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Railroad Guide.

On and after Nov. 16, trains will arrive and depart as follows:

NORTH.

Freight No 6 departs.....12.55 a. m
Passenger No. 4 departs.....8.23 a. m
Freight No. 10 departs.....2.30 p. m
Passenger No. 2 departs.....4.39 p. m

SOUTH.

Freight No. 5 departs.....3.35 a. m
Passenger No. 3 departs.....7.38 a. m
Freight No. 7 departs.....12.05 p. m
Passenger No. 1 arrives.....7.23 p. m

County Election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN S. NEBLETT as a candidate for re-election to the office of Trustee of Montgomery county, at the ensueing August election.

New Advertisements.

M. C. Pitman Fire Insurance Agent, has an advertisement in this paper. He represents good companies and is a responsible agent.

R. D. Read, Esq., has a non-resident notice in this issue.

W. M. Daniel, Trustee for G. N. Byers, give notice that all claims not paid by the first of April, will be put in the hands of an officer for collection.

Country Merchants and Physicians would do well to read Byel's special notice in another column.

YESTERDAY was one of the brightest and pleasantest days we have had this spring.

THE Greenwood class-meeting will be held at the residence of E. M. Calark next Thursday night.

THE river, as we go to press, is falling slowly. It lacked about two feet here of being as high as it was three weeks ago.

MUCH local matter and several communications have to give place for the admirable speech of Hon. John F. House.

LOST—On Tuesday, 16th inst., an open-faced gold watch. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning it to T. Herndon.

WOOD & LYNES, painters, have moved their shop to the furniture store of Mr. John F. Couts. Orders left their will receive prompt attention.

MR. JOHN S. NEBLETT is the first to announce himself as a candidate at the August election. He is a candidate for re-election to the office of Trustee. He has made a good officer, and has been prompt and faithful in the discharge of his offical duty. Now let all who intend to become candidates announce themselves at once.

WE observe a communication in the Tobacco Leaf from the Hon. G. A. Henry, containing some adverse comments on our last week's leading article. As might be expected, coming from such a source, the strictures, though severe, are expressed in dignified and courteous terms, and, though we see no reason to change our opinions, they will receive respectful consideration in our next issue.

The Weather.

After mild spring weather in the latter part of January and nearly through February, we seem to be visited by winter in March, who is now revenging his late forbearance by a taste of his rigors. The endless drenching rains of last week have been followed by cold weather with a slight sprinkling of snow. In Louisville, during a recent visit of ours there, two falls of snow occurred one early on Friday morning, the other on Monday.

Public Schools.

Mr. Burdett, who was expected to take a position in our public schools had accepted employment in those of Nashville before communicated with by the Board. Miss Alice Johnson has filled the vacancy; she is a near connection of Mr. Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal and of Mr. John D. Moore, of this city. We made it our duty to aitend several hours in the schools one day this week for the purpose of testing her teaching qualities, and have no hesitation in setting her down as a teacher of the first rank, equally qualified to teach the most advanced classes and the youngest children. Nor is this more than was to be expected, as she was educated in the best normal school in Ohio. In addition to this, however, (what we consider a qualification equally important) Miss J. has the air and manners which are only acquired in the best society.

Mark Twain Again.

The public has only to know that Mark Twain has issued a new book and it rushes to the purchase; we mean the best portion of the public; the meaner part wait for their neighbors to buy it and then try to borrow it of them. We have examined a specimen of his new book entitled "A Tramp Abroad," and find the irresistible Mark visible throughout it; in his former work, the Innocents Abroad, his travels were directed to the south of Europe and the Holy Land; this time he penetrates to the centre of the continents and makes his principle sojourn in Germany and Switzerland; he describes things with the same keen insight and overflowing sense of humor, as in the other work and establishes his identity as the humorist of the day.

Mr. C. B. Harris a student, at the Univeristy is the accredited agent for the sale of the book and will visit our principal citizens to solicit subscriptions; the work is published only by subscription.

COL. HOUSE'S SPEECH.

We devote nearly the whole of our available space this week to the masterly speech of Col. House on civil-service reform. This is one of those speeches which of themselves constitute an era in parliamentary history, and, unless we are largely mistaken, will constitute an era in the history of the country, for it is certain to enter into the now approaching Presidential election as a manifesto on the popular side as opposed to imperial encroachments on the rights of the people.

