Weekly Intelligencer.

SHORTS.

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Ladies' cloth shoes at Eckle's for $1 per pair. Two doors west of City Hotel. tf

The Mount Hope Silver Cornet Band will give a street picnic in the Armstrong grove, near Mount Hope, on the 4th of June.

Mrs. W. M. N. Green will please accept the thanks of our business manager for an assortment of flowers and simples from her beautiful suburban residence.

I have just received a handsome assortment of Wallpockets, Brackets and Picture Frames direct from the manufactory which I sell as cheap as the cheapest. Call and see. Charles H. Rode.

We have a fine assortment of Hats and Shoes just received from our auction house East, which must be sold regardless of cost. Come now is the time to get bargains at the cheap cash house of Davis & Alldredge. apr26-tf

The city authorities have done well in having the streets cleaned by the unemployed paupers. It is work not only wholesome for the vags, but for the citizens as well, and makes our little city look clean and neat.

Sewing Machine Needles, for all machines, and Oil, at C. G. Ludwig's. apr14-tf

Mrs. S. P. Arnold is in receipt of two styles direct from the east, embracing all the leading novelties in millinery and fancy goods. Having secured the assistance of an experienced dress maker she invites the attention of customers. apr14-3t

Call at Eckle's and see his gents' hand sewed calf boot. Two doors west of City Hotel. apr14-tf

John Powell, Franklin street, is selling good molasses at 50 cents per gallon. Good sugar house syrup 50 cents. Best of N. orleans syrup 80 cents. Garden seed in bulk and papers, onion sets, and seed potatoes. Goods delivered in any part of the city free of charge.

The case of the Singer Manufacturing Co. vs. Mr. T. C. Michener, of this city, a suit in attachment, was tried in the United States District Court, at Jefferson City, last Thursday, on a plea of abatement of the attachment, and a judgment was rendered for defendant. Bully for Mich.

Men's Hats at Davis & Alldredge's from 75 cents to $1 25; good quality. apr14-tf

Call at Eckle's and examine the Paris calf boot. Best boot in the market. apr14-tf

A fishing party, consisting of Wm. Bennett, Albert Graham, E. Turner, Isaac Hays, Frank Trigg, and James Anderson went up to Heim's lake Thursday. They caught quite a number of small fry. Mr. Anderson seeming to have led the string with a nice bunch of yellow cats. A party of three, Messrs. Chas. E. Alexander, Wm. Young and Geo. Temple went to the same place yesterday, but they did not report last night, so we cannot chronicle their success.

The cheapest Hats in the city are at Davis & Alldredge's. apr14-tf

Ladies' calf shoes at Eckle's for $1 25 per pair. Dont forget the place, next door to Dunkle's grocery store. apr14-tf

In another place we print an advertisement for Messrs. Wm. H. Ewing & Co. These gentlemen have one of the most commodious and one of the best equipped livery stables in the state. They have recently added several new vehicles to their already large and complete outfit, and have purchased a number of new and stylish horses. When you get a rig at this stable you will always be politely treated, and find good horses, obliging hostlers, &c., in place. They deserve for their enterprise and accommodation a liberal patronage.

A large assortment of Wall Paper, in gilt, white, blues and brown, on hand. Best stock in town. C. G. Ludwig. 14tf

Gents, call at Davis & Alldredge's and get a pair of the hand-sewed Boots or Shoes, the only place in the city that sells hand-sewed goods. apr14-tf

Farmers will find it to their interest to look through Eckle's stock of boots and shoes before purchasing elsewhere. Prices cheaper than everybody else knows. tf

I have lately made many alterations at my store, and I am supplied with all the latest improved machinery and material to do fine and difficult repairing in watches and jewelry and make new jewelry to order, set diamonds and other precious stones, do plating and engraving of any kind. Having secured the services of Mr. W. E. Rose, a practical watchmaker and jeweler, and an accomplished gentleman, I am prepared to give entire satisfaction. Thanking the good people of Lexington and vicinity for their liberal patronage, I hope to merit a share in honest and fair dealing. Very respectfully, C. G. Ludwig. apr14-tf

Stop! go no further until you have seen the stock of Boots, Shoes Hats and caps that Davis & Alldredge are offering for a mere song, compared to former prices. apr14-tf

Ladies examine the fine line of silk and front lace and button kid shoes at Eckle's. He makes a specialty of ladies' shoes. tf

