BUSINESS NOTICE.

The city circulation of The Daily Sun having been purchased by Mr. S. A. Hill, all city subscriptions are therefore payable to him or his collectors and not to The Sun Publishing Company. tf

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the district court of the United States, for the district of Kentucky, in bankruptcy.

In the matter of Sig Sommer, bankrupt, in bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Sig Sommer, of Paducah, in the county of McCracken, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of August, A. D., 1899, the said Sig Sommer was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at office of undersigned refferee in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 12th day of August, A. D., 1899, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting.

PADUCAH, Ky., Aug. 2, 1899.
EMMET W. BAGBY, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Telephone 442 for nice hickory stove wood. We have plenty of it now. B. E. Bell. 6f

Cottage Wanted.

Wanted to rent a cottage of about four rooms and hall, West Broadway or North Side preferred. No children. Address, J. H. S., this office.

Dr. Edwards, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, Paducah.

Dr. B. B. Griffith, office back of McPherson's drug store. Telephone 180. Residence 415 South Ninth. Residence telephone, 240.

EXCURSION TO CAIRO AND RETURN

The steamer Dick Fowler will make one of her delightful excursions to Cairo and return Sunday, Aug. 6 leaving at 8.30 a. m. arriving at Cairo at 1 p. m., return leaves Cairo at 5 p. m., giving four hours in Cairo to visit friends and see the sights. A fine band has been engaged and no pains spared to make this a most pleasant trip. The low rate of 75 cents has been made for this trip.

At Pine Bluff, Ark., a man committed suicide on the day set for his wedding.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mr. Joe Sinnott left yesterday for Owensboro and Hopkinsville on a visit.

Mrs. H. N. Hale, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Mr. Joe Rothchild, of Louisville, is in the city.

Mr. Brack Owen and wife are sojourning at Dawson.

Miss Viola Ullman is at Dixon Springs.

Miss Willie Cornelius has returned from Mayfield.

Mrs. Nannie Cochran and Miss Lydia Woolfolk have gone to Dixon.

Misses Sylvia and Jessie Downs have returned from Mt. Vernon, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Graham have returned from Creal.

Rev. B. E. Reed has returned from a trip south.

Miss Katie Bothe, of St. Louis, is visiting her father here.

Mr. Herman Rock, of Cleveland, O., was here yesterday on a visit to his uncle, Mr. George Rock.

Mrs. Minnie Schofield and Miss Delaney returned to Chicago today, after a visit to Mrs. Willgeer.

Mr. John R. Smith, the Evansville coffin man, was in the city this morning.

Mr. R. B. Bradshaw, of Eddyville, was in the city today.

Mr. Pete Ely, of Benton, was in the city today.

Mr. B. Frank Billington, of Wickliffe, was in the city today.

Messrs. Homer McGregor, of Wheeling, West Va., and J. R. McGregor, of Nashville, are at the Palmer.

Mr. J. R. O'Bryan, the well known ex-conductor, left this morning with his wife and daughter for Greenville. Mr. O'Bryan will pass through the city in a few days en route to Mexico City, New Mexico and California, and will probably accept a position with the Mexican Nationla. His family will join him there in a few months if he locates there.

Prof. John Dean and wife have returned from a visit to Tennessee.

Col. John Lander, of Calvert City, was here this morning.

Attorney W. W. English, of Calvert City, was in the city today.

Mrs. Dave McKee, of Paris, Ill., is a guest of Mr. M. Kilcoyne and family.

Mr. C. A. Humphrey, the handsome and gallant Smith Premier typewriter man, is again in the city, as popular among the young ladies as ever.

Mrs. James A. Rose, Miss Jessie Rose, Miss Maud Thayer, and Mrs. J. M. McCullough, of Springfield, Ill., passed through the city today en route home from a visit to Golconda.

Overseer Cooksey, of the chain gang, is reported somewhat improved today.

Col. John J. Dorian has been quite ill, but is better today.