The only adverse criticism which we have seen, even in the most extreme Radical journals, is that which condemns it as irrelevant. We take issue there and contend that it was strictly relevant and germane to the matter before Congress. The bill before the House was one to render illegal the assessment of "Federal officers, claimants and contractors" for funds to be used for electioneering purposes, and it was reported from the Committeee on Reform in the Civil Service. Now, this practice of political assessments is a thing which lies at the very root of civil-service reform; it is the one thing which, more than any other, makes such reform necessary, and at the same time impracticable; necessary because it constitutes the *primum mobile* of that machine by which corruption is perpetrated, and impracticable because it forms an impregnable barrier behind which corruption shelters itself.

We are informed by eye-witnesses that the effect of this splendid effort in the Capitol was marvellous. Twice when the time assigned by the rules had been transcended was it extended by unanimous consent of Congress, and when the speech at length came to a concluson, our representative was surrounded by a crowd of members of both parties, who congratulated him upon his brilliant success. Mr. Garfield, we are informed, is dissatisfied with any reply which has yet been made on the Republican side and will himself devote his energies this week to the attempt at neutralizing an attack so damaging to the character of the Republican administration.

Enough! The reader will see for himself that it justly places Col. House at the head of the orators on the Democratic side of the House.

COL. BAILEY'S WORK IN THE U. S. SENATE.

The Hon. Jas. E. Bailey, our United States Senator is rapidly taking his position among the very foremost statesmen of the nation as a practical and enlightened legislator. We have already given our readers an outline of his bill for refunding the debt of the United States. Another measure which he has now before the Senate, with every prospect of securing practical action upon it, is drawn up in the interests of popular education.

Senator Bailey is known to be the chairman of the standing committee on Education and Labor. While the Senate was under the control of the Republican party, two bills, constructed for the purpose of aiding public education, had been drawn up for the purpose, and then left to slumber among the archives of the committee. When the Senate became Democratic, Senator Bailey became the chairman of the committe; he immediately put these bills in shape and had them reported, and a day is set for the consideration of the bill. The provision of the bill is that for ten years a certain portion of the proceeds from the sale of the public lands be set aside for the aid of public education, and is to be distributed among the States in proportion to their need, estimated by the number of children in them unprovided with school privileges. Other sources are proposed, and if all the provisions of the bill are carried out, hundreds of thousands will be made available for these purposes. Another of Senator Bailey's measures is a resolution calling upon the Committee on the Judiciary to report a bill to check the evils arising from Jay Gould and Huntington's control of the fund for subsidizing the Union Pacific R. R. for carrying the mails.

All these are measures of direct practical import to the nation, and, in maturing them, Senator Bailey is honorably distinguished from a host of mere politicians in the Senate, who let the public interest run to waste while they are engaged in the exciting game of President making.

Col. Bailey is a model specimen of what a Senator should be, a wise statesman and not a tricky politician.

Reading Club.

The Clarksville Reading Club met at the Academy Tuesday night last. There was a good attendance, despite the chill, raw air and the fulfillment of the Chiloean proverb, "It rains at Chiloe six days in the week and is cloudy on the seventh." It is essential to success that the members be punctual, and some, we are glad to know, have never missed a meeting.

The club acknowledged indebtedness to Mrs. Meininger for some very enjoyable music, a favor always to be appreciated, but specially so on this occasion, when some who had promised could not be present.

The readers were—

Prof. Fouche—"Cleopatra's Farewell to Anthony."

Mrs. Sam. Stewart—"Ginevra."

At the request of the President little Lollie Plummer came forward and in a sweet and artless manner read a selection from her school Reader.

I hope, Mr. Ed., you will allow a cordial expression of the interest felt by all in the fourth reading, "Shylock," by Dr. Wright. I was particularly pleased with the *approach* to the reading. This was by a presentation of historical pictures, in which Roman, Jew and Christian were made to pass before you. Playing their parts in the great drama of life, and affecting each in his way the literature of the times, the conclusion was inevitable that Shylock the Jew, as portrayed by Shakespeare, was the natural result of circumstances and surroundings. The Christian and Jew showed no dislike to each other while *both* were the objects of persecution. Rome ruled both with a rod of iron. Regarding them both as scarcely differing from each other in religion, they were both nailed to the shameful cross or fed to the wild beasts of the arena, or clanked their chains in the proud procession. Both were butchered to make a Roman holiday. But when Rome herself became Christian, the Jews alone became the objects of that pitiless persecution in which the Christians had been fellow-sufferers. Christians now poured upon the Jew the vilest contumely, even bestowing upon him that term of derision, *dog*, which the Jew had hitherto applied distinctively to Gentiles.

Through centuries this had been the relative situation of Christian and Jew, for when Christianity had planted her standard in the green isles beyond the sea, the nation, peeled and scatted, were the merchant-princes of the realm. The Jew, subjected to scorn and insult, held in his heart hatred and revenge, as Shylock the Jew felt toward Antonio the Christian. It seemed the most natural thing for Shylock to say:

"If I can catch him once upon the hip,
I will feed the ancient grudge I bear him.
He hates our sacred nation, and he rails,
Even there where merchants most do congregate,
On me, my bargains and my well-won thrift,
Which he calls interest. Cursed be my tribe if I forgive him!"

