The 14th Annual Exhibition of the Knox County Fair Association will be held at Barbourville, August 31 and Sept. 1 & 2.

Special Trains will run from Middlesboro and Jellico to the fair grounds each day.

Low Rates on Railroad. **For Particulars Address J. F. Stanfill, Secretary.**

R. W. COLE'S PRICES.

Extra good mowing blades and snathes	$1.00
Hay forks, three prongs	40
Hay forks, four prongs	50
Good grind stones	85
Breast chains per pair	25
Breast chains double slack	40
Extra good potato diggers	75
Good dirt shovels	45
1 Gallon best castor machine oil	35
Saddles of all grades from 2.00 to	10.00
Saddle bags from 2.50 to	6.00
Wagon harness 1¼ in double hip straps	5.50
Wagon harness 1¼ in single hip strap	4.50
Wagon harness as low as	2.75
Lawn rakes, 22 tines	30
Extra good Cant hooks	1.25
" " Lumber Rules	75
Raw-hide lash whips 4 feet	10
Good buggy whips	10
1 Doz. ½ pint Jelly jars	25
1 Doz, ½ gal. Mason's best glasses	75
1 " ¼ " " " "	60
1 " pint " " "	50
6 " best white rubbers	25
1 " " Mason jar caps	20
Good web halters only	15
Good riding bridles	65
Extra good riding bridles	75
Best riding bridles	1.00
Plain screen doors reduced to	60
Fancy screen doors reduced to	85
Extra fancy screen doors reduced to	1.25

All prices quoted in July still hold good at Cole's.

R. W. COLE.

LOCALS.

Born, Sunday night, to the wife of Mr. G. W. Tye, a fine girl—weight nine pounds.

Rev. C. K. Dickey preached at Faulkner's chapel Sunday afternoon to an appreciative audience.

Miss Carrie Stivers left Thursday morning with Mr. H. L. Hatton for Elizebethtown, Tenn., where she goes for the benefit of her health.

FOR SALE—Practically new type machine. A bargain. Inquire of
MISS CORA JOHNSON,
Court Stenographer.

Mr. L. M. Cole will auction off his house and lot and household goods on the Publice Square, this (Friday) morning. Don't miss this chance to get bargains. Sale begins at 9 o'clock.

Judge Faulkner has had notices pasted in the Court-house prohibiting spitting on the floor. This is a good move. Now, judge, insist upon us having that new Court-house. We need it bad enough.

Little Nellie England, aged 9 years, daughther of Edward England, cashier of the National Bank of John A. Black, had a very narrow escape last Sunday from being killed. She was riding down Knox street horseback, when the horse took fright and ran away with her. When she reached the depot little Nellie jumped off and shook her fist at the running horse, said, "go now." She escaped unhurt.

Pretty Wedding.

Last Wednesday morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Johnson, on Pine street, in this city, the marriage vows that unite for life, Dr. Robert M. Rankin, of Covington, and Miss Della Johnson were solemnized in the presence of a few intimate friends of the contracting parties. Rev. J, P. Faulkner, brother-in-law of the bride, officiating.

The bridal party left the same day on the first train for Covington, where they will make their future home.

PERSONALS.

Judge Rice, of Middlesboro, was here Monday.

Chas. W. Metcalf, of Pineville, was in our city Monday.

P. D. Black spent Saturday and Sunday in Louisville.

Dr. T. W. Jones, of Scalf, paid this office a very pleasant visit Monday.

Rev. E. H. Hudson, of Snohomish, Washington, is here on a few weeks' visit to homefolks.

James T. Culton went to Saluda, N. C, last week, where Mrs. Culton is visiting relatives.

S. A. D. Jones, of Richmond, and formerly of this place, is in town this week attending court.

Miss Grace Jolly, of Lexington, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. N. Jolly, of this city.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Tinsley, of Covington, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lock for several days past.

Messrs. D. D. and Ira Fields, of Whitesburg, were in town on Monday on business. They were guests of S. B. Dishman while here.

Misses Martin, Napier, Dudderer and Baskin. of Central Kentucky, were guests of Miss Alma Faulkner the earlier part of the week.

Mrs. James B. Howard has removed with her family to Manchester, as the water here did not agree with her, she decided to return to her former home.

Convention.