Stop and see the immense stock of Hats and Caps at Davis & Alldredge's. You can find all the latest nobby styles at your own price. apr14-tf

Ladies, call at Davis & Alldredge's and get a pair of fine cloth shoes for $1. Ladies' slippers at 50, 75 cents and $1 per pair. All our goods are cheap. apr14-tf

We heard a good one this week upon one of our agricultural implement men. It seems that he had sold a stalk-cutter to a farmer living in Clay township, who had never seen one of the machines in operation. After taking it home, giving it a fair trial, and not being able to make it work to his satisfaction, he loaded it on his wagon and returned it to the store, stating that it was of no account, and demanding the money paid at the time of purchase, under guarantee that everything should be satisfactory or money refunded. The merchant said that he knew it would work, and that he would not take the machine back and refund the money until he had overall evidence that what the farmer said was true, told Mr. Granger to haul it back to his farm and he would ride up and set it going the next day. Although the weather was very disagreeable and the roads in a horrible condition, the merchant started bright and early the next morning, so he might make the trip and be back home before nightfall. When he arrived at the farm he found the old man and his boys out in the lot, still trying to make it do the work for which it was intended. As Mr. Merchant rode up, the old man said, "There's no use fooling with the derned thing any longer; it won't work, and there's no use trying to make it." Without becoming discouraged in the least by the remark, the merchant dismounted and proceeded to make an examination of the why and wherefore of its seeming contrariness, and at once discovered that the farmer had been trying to cut stalks with the lever, by which the cutter was held from the ground while going to and from the field, fastened in such position as to keep all the weight of the cutter and place it upon the wheels. Giving the lever one vigorous kick and silently wishing the old granger in that place where there are no snow storms in winter, and no water to make the roads in such a horrible condition as he had found them during his long ride, he told the driver to start his horses, and, "by the way the stalks were pulverized was astonishing to the rural trio. Feeling, like the man who lost the tail board of his wagon bed, while hauling apples up hill, that he could not do justice to the occasion," our merchant quietly mounted his horse and rode away, without uttering so much as one word of reproach or looking back to see how the "derned thing" was getting along, but fully resolved that he would, in the future, be particular to explain the use of the lever and its modus operandi. Riding twenty-eight miles, on horseback, through the rain, over roads knee-deep with mud, for the fun of giving a stalk-cutter one kick, is not very satisfactory enjoyment to a person who had much rather be engaged during such weather in watching the ladies as they trip along our muddy sidewalks and street crossings.

Stock sale next Monday week.

Probate court adjourned Monday.

Mr. Henry Hagan commences full overhauling last Saturday.

[illegible] Plow Shoes in Lexington at Conkling & Beeding's.

Capt. Jno. F. Ensminger shipped four large hogsheads of tobacco last week.

Pulleyman Hill picked up a fine stray mare last Wednesday at the river.

The board of aldermen met last Monday and adjourned to Wednesday.

Two licenses to retailers put up at the hotel the day of the debtor's sale.

There will be no preaching at the Baptist church in the city to-morrow.

A heavy rain, accompanied with hail, fell at this place yesterday afternoon.

Circuit court adjourned Monday last at 4 o'clock p. m. until the August term.

The Intelligencer had sixteen ladies last week. Fifteen in the middle, and one in each arm.

The saloon keepers of the city will pay the wheel tax to-day.

Just opened up at Conkling & Beeding's a big stock of Gentlemen's fine boots and shoes, very cheap.

A colored man, named Valentine Smith, died a few days ago at Mr. Sam Peale's, of spinal meningitis.

Ten wagon loads of tobacco were awaiting to be delivered at one time at Caldwell, Fox & Ensberg's last Saturday.

Call and see Mrs. Butler's nice stock of millinery at Higginsville. She has the latest styles at reasonable prices. 28-tf

All the novelties in Vestings, Lace Fichues and Bibs, also Ties, Bindings, Collars and Cuffs, at Conkling & Beeding's.

L. C. Saturday was again a busy day in Lexington. The streets presented an animated appearance, and the merchants were kept pretty busy.

Harmony Grange will hold its next regular meeting at the fair grounds on the first Saturday in May at 10 o'clock in the afternoon. Members are urged to attend promptly at the hour.

Our enterprising dry goods men, Messrs. Conkling & Beeding, are arranging a cloak and dress making department over their store room. It will be lastly, fitted up, and presided over by an experienced lady.

