

A special from West Liberty says: The manager of the Smith-Timber Company states that fifteen miles of narrow-gauge railroad just completed by them from Salt Lick to Licking river at Yale, will be extended to the Morgan county coal fields, which are said to be the richest in the country.

The drouth is causing farmers inconvenience in many counties in State. The wells, springs and streams are drying up, and the water for stock is being hauled in some instances for ten miles. Corn and tobacco are both feeling the continued heat and the ground is literally baked in some places. In one or two localities no rain has fallen for four months. In one strip of country in Hancock, Ohio and Daviess counties the crops are ruined, and ever so much rain could not save them. A correspondent from Adair county says: "I was over in Edmonson and Cumberland this week and rode for six hours hard before I could get water for my horse to drink. The crops are parching, and the drouth by many farmers is considered the worst they have ever experienced."—Louisville Post.

A Manchester man carries on his person a complete pickpocket alarm system. Removal of his watch, pin or other jewelry causes the ringing of a bell. The electric plant weighs twenty-two ounces.

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KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

Gleaned from all parts of the Commonwealth

Short, Readable Items of Interest to All.

Two boys discovered oil of finest quality in Carlisle county.

Geo. Sparks was killed by an excursion train near Stanford.

Capt. Tracy, the well known Kentucky horse-breeder, died in Boston.

The docket for the fall term of the Court of Appeals has been published.

Several new cases of scarlet fever have been developed in Cumberland county.

The residence of Mrs. S. W. Johnson, of Nicholasville, a house built in 1793, was burned last week.

A. D. Roberts, of Owsley, was nominated for Senator in the Hazel Green district.

The criminal docket for the September term of Fayette court is an unusually large one.

It is now alleged that Dick Tate, the defaulting treasurer of Kentucky, is in the Argentine republic.

Carrollton has had two new industries within three months—flouring mill and maple syrup factory.

More barns have been destroyed by fire in the State this year than in any previous year of Kentucky's history.

Hon. Jas. H. Williams, of Frenchburg, was nominated by the Democrats last week for Representative Menifee and Montgomery counties.

Sheriff Pate, of Breckinridge county, has settled in full all taxes due from him to the State, county and railroad for the year 1895-96.

Counterfeit half dollars are being circulated in Middlesboro. They are made of lead, but are said to be good pieces of work, and hard to detect.

The work of putting up the wire on the telephone line between Catlettsburg and Louisa is on. The line will doubtless be in good working order within a week.

The Rev. Sam Small, the free silver evangelist, formerly a Georgia journalist, and associated with Sam P. Jones, will speak five times in Kentucky.

Elijah Norris, aged nineteen, has sued the L. & N. Railroad Company for \$20,000. He alleges that he bought a ticket from Benson to Frankfort, but was thrown off the train and crippled.

For the local news read the Spoutspring Times.

Local Markets.

Spoutspring, Ky., Sept. 18.
The following are prices paid by produce dealers of this place:

Apples	2
Beef hides	4
Beeswax	18
Corn	50
Eggs	8
Feathers	30
Ginseng	\$2. 00
Spring chickens	6

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