The reader made no happier point in his reading than in the rapid transition which takes place in the Jew's mind from the hatred borne to "our sacred nation" and the railing on him and his bargains and his well-won thrift. It gave exquisite emphasis to the Jew's ruling passion. It brought to my mind a scene of the late war. A town was threatened by Southern cavalry. The Federal authorities ordered all the male citizens in town who were able to walk and to bear arms, to the fort. It was certainly the most laughable line ever formed. The Jewish element prevailed. Pretty soon a Jewish lady rushed in, her hair disheveled, beating upon her breast and crying, "O, that I were in the old country, O that I were in the old country this day. They have taken Sammy away, they have taken Sammy (her husband) away, *and the goods will be spilt!*"

It is probable that Dr. Wright, assisted by other members of the club, will give this same reading at the meeting of the club on the third Tuesday night in April.

I have often spent money on lectures and readings not affording half the interest and instruction of this delineation of the character of Shylock.

The club will hold its next regular monthly meeting at the residence of Mr. Sam. Stewart.

Question for discussion continued from last meeting.

A MEMBER.

Janauschek.

Madame Janauschek, who is to play here on Thursday next, is the last of a series of illustrious foreign artists who have been impelled by the commanding genius of Shakespeare to study our language in order to interpret the works of the greatest dramatist of all time. We do not think it necessary to quote the tributes which her genius has extorted from the American press throughout her career on this continent, because even before she arrived here, her European reputation had established her on the throne of tragedy as supreme over all competitors. Were it necessary we might give an array of testimony from the elite of the American press extending from Atlantic to Pacific and from the Gulf of Mexico to the great lakes—but she does not need it. In the great dearth at present existing of English-speaking tragediennes, she must be accepted as the solitary artist capable of embodying in her art the grandest and most terrible female character created by Shakespeare, that of Lady Macbeth.

We have only one thing to say in all kindness to our readers. Clarksville has a bad name in regard to her taste for public amusements. It is said that nothing but negro minstrelsy will go down here; dramatic troupes have almost uniformly failed to draw here. A good excuse for this is that very rarely have any but third-rate companies visited our city; now that one indisputably in the first rank and at the head of it is secured as the attraction, let us redeem our character and give her such a house as no minstrel company has ever received.

We should state, by the bye, that the company supporting the great actress have earned very high encomiums from the press. As they are less known than Madame Janauschek, we will quote the Keokuk Constitution on this head:

Harry Meredith, in the part of Macbeth, fairly divided the honors of the evening with the star. His conception of the character was a most excellent one, and throughout the entire performance he evinced dramatic ability of the highest order. * * * Dillon as Macduff, Hunter as Malcolm, and Taylor as Banquo, sustained their respective parts in an admirable manner, and indeed the whole performance was a meritorious one.

The Trip of the C. C. G.s.

We read several notices from the local columns of the Russellville and Bowling Green papers, of the visit of our City Guards to those cities. Their testimony to the gentlemanly conduct of our boys, to their splendid drill and the excellence of their entertainments is unanimous. In regard to their conduct we are able to give some testimony ourselves. Having had occasion to go to Louisville last Friday, we traveled in company with them from Russellville to Bowling Green, and spent all of Friday afternoon with them at the latter place. During this whole time we did not see a single member of the company take a drink, still less did we witness the slightest approach to conduct unbecoming a gentleman in one of them. This was no matter of surprise to us, for we knew the boys, but we write it for the information of the many wiseacres who think that twenty or thirty young men cannot go on a pleasure excursion without a big drunk coming of it. Two ladies accompanied the party, and that alone, with gentlemen such as our solders are, was sufficient security against any indecorum.

WE have said that papers in all parts of the Union are full of the merits of Col. House's speech; among these we have noticed the Cincinnati Enquirer, the Washington Post and the New York Sun. Each of the two latter papers devotes nearly two columns to an analysis of the speech ahd speaks in the highest terms of its value.

We give extracts from the two latter papers.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Mr. House of Tennessee delivered a speech in the House to-day on the subject of civil service reform. The bill under discussion was introduced by Mr. Hostetter to prevent assessments upon office-holders for political puroposes. Mr. House occupied over two hours in making his speech, which was by far the most severe arraignment of the Republican party for its frauds in the election of 1876, and of Hayes for his pusillianimous hypocrisy in the White House, that has been heard on the floors of Congress since the inauguration of the present occupant. The Democrats paid close attention to the speech and frequently interrupted the speaker with applause. The Republicans sought the seclusion of the cloak rooms and the lobbies, and not one man among them offered to say a word in defence of Hayes while the most bitter reproaches were showered upon his head.