Kansas City Price Current: Mr. Roberts, president of the Narrow Gauge, is making every effort to advance the interests of the company and build up the local trade of the section through which his roads run.

Lost—Saturday last, either in Lexington, or on the road to the Bates school house, on the Salt Pond road, a leather portfolio, with scrip around it, containing between $15 and $20, mostly in small notes. Finder will be rewarded at this office.

Two city merchants arrested last Martin, for vagrancy, on their way from Mount Hill arrested John Jones, of Ray county, for drunkenness. The former got off by paying the costs, the former $10 and the latter $9 05, and have since been serving the city.

Mr. "Tuck" Francisco, of Waverly, caught last Friday, of Napoleon P. Buck, of Lexington, and adjourning Waverly, at Dupont's, the hatter, in continuation of his indictment for the execution of an overcoat transfer immediately.

Messrs. A. Francisco, and Bob. of Waverly, shipped on the Good Dirt, on its last down trip over the road, both bottle and small lots of freight. Messrs. Nye and Hayes made considerable shipments of the same times. If this trend has accomplished their every trip, they will need but three or four landings to double down with.

The Lexington Intelligencer comes to us this week, laden with news and editorial excellence. The paper is edited independently, impartially and always entertaining. It is one of the most prominent country papers in the state, and is in every way worthy of the liberal patronage extended to it by an appreciative public. Advertise in it.—Marshall Democrat.

Now that Mark L. DeMotte has left the editorial chair we would fain look to such the social Democrat. It is put together with nerve to the back with. We have seen little good in the "Hill" an edition of less than two years, both in manuscript and in the paper, and have wondered how long it would take him to tumble on a Wendell's spelling book to teach him better.

The protracted meeting which has been in progress for some time at the Methodist church, in this city, still continues. Much interest is manifested in the manifestation of Rev. M. C. Williams. We have heard the gentleman's sermon in last Sunday morning to the young men, very highly spoken of, and regret that we could not be present to hear it.

Prof. McIlhaney set out one hundred shade trees at Central College last Monday. He proposes to improve the grounds materially this season, for which he deserves the thanks of the whole community. "A thing of beauty is a joy forever," and the old building which the college stands, though neatly kept, has not by any means been a pretty place.

We learn from a gentleman from Concordia that on Saturday morning last the dead body of a man was found in the front porch of Mr. Albert Meyer's saloon. It seems that he was a section hand, who had been in the employ of Mr. O'Brien in that neighborhood. It was thought that he died of apoplexy. Mr. O'Brien removed the body and gave it a decent interment.

The pear blossoms and the white and pink peach blossoms made the early days of the week fragrant, and their beauty put romantic notions into our head. If any fond swain falls to talk poetry to his inamorata during these budding days of spring, he should be banished the company of lovers as having absorbed hardness beyond the power of music and the gentle influences of birds and flowers.

"The boss" Missouri postmaster, Chauncey I. Filley, writes an "All Jones" letter to Deacon M. Kee in last Wednesday's Times. He hurls epithets in a very gentle manner. His friend and pitcher, M. L. P., had better make haste to give him a lecture something after this style: "D' does not matter how much mud people throw at you, my boy, you should always speak to them politely, and with the suavity of an unruffled temper," &c.

At a few minutes past eleven o'clock last Thursday morning the roof of the City Hotel was found to be on fire. Mr. Johnson, one of the proprietors, repaired promptly to the scene, found a high wind blowing, the roof burning under the shingles from the eastern eave up, and thought set fire to by sparks from an adjoining chimney. There was no time to lose, as the material all around was of the most inflammable character. Having no hatchet or axe he pulled off enough shingles at the peak of the roof to admit the nozzle of a Babcock fire extinguisher, and in a few minutes he had mastered the flames. It was fortunate he had presence of mind sufficient to prevent the tearing off of the shingles at other places as was proposed, as that would have insured a fire that no science at hand could have subdued. Mr. Johnson borrowed one of his hands quite severely in extinguishing the fire, and forgetting in the excitement that his other arm was crippled, he is now as stiff as an old omnibus horse from his exertions. Too much praise cannot be accorded the little Babcock which averted a calamity to the whole city, as without it we believe little doubt that the hotel would have burned, endangering all the surrounding property. Even if the fire had been extinguished by water the damage to property in the hotel would have been some two or three hundred dollars, which as carpenters were put to work and the roof was repaired before night of the day on which the accident occurred, and there was not enough water used to damage the ceilings below. How long will it be before our city authorities will take warning and provide some means for subduing fires? A hook and ladder and bucket company, with one or two small Babcock's, would be a great protection to the city, and cost but little. Gentlemen, attend to the matter before some serious fire occurs.

