCERIES.....

- 12 pounds Best Leaf Lard, - - 1 00
- 100 pounds Gold Dust Flour, - - 2 00
- Seedless Raisins, per pound, - - .10
- Best Cal. Evap. Peaches, per pound, - .10
- Cucumber Pickles, per dozen, - - .05
- Choice French Prunes, per pound, - - .10
- Best Leghorn Citron, per pound, - - .25
- Choice Raisins, per pound, - - .08
- Best Lemons, per dozen - - .30

Remember these are but a few of our prices, but
you will favor us with a call we will convince
that we sell a higher grade of Groceries at
lower prices than you can get elsewhere.

A. BAUM & SON,
GROCERS,
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

try to go in on him. They began
firing through the doors and win-
dows. The woman and Devers' little
daughter ran out, but the mob fired
on them and the woman returned to
the shelter of the walls. The child
was shut out by the closed door and
had to stand by and witness the heli-
ous work of the mob. Some of the
members of the party ran to a corn-
field near by and secured a shock of
corn and, placing it against the house,
set it on fire. In a few minutes the
house was wrapped in flames, and as
it began to fall Devers ran out his
clothing all ablaze and was shot down
by the attacking party. The woman
was burned to death. The little girl
was found by a farmer named Thomp-
son wandering in a half crazed condi-
tion, near his house. Her condition
was so pitiable that she could not
give any connected or very intelli-
gent account of the horrible affair.

Mrs. West and Devers were both
unfit to live, but the brutal wretches
who so fiendishly murdered them
merit death yet more than they did.

Everywhere We Go

We find some one who has been cured
by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and people on
all hands are proclaiming this great
medicine for what it has done for
them and their friends. Taken in
time Hood's Sarsaparilla prevents
serious illness by keeping the blood
pure and all the organs in a healthy
condition. It is the great blood puri-
fier.

Hood's Pills become the favorite
cathartic with every one who tries
them. 25c per box.

Mr. F. K. Mathews, of Raton, New
Mexico, has many friends in this sec-
tion of Kentucky, all of whom will be
glad to know that he has secured the
appointment of postmaster at his
town. The appointment was made
Dec. 24th, and goes to a true Demo-
crat and a capable and worthy man.
The position pays about \$1,800 per
year.

The Secretary of the Navy has
named one of the great battle ships
"Kentucky."

An Enterprise Worthy of Note.

When a boy of twelve years Ed.
Reis began business. He first
found out what he could buy with
the small sum he had and could
sell for a profit. For twenty-three
years he has practiced this method
with the rule that he would live
within his income. In the begin-
ning his shipments were a few hun-
dred pounds, now they are by the
car loads. He has ready for ship-
ment now 7,000 geese and 2,000
ducks, besides turkeys and chick-
ens. Eggs he ships by the car
load, and in addition he is a large
dealer in old iron, bones, hides,
furs, feathers, ginseng, etc. He
is now the largest dealer in his line
in Eastern Kentucky. Strictly
honest, he enjoys the results from
fair dealing.

Wishing to go South this winter,
want to sell three nice Saddle Mares
very cheap; all good, gentle drivers.
23 1/2 J. G. TRIMBLE.

Of Interest to the Knights of Pythias.

An injunction was asked at the
meeting of the Grand Lodge at Som-
erset, to compel the Grand Lodge
to give the password to a member
of Uhlman Lodge, of Louisville, who
had attended a meeting of the Ger-
man members to protest against the
printing of the ritual in English
exclusively. Judge Morrow de-
cides that the lodge cannot be com-
pelled to give the password, as the
individual has no property rights
in the case.

The Frankfort Manufacturing
Company, manufacturers of spokes,
has assigned. This company em-
ployed about forty convicts which
are now thrown back in the peni-
tentiary, which increases the num-
ber of idle convicts to 350.

For Sale,

A number one anthracite stove,
good as new, has been used only one
season. Apply at this office. 18-11