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The more of such political debate as that had in the other branch of Congress the better. Mr. House of Tennessee, in opening the discussion on the Political Assessment bill, recalled, in earnest and vigorous language, the great wrong committed by the seating of Rutherford B. Hayes in the chair to which another was elected. The Fraudulent President's sham reforms were held up to the ridicule and contempt which they deserve, and his rewarding of those who helped to steal the votes of Florida and Louisiana was pointed to in proof of Hayes's guilty complicity.—*New York Sun.*

The speech of Mr. House on civil service, yesterday, was one of the most telling efforts heard in Congress during the present session. It was a flaying satire on the "reform" policy of Mr. Hayes and his administration, showing their affluence in promises and poverty in fulfillment. Mr. House briefly reviewed the corruptions of Grant's administration, the demand uttered in 1876 for a radical change, and showed how Mr. Hayes and his associates in the Government had trifled with this great question. The course pursued by the administration in New York was most scathingly handled. The condemnation of Cornell as unfit for a place in the Custom House, and his subsequent indorsement as a cannidate for Governor, were shown up by Mr House in a manner that Messrs. Hayes, Evarts and Sherman will not soon forget. The subject is rich in opportunities for telling hits, and Mr. House made the most of them. It is unfortunate for the Republican party that the hypocrisy of its "pure" administration in the reform business is so palpable that no decent journal attempts to defend, and no honest man ventures to deny it.—*Washington Post.*

A New Organ.

Our Episcopal friends have been made glad by the arrival of their new organ, and it will have been set up and ready for use on Easter Sunday. This fine instrument is manufactured by Mr. Darner, of Philadelphia, who obtained the prize at the Centennial Exhibition of 1876 by the exhibition of this very organ.

Talking of the Episcopal organ reminds us that we have on hand a new song composed by our indefatigable friend, Prof. Meininger, the Episcopal organist. This is one of his brilliant waltz songs, showy but not too difficult. After a sportive capricio by way of introduction, follows a scherzo movement in E flat, which passes by a succession of modulations through the keys of A flat, E natural, A flat again and back into the original key. The piece is destined to become a favorite among the numerous admirers of Prof. Meininger.

THE CHRONICLE, so far as we have seen, is the only paper that has published Col. John F. House's speech in full.

Clarksville Tobacco Market.

OFFICE OF THE CHRONICLE,
CLARKSVILLE, March 19, 1880.

Our offerings this week were near 300 hhds. The market opened dull with an easier demand for the kinds offering, which were in the main of poor quality, nondescript or in bad order—only a small proportion of the break was of fair quality and order, and which brought former full prices.

Holders and warehousemen refused to submit to the decline on poor and soft tobaccos, which was about ¼ to ½c., and therefore rejected largely. All western markets seem declining under the weight of larger receipts of poor quality, soft ordered, or mouldy tobaccos, and they are all reported much lower. Louisville probably fully 1c. and Paducah ½c., and others in proportion. As all tobaccos falling below former prices were rejected, we continue quotations. We quote:

Common Lugs	3 00 to 4 00
Good Lugs	4 25 to 5 50
Common Leaf	4 50 to 6 00
Medium Leaf	6 50 to 7 50
Good Leaf	8 00 to 9 00
Fine Leaf	9 50 to 11 00
Selections	

Sales Reported Since Our Last Issue.

Grange Warehouse.

T. HERNDON, Sup't., of the GRANGE WAREHOUSE ASSOCIATION, sold for the week ending March 18, 1880, 76 hhds. as follows:

41 hhds. leaf, $7 00, 7 00, 6 75, 6 50, 6 20, 6 00 6 00, 6 00, 6 00, 6 00, 6 00, 6 00, 6 00, 6 00, 5 70 5 80, 5 25, 5 30, 5 25, 5 00, 5 00, 5 10, 5 00, 5 20, 5 30 5 25, 5 00, 5 00, 5 25, 5 50, 5 40, 5 25, 4 95, 4 80, 4 50 4 50, 4 50, 4 00, 4 00, 4 00.

35 hhds. lugs, $5 00, 5 00, 5 00, 4 30, 4 50, 4 00 4 40, 4 30, 4 50, 3 75, 3 75, 3 75, 3 60, 3 50, 3 80, 3 80 3 70, 3 50, 3 50, 3 40, 3 40, 3 30, 3 30, 3 25, 3 30, 3 20 3 10, 3 10, 3 00, 3 00, 2 90, 2 80, 2 90, 2 75, 2 60.