A Fishing Trip.

[illegible] Tuesday, being a warm, mellow and [illegible] Lexington to the Narrows, where [illegible] a mile and a half in length, and [illegible] Bridge. The morning was cool and [illegible] strong northwest wind, and when we [illegible] reaching of Messrs. Park, Gilmore, Hunter, Turnbull and others of the party, the question of getting out the trip was seriously discussed, but was finally voted down. Promptly on time Mr. S. J. Dexter, his gentlemanly and skillful driver, with the hack, gave three blasts of the bugle. We then threw open the thoroughfare, and away we went. At the junction of the Fort and Broadway, Dr. Bell joined the party, and at Fort Hill, beside the defiant lookers, the doctor, Messrs. Amos and Major, Emanuel Easley, Wellington's star pitcher, R. F. Wysiloff, Howard Williams and a half dozen strangers. The last named gentlemen were introduced to the Dr. [illegible] a place rich in the history of the country, which we hope, two thousand years from now, children, who come upon it, will have their eyes opened to see the hoofless horse and the wingless eagle. The hack was loaded with good humor and swift [illegible] Fort Hill. We came to Boonesboro, Mr. Easley, Mr. Major, Mr. Wallace, who perhaps knew more about the locality than any other [illegible] Mr. Major's tanks. Here we saw a large log cabin in process of erection. The logs were fine, and perhaps, to most people, the building would be a curiosity, but to us it was only a cabin, like our forefathers used to live in, and we felt like we could have lived in it ourselves, and raised our children in it, and, if we had been [illegible] we would have faced them in any other way. From the Major mansion, which, situated on a knoll, is the most pretentious building in Boonesboro, we drove to the mouth of Lee's Lick, a beautiful spot, and [illegible] Here there is a little village, which, in honor of the superintendent, Mr. Rose, T. Warfield, was named Roseville, but the suppressing hand of the Vanceites, who have [illegible] Warfield, was named Boonesboro, for the place, however, and we are glad it has more euphonious name. Lee's Lick stands next to Mayville. The two boards of the locality, the board of Aldermen and the school board, which Mr. John McMillan presides. Dropping Mr. Warfield, who, of course, is on his district, we found as good a welcome as ever met the sovereign Lick. There we spent a place also, there being several strangers round about, with pleasant female faces at the doors and the front of [illegible] Two kegs and a jug. At the angle of the road in the woods lurks similed, innocuous, at the boys, the kegs in the jug, and [illegible] We had no notion of telling how many minutes work in four mines, but if there is a man for every chief we saw, and there should be whenever many Single men found in the mines, we can answer for it that the ladies of Boonesboro are exclusive establishments. A short distance further, and we were at the mines of Messrs. Carter & Donaldson, two old Lexington boys, and men. Everything seemed good, from the boiler to the drilling, was seen on Wednesday very, very much like Sunday, and we to see Wednesday depot, in the smooth rolling hollow, was in motion, we were convinced on Mr. Easterly's hint that it was a good idea, after hung that the one in front of us. At Washington we passed Mr. Louis Bayard's delightful home, where more than a hundred than at any other place in the world—Mr. Washington, which belongs to Mr. Bayard's father, Mr. Bayard, Mr. Wm. Dade. Here we saw a large number of people, and, as we took hold, beside the defiant lookers, the doctor, Messrs. Amos and Major, Emanuel Easley, Wellington's star pitcher, R. F. Wysiloff, Howard Williams and a half dozen strangers. The last named gentlemen were introduced to the Dr. [illegible] a place rich in the history of the country, which we hope, two thousand years from now, children, who come upon it, will have their eyes opened to see the hoofless horse and the wingless eagle. The hack was loaded with good humor and swift [illegible] Fort Hill. We came to Boonesboro, Mr. Easley, Mr. Major, Mr. Wallace, who perhaps knew more about the locality than any other [illegible] Mr. Major's tanks. Here we saw a large log cabin in process of erection. 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