The Democrats of the Eleventh Congressional District of Kentucky will meet in their respective counties in mass convention on Saturday, August 20, 1904, to select delegates to attend the District Convention to be held at Somerset, Ky., on Thursday, August 25, 1904, called for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for Congress, to be voted for at the November election, 1904.

J. F. HAWN, Chm'n.

New Drilling.

The Great Northern Oil Company, of Michigan, is engaged in testing the wells on the Epperson development on Little Richland. Several wells were drilled on that tract two years ago with a good showing of oil, but they have not been operated until recently. If tests are satisfactory the Great Northern will probably do some new drilling.

The Great Circus Here.

The World Famous Nickel Plate Shows made famous by truthful advertising and honest methods, is exhibiting here today.

This circus is not a strange one to the people of New Castle, having exhibited here often in the past, and has always pleased large audiences. The show is the pioneer of all popular priced circuses. The parade this morning was all right and the afternoon performance well patronized. The bareback riders, the aerial acts, leaping and tumbling, trick mules, ponies, horses and elephants were all good and the show put together in a way that is pleasing.

The Nickel Plate exhibits only in cities, believing that the people are educated to popular prices and take advantage of the price to see a worthy exhibition.

The show is said to be the largest popular price circus in the world and the big performance that it gives rewards them by a large attendance wherever they exhibit. They are, and always will be welcome visitors to New Castle.—New Castle, Ind., Daily Courier, July 1, 1903.

THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

Crude Thuughts as they Fall from the Eeitorial Pen. Pleasant Evening Reveries.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Be cheerful. Give this lonesome world a smile.
We stay at longest but a little while.
Hasten we must, or we shall lose the chance
To give the gentle word, the kindly glace.
Be sweet and tender—that is doing good:
'Tis doing what no other good deed could.

HE is happiest, be he king or peasant, who finds peace in his home.

GOD pardons like a mother, who kisses the offense into lasting forgetfulness.

THE heart that we have first laid near is the only one that cannot forget that it has loved us.

THE future of society is in the hands of the mothers. If the world

THE love that makes memory happy and home beautiful is that which forms the sunlight of our earliest consciousness, beaming gratefully along the path of maturity, and its radiance lingering till the shadow of death darkens it together.

GOD sends us children for another purpose than merely to keep up the race; to enlarge our hearts; to make us unselfish and full of sympathies and affections; to give our souls higher aims and to call out all our faculties to extend enterprise and exertion; to bring around our firesides bright faces and happy smiles and loving, tender hearts.

IN all ages the search for happiness has been the ultimate aim and desire of human effort—happiness here and hereafter To those searchers in every station in life, this column will ever be a beacon light guiding all by pleasant paths to the true temple of happiness, whence flows those delectable streams that refresh the hearts and rejoice the souls of all who enter the quest with a pure and resolute purpose. Happiness is equally attainable to the poor and rich, the youth and the veteran; and though multitudes have missed the path the Home Circle Column will lead them back and point the way by which they may surely find it. May they in turn extend loving help to other struggling wayfarers on the same journey.

WE always know the cheerful man by his hearty "good morning." As well might fog, and cloud, and vapor hope to cling to the sun illumined landscape, and the blues and moroseness to remain in any countenance when the cheerful one comes with a hearty "good morning." Do not forget to say it. Say it to your parents, brothers, sisters, playmates, It costs nothing. Say it cheerfully and with a smile; it will do you good and do your friends good. There's a kind of inspiration in every "good morning," heartily and smilingly spoken that helps to make hope fresher and work lighter. It seems nearly to make the morning good, and a prophecy of a good day to come after it. While this is true of all kind, cheerful greetings. They cheer the discouraged, rest the tired one, and somehow make the wheels of time run more smoothly.

WE hope the Home Circle Column will spur the perplexed youth to act the Columbus of his own undiscovered possibilities: we urge him not to brood over the past, nor dream of the future, but to get his lesson from the hour; we would encourage him to make every occasion a great occasion, for he can not tell when fate may take his measure for a higher place; to show him that he must not wait for his opportunity but make it. This column tells the round boy how he must get out of a square hole into which he had been wedged by circumstances or mistakes; to help him and his right place in life; to teach the hesitating youth that in a land where shoemakers and farmers sit in congress no limit can be placed to the career of a determined youth who has once learned the alphabet. The standpoint of the Home Circle Column cannot be measured in gold but in character. If it should open wider the door of some narrow life and awaken powers before unknown we shall feel repaid for our labors.