Central Warehouse.

KENDRICK & PETTUS, of the Central Warehouse, sold for the week ending March 18, 84 hhds., as follows:

3 hhds. good leaf, $10 00, 8 90, 8 00.
18 hhds. medium leaf, $6 50 to 7 50.
23 hhds. common leaf, $5 80 to 6 25.
11 hhds. low leaf, $4 25 to 5 50.
8 hhds. good lugs, $5 30, 5 10, 4 75, 4 25, 4 30 4 95, 4 70, 3 90.
19 hhds. common lugs, $2 75 to 3 60.

Gracey House.

SHELBY & Co., of the Gracey House, sold for the week ending March 18, 1880, 38 hhds., as follows:

17 hhds. low to medium leaf, $4 70 to 6 40.
21 hhds. common to good lugs, $2 90 to 4 70.

Elephant Warehouse.

TURNLEY, ELY & KENNEDY, of the Elephant Warehouse, sold for the week ending March 18, 1880, 47 hhds. as follows:

2 hhds. medium leaf, $7 25, 6 70.
25 hhds. common and low leaf, $6 20, 6 10 6 00, 6 00, 5 90, 5 75, 5 75, 5 60, 5 60, 5 50, 5 50, 5 25 5 10, 5 20, 5 20, 5 00, 5 10, 5 00, 5 30, 5 00, 5 00, 5 25 5 00, 5 50, 4 90.
12 hhds. lugs, $4 80, 4 80, 4 75, 4 70, 4 30, 4 75 4 40, 3 70, 3 70, 4 00, 3 80, 3 70.
8 hhds. common lugs and factory trash, $3 40, 3 40, 3 30, 3 00, 2 80, 2 30, 2 90, 2 60.

New Providence Warehouse.

R. H. WALKER & Co., of the New Providence Warehouse, sold for the week ending March 18, 24 hhds., as follows:

1 hhd. fine leaf, $11 50.
6 hhds. medium leaf, $7 25, 7 25, 7 00, 6 95 @95, 6 75.
8 hhds. common leaf, $6 50, 6 25, 6 10, 6 00 5 60, 5 50, 5 25, 5 10.
9 hhds. lugs, $4 95, 4 50, 4 25, 4 00, 4 00, 3 70 3 25, 3 10, 3 00.

ELDER I. J. SPENCER preached two very acceptable sermons at the Christian Church last Sunday. He will preach at the same place again to-morrow, (Sunday,) at the usual hours for service. We are glad to learn that he will probably locate here and assume the pastorate of that church.

Positively

all accounts due to G. N. Byers not paid on or before the first of April will, *without exception*, be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. All are warned, that they may avoid costs. W. M. DANIEL, Trustee.

FALL in here Country Merchants, Druggists and Physicians, and get bargains at Byer's Drug store, where you can get in lots to suit you, at cost and less than cost. Drugs Patent Medicins, Toilet articles, Soaps, Perfumery, Books, Stationery, Varnishes, Paints, etc. mch20.

LADIES, call and see Rice, Broaddus & Co's. new Linen Lawns. It is early, but they are cheap, and those who call first will get the best selection.

TOILET articles, Perfumery, Extracts, Brushes, etc., all to be had at reduced prices at Byers'.

BOWLING & WILSON are taking the lead in the Boot and Shoe business in Clarksville. They carry a large stock of Boots and Shoes of the best grades, and make to measure all the latest styles of Dress Boots and Shoes for gentlemen and ladies. feb21-4t.

Notice.

This may be the last notice before an advance is made in the price of goods. Our stock is yet offered as low as a like quality has been sold in Clarksville for twenty years past. It will be to the interest of many who will very soon want Clothing to buy from us before the arrival of the new Spring Stock, after which many goods, if not all, will be higher. Our stock is now very well assorted with late styles of goods, very cheap. PITMAN & LEWIS.

Feb. 21, 1880.

A Wonderful Care of Diphtheria.

Three of my children had diphtheria in its worst form. Skin dry, lips parched, could not swallow. With a feather I applied Giles' Liniment Iodide Ammonia to the tonsils, rubbed it over their throats and chests. Great chunks of stuff came from the throats, the skin became moist, fever left them, and under the Almighty care I attributed their cure to Dr. Giles' Liniment.

JANE KELLY.

Cor. Tonnelli avenue and Bleecker st. Jersey City Heights, N. J.

GILES' PILLS cure Painful Menstruation.

Sold by Owen & Moore. Send for pamphlet. DR. GILES, 120 West Broadway, N. Y. Trial size 25 cents.

FOR Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Scarfs, Cuff-buttons and Scarf-pins, go to Bowling & Willson's. They have the nicest stock.

Go to Bowling & Willson's and get the *M Brace*, a novelty in the way of Suspenders—best thing out.

COUNTRY merchants will do well to call and price before buying elsewhere. J. F. WARFIELD.

THE purest wines and liquors for medicinal purposes at Warfield's.

One dollar's worth of "BLACK-DRAUGHT" will save fifty dollars in doctor's bills.
For sale by W. H. TANDY.

Strayed.

From the farm of Caldwell & Shelton, a large Berkshire boar, weighing perhaps 400 pounds. Any information leading to his recovery will be amply rewarded if left at Caldwell & Shelton's livery stable.

"BLACK-DRAUGHT" makes chills and fever impossible.
For sale by W. H. TANDY.

ALL kinds of cigars and tobacco of the best quality at WARFIELD'S.

McCormac, Photographer.

I am doing work in the highest style of my art, and at the very lowest figures, and respectfully solicit a trial from those wanting to have pictures made.
jan 17 80 tf

Pure White Tobacco Seed.

E. R. W. Thomas, Inspector at Cincinnati, has a lot of white tobacco seed, raised last year from seed grown in 1868, the tobacco from which is many shades whiter than that now grown. Price $8 per lb. Seed guaranteed fresh and as represented.
jan 31-80-2m.

TRY the *M-Brace*. The best suspender known. Bowling & Willon, sole agents for Clarksville.

BUIST'S Garden Seed just received and 10c. papers selling at 35c. per dozen. Peas, Beans, Corn etc., in bulk at like low figures at Byers.

Now's the time to supply yourself with stationery of all kinds. Go to Byers and you will find them at low down prices.

THE best cigars and tobacco at Warfield's.

PAINTS, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, etc., to be had at low figures at Byers'.

Clarksville Wholesale Market.

CORRECTED BY J. J. CRUSMAN.

SUGAR—Cut Loaf, Crushed, Powdered and Granuated, 10½@11½c; Clarified, 10@10½c; Brown, 8@9c.
MOLASSES—New Orleans, 35 to 55c.
SYRUP—40c to $1 00.
COFFEE—We quote Rio, 15 to 18c; Java, 27 to 32c.
SALT—Kanawha, 7 bushel bbls., $2 50; by the car load, $2 15.
FLOUR—Superfine, $4 75; Extra, $5 00 to 5 50; Choice or Fancy, $6 00 to 6 50; Patent Process, $6 50 to 7 00.
STAR CANDLES—12½ to 15c.
WHISKY—Common country, $1 00@1 20; best brands Robertson county, $1 25 to 2 00.
CHEESE—Prime factory, 14@15c.
RICE—Carolina, 6 to 8c.
TIMOTHY SEED—$3 00.
CLOVER SEED—$5 00.
RED TOP—85c.
BLUE GRASS—75c to 80c.
ORCHARD GRASS—$2 00.
GERMAN MILLET—$1 25.
HUNGARIAN—$1 25.
DUTCH MILLET—$1 25.
SOAP—Bar, 4@7c.
OILS—Coal oil, 20 to 26c; lard oil, 60c; linseed oil, raw, 70c; boiled, 73c.
TURPENTINE—Spirits, 36c.
VARNISH—Copal, $1 00; Japan, 90c.
PUTTY—4c.
GLASS—Window, 8x10, $2 25 per box; 10x12, 2 25, 12x14, 2 55.
POWDER—Rifle, $4 50 to 5 00 per keg; lead, 7c per lb.
SHOT—$2 15.
CAPS—40@50c per 1,000.
OYSTERS—1 and 2 lb. cans, $1 15@1 85.
SARDINES—13 to 15c.
MACKEREL—No. 3 per bbl., $6 00 to $8 00; kits, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, $1 00 to 1 50.
BLACKING—35@50c per dozen.
NAILS—$5 25.
IRON—Kentucky, 2¼c; Tennessee, 4c.
ROPE—14@20c.
TRACES—$5 00 to 12 00 per dozen.
COLLARS—$4 00 to 16 00 per dozen.
HAMES—$2 50 to 10 00 per dozen.
AXES—$6 50 to 10 00 per dozen.

The following are the prices paid here at this date for country produce:

BACON—Hog round, 7½ to 8c.
LARD—8c.
TALLOW—5c.
PEANUTS—40@50c per bushel.
GINSENG—60c to 75c.
BEESWAX—29c.
FEATHERS—new, 35 to 40c.
BEANS—White, $1 00.
PEAS—75c to $1 00.
EGGS—8c per dozen.