THE Home Circle is, in its essentials, a God-given instinct or a matter of growth and education, it is at the foundation of all our civil policy, and the family is at the base of the town, as the town is at the base of the State, and so long as the family relation is kept pure and undefiled among any people, so long as children honor their parents, as parents bear in mind their responsibility concerning those whom they have brought into the world, as the hearts of brothers and sisters beat as one, so long will that people possess shields and safegaurds against enemies in having homes and altar-fires worth fight for. There are few things more beautiful to see than this family affection, the solicitude of the old for the young, the reverence of the young for the old, the gentle ties of affiliation between sister and brother, the noble loyalty of brother for brother, the attention to trifles that makes happiness for one another, the deadening of strife and destruction of envy, the mutual aiding and uplifting. There must be ties, equal to those of blood, in life from the earliest remembrance about the same hearth and at the same mother's knee.

HAPPY should be the Home Circle that has no missing link or vacant chair. This is the season of the year that we more frequently visit our Silent City and drop a flower if not a tear upon the last resting place of some loved one. The sun of winter has lengthened into spring and spring into summer and the buds and flowers have awaked from their peaceful slumbers. Nature now is here in all her glory. Gentle showers and warm sunshine have come to force the buds into charming life and beautify the woodlands. It has been said that there is less of worth in the companionship of the living than in the memories of the dead. Their memories we would treasure in our hearts and from their lives learn lessons of goodness and wisdom the better to fit us for the performance of the duties yet remaining. Life is not wholly a count of losses for in the balance sheet of time there are gains, immortal gains. Death is not the ending but the beginning of life. It is the sunrise, not the sunset of our exisence. "It is not all of life to life nor all of death to die." As the glories of the setting are reflected in the western sky, so the influence of the upright lives long after their eyes are closed to mortal vision. The idea of immortality, that like a sea has ebbed and flowed into the human heart, with its countless waves of hope and fear beating against the shores and rocks of time and fate was not born of any creed nor of any religion. It was born of human affection, and it will continue to ebb and flow beneath the mists and clouds of doubt and darkness as long as love kisses the lips of death.

L. & N. Local Time Card

IN EFFECT APRIL 1, 1904.

No. 81 Daily.	No. 23 Daily.	Trains do not stop at Station where no time is shown.	No. 24 Daily.	No. 80 Daily.
3:15 a. m.	3:22 p. m.	Corbin	10:20 a. m.	11:20 p. m.
3:26 a. m.	3:24 p. m.	Grays	10:05 a. m.	11:07 p. m.
.....	3:26 p. m.	Emanuel	9:50 a. m.	.....
3:50 a. m.	4:00 p. m.	Barbourville	9:37 a. m.	10:42 p. m.
3:58 a. m.	4:10 p. m.	Artemus	9:29 a. m.	10:35 p. m.
4:00 a. m.	4:21 p. m.	Flat Lick	9:18 a. m.	10:25 p. m.
4:24 a. m.	4:38 p. m.	Pineville	8:58 a. m.	10:10 p. m.
4:29 a. m.	4:48 p. m.	Wasioto	8:54 a. m.	10:05 p. m.
.....	4:55 p. m.	Ferndale	8:42 a. m.	.....
4:55 a. m.	5:12 p. m.	Middlesboro	8:25 a. m.	9:40 p

NO 7284. Treasury Department,

Office of Comptroller of the Currency

WASHINGTON, D. C., JUNE 1, 1904.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that

"The National Bank of John A. Black of Barbourville,"

located in the City of Barbourville, in the county of Knox and State of Kentucky, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking.

Now therefore I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that

"The National Bank of John A. Black of Barbourville,"

located in the City of Barbourville, in the county of Knox and State of Kentucky, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and Sixty-nine, of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this First day of June, 1904.

SEAL. **T. P. KANE,**
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

State College of Kentucky,

LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY.

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County appointees receive tuition, room rent in dormitories, fuel and light, and if they remain ten months traveling expenses.

The labratories and museums are large, well equipped, comprehensive and modern.

The legislature appropriated $60,000 for a college home for young women and $30,000 for drill hall and gymnasium for men. Both buildings are completed and in use. Military tactics and science are fully provided for as required by congress.

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