JAS. L. LOCKERT,
With
C. L. COOKE,

Dealer in Glass, Queensware and House-Furnishing Goods, will be pleased to have his friends and the public examine his stock, which is complete and prices low.

IKE H. SHELBY. ED. O'BRIEN. M. E. WHITEFIELD.

SHELBY & CO.,

(Successors to Shelby, Hart & O'Brien.)

Tobacco Salesmen

AND

Commission Merchants,

Gracey House,

Cor. Second and Commerce Sts.,

Clarksville, Tenn.

W. B. ANDERSON, Book-Keeper.

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES ON CONSIGNMENTS.

Special attention paid to sampling and selling Tobacco. Unless instructed in writing not to insure, all Tobacco when received at the Gracey House will be insured at owner's expense until sold, and thereafter shall be held at the risk of the owner. nov22-6m

Fire Insurance!

As good as can be had. Protect your property without delay by insuring in the following old reliable companies:

Ins. Co. of North America of Phila. 86 years old. Assets $6,591,740.18

Franklin Fire Ins. Co. of Phila. 53 years old. Assets $3,262,627.46

Phoenix, of Hartford, Ct. 25 years old. Assets $2,733,341.27

March 13, 1880. M. C. PITMAN, AG'T.

Headquarters for Dry Goods & Clothing.

Go and See the Great Bargains Offered by

Rice, Broaddus & Co.

In order to reduce our stock preparatory to receiving our Spring Goods, we offer our Carpets at New York prices, Standard Dark Prints at 6¼ and 7 cents. Just received—Real pretty Spring Prints at 8¼ and 10 cents. Good 4-4 bleached Muslin at 10c, worth 10c in New York. Extra Bargains in Fancy Dress Goods and Silks. Splendid Striped Silks at 65c. Best Black Silks for the money this side of New York. Large and Elegant Stock Black Cashmere, Bombazine and Henrietta at old prices. We offer many Fancy Dress Goods at cost and less than cost.

Bed Blankets at cost—Overcoats at cost—Winter Clothing at cost.

We have just received the largest and best Stock of

SPRING CLOTHING

ever opened by us, which was ordered before the advance, and will be sold cheap. These goods are warranted not to rip. No one wishing good clothing should fail to give this stock an early inspection.

Bargains in Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, &c. Bargains in Fancy Cotton and Woolen Hosiery. We sell the

Best BOOTS & SHOES Made,

At reasonable prices. We sell the Best $1.00 Shirt made for the money. See our Bargain Counter. Many ladies are daily being made happy by obtaining bargains off of it. Very Respectfully,

Rice, Broaddus & Co.

March 13, 1880.

New Spring Goods---1880.

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BLOCH BROS.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS

NOS. 11 AND 12 FRANKLIN STREET.

Clarksville, - - - Tennessee.

Owing to the advancing market we have deemed it best to make our purchases earlier than usual, and are now prepared to offer for sale, a carefully selected stock, complete in all its departments, of

Dry Goods, Carpets, Mattings and Notions,

Ladies', Gents', Misses' and Children's Custom & Eastern Made

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Ordered from the best and most reliable factories. Special attention having been devoted to this department, we can show the most fashionable as well as the most substantial work. Our stock of

MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING

is very complete. We have suits for the SMALLEST BOY as well as the LARGEST MAN. In fashionable

Hats, Ties, Shirts, Underwear, &c.,

We Have the Latest NOVELTIES.

March 13, 1880.

House of Cornelius.

Would inform my friends and the public that I keep on hand a good stock of *Stoves, Tinware, Glassware, Queensware* and *House-furnishing Goods, also Family Groceries*, which we will sell low. Please call and examine before buying elsewhere, as Mr. T. P. Edlin says he will make it to your interest to buy of him. Parties wanting any tin work will please call and see me, as I superintend all work and guarantee it to give satisfaction. Thankful for past favors, I remain

Yours respectfully,
CORNELIUS MEHIGAN.

Query: Why will people suffer with indigestion when "BLACK-DRAUGHT" will cure them?
For sale by W. H. TANDY.

UNCLE JOHN, said a bright little girl of eight summers, to a gentleman whose hair was just showing tints of silver, "Why can't you walk as fast as I?" "My dear," "I once chased the butterfly with a light elastic step like yours, but I am too old for such sports now, and besides a victim of Rheumatism, and must therefore stop at the nearest drug store for a bottle of Coussens' Lightning Liniment, which will cure Rheumatism, Lame Back, Sprains, Brusies, etc. Price 50 cts. For sale by J. F. Warfield.

TO MY FRIENDS

And Patrons in Clarksville and Surrounding Counties.

I have received and am constantly in receipt of every novelty in MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS as they appear in the Eastern markets. We have a complete line of Round Hats and Bonnets in the newest and most stylish shapes. I wish to call the immediate attention of the ladies to my Cloak Department, which they will not find excelled in quality, designs or prices in any market. My Dolmans are especially handsome in trimming and general effect. I would say that in Kid Gloves we have the best qualities, from such manufacturers as Lupin and Jouvaise, from two to ten-button, in opera, black and street shades. I have the usual line of Fancy Goods, comprising Ties, Ruching, Lace Goods, novelties in wide leather belts of Alligator Skin, and also the Ladies' Yachting Belt. I have also a well selected stock of ladies', misses' and children's hose in Cashmere and plain colors. My prices are the closest figures and will compare favorably with houses in this and other cities. Respectfully,

MRS. ROSENFIELD.

Liver Pills contain arsenic: "BLACK-DRAUGHT" is harmless as tea or coffee.
W. H. TANDY'S.

J. C. KENDRICK. JNO. H. PETTUS. GEO. S. IRWIN.

KENDRICK, PETTUS & CO.,

Tobacco Salesmen

And Gen'l Commission Merchants,

Central Warehouse,

Corner Main and Front Streets, just below the new Tobacco Exchange,

CLARKSVILLE, TENN.

Unless instructed in writing not to insure, all Tobacco when received at the Central Warehouse will be insured at owner's expense until sold, and thereafter shall be held at the risk of the owner. jan10-80-tf

Meriwether & Patch,

CLARKSVILLE, TENN.,

MANUFACTURE

CAST PLOWS,
STEEL PLOWS.
SHOVEL PLOWS,

Steel-Tooth Harrows for Cultivating and Smoothing.
Nov. 8.—4m

Christmas Goods!

Toys, Dolls, Wagons, Trumpets,

Vases, Toy Sets, Etc.

Fruits, Nuts, Apples, Pears, Bannanas, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes, Prunes, Dates, Currents, Etc,. Etc.

Fire-Works, Fire-Crakers, Roman Candles, Torpedoes, Sky-Rockets, Toy-Guns and Pistols.

Pine Apples, English Walnuts, Cocanuts, Cream Nuts, Chestnuts, Pecans, Filberts, Etc.

Candies, Stick Candy, Fancy Candy, Mixed Candy, Candy Fruit.

Canned Goods, Peaches, Tomatoes, Oysters, Sardines, Salmon, Deviled Ham, Pickles, Chow-Chow.

Cigars, Snuff, Smoking Tobacco, and Chewing Tobacco.

Sole Agent for Empson's Caramels

CAKES of all kinds and sizes.

FRESH OYSTERS

Of the Celebrated Stansbury brand, the best I have ever Handled

My stock of Christmas Goods and Confectioneries is large and well assorted, and you cannot fail to find something pleasing to you. Call early and examine my stock and prices. Respectfully,

G. A. LIGON.

GRANGE

Warehouse Associa'n,

Tobacco and General Commission Merchants,

Clarksville, Tennessee.

T. HERNDON, Superintendent.

JAS. H. SMITH, Inspector.

All Tobacco will be insured while in store in our Warehouse in Clarksville, until sold, at the expense of the owner, whether advanced on or not, unless we have written orders from the owner not to insure.

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September 28 1878.

Keesee & Northington

Have for the Christmas trade

New Crop N. O. Sugar & Molasses,

Fine London Layer Raisins,
Figs, Citrons, Pecans, Almonds,
Cream Nuts, Fancy Candies,
Best Brands Canned Fruits and Vegetables,
Oysters, Salmon, Sardines, Atmore's Mince Meat,
Oatmeal, Cracked Wheat,
Buckwheat Flour, Graham Flour,

FINEEST TEAS AND COFFEE,

FINE WHISKIES, Seven Years Old,

Fine Brandy, Sherry, Port, and Catawba Wines.

IF you have a cough or cold, or disease of the throat and lungs, use Coussens' Honey of Tar, the best and purest compound ever offered the public. There are a few worthless imitations of this valuable remedy, but it has no rival as a ready relief for diseases of the Throat and lungs, bad colds, and severe coughs of long standing. Use Coussens' Honey of Tar and get rid of your cough or hoarseness and difficulty of breathing. Price 50 cts. For sale by J. F. Warfield.

Forty years' trial has proved "BLACK-DRAUGHT" the best liver medicine in the world.
For sale by W. H. TANDY.

LAWSON SMITH has moved his eating house to the new block of buildings, corner of First street and Strawberry alley, third house from corner. sep20-tf

SMOKE the Cabin House and Celebrity cigars. They are the best.
J. F. WARFIELD.

CLARKSVILLE DISTRICT—TENNESSEE CONFERENCE.

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