Little Miss Mary Dorian will return today from a visit to Nashville.

Miss Myrtle Pryor has returned from a visit to Pryorsburg.

Mr. Gilbert McCoy, of Golconda, was in the city today.

Maj. S. L. Woodward, of the U. S. A., and formerly of the city, is here on a visit. He is stopping at the Palmer.

Mrs. G. B. Underwood, of the city, this afternoon received the intelligence that her sister, Mrs. Emma Kennedy, was in a critical condition from typhoid fever.

Miss Nellie Young left for Boaz station this afternoon on a visit to her uncle, Mr. Craig.

Miss Maud Vance left this afternoon for Boaz station on a visit to relatives.

Dr. F. T. Fort returned this afternoon from Chicago.

Misses Lillie May and Corinne Winstead left this afternoon for Union City, on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Herndon and daughter, Miss Fannie Tempest, left this afternoon for Crittenden Springs, on a two weeks' sojourn.

Miss Virgie Whittemore, of Mayfield, is a guest of Miss Sophie Burnett.

Miss Marie Myles, of Mayfield, will arrive tomorrow on a visit to Miss Annie Brower.

Mrs. W. R. Mayfield, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Gentry, for the past two weeks, returned to her home at Glasgow, Ky., today.

TELEGRAPHIC DISCOVERY.

A Vienna engineer named Pollak has made a discovery which seems to have solved the question of the rapid transmission of telegraphic messages. By a process only requiring the use of simple apparatus Herr Pollak is able on the same telegraphic line to wire 60,000 words an hour. The details of this remarkable invention have been bought up by a stock company, which states that up to the present they have met with great success.

FOR RENT—Three rooms, furnished or unfurnished, separately or en suite. 421 Clark street.

Machinists in the Grand Trunk shops at Port Huron, Mich., went on a strike because a non-union man was given employment. The strike will extend over the entire system.

WANTED—At once, 25 seamstresses. Apply to Dixie Shirt Works, 632 Broadway. 3a2

The World's Alphabet.

The number of letters in the alphabets of different languages varies considerably. English and German have 26 letters; French, 25; Spanish, 27; Italian, 20; Russian, 36; Greek, 24; Latin and Hebrew, 22; Celtic, 17; Arabic, 28; Persian, 31; Turkish, 28; Sanskrit, 44, and Chinese, most of all, 214.

LOCAL LINES.

Mr. Oscar T. Davis, of the Sun's circulation department, is confined to his room withe hills and fever.

The forepart of last evening was very close, but it became delightfully cool sometime before midnight. This morning opened pleasant, but it was not long before the day was quite warm. The sun has shone clear and bright all day.

There was a very good stir in business circles today.

The St. Louis band which has been going about the city for several days making some splendid music takes in the town systematically, to the delight of the people who love music.

Mr. Charles Taylor and bride, who was yesterday Miss Cothran, who were married yesterday in Metropolis, passed through the city this morning en route to Grand Rivers, their home, leaving on the 7:45 train.

The debate at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening will be on Paducah's becoming a city of the second class, and a large crowd should be out.

The repairs on the Ricke building, occupied by Eley & Co., have begun and will require considerable time. A new steel ceiling is being put in by G. R. Davis & Company.

The regular meeting of the Elks takes place tonight. Mr. A. C. Atkins, the exalted ruler, is still quite ill, but may be able to be out tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Little are rejoicing over a son, which came to them this morning. This is their third living son of seven born unto them.

The gentlemanly agent of the Northwestern Yeast Co., is around again with the little yellow samples of Yeast Foam. This company are the largest manufacturers in the world. Yeast Foam has been on the market ever twenty years without an equal as a healthful bread raiser, and is extensively used in all parts of the United States. Everybody is familiar with the good qualities of Yeast Foam. 1t

The Young Peoples' Auxiliary club, of the Lutheran church will meet with Miss Katie Pieper, in Rowlandtown, this evening.

SALT-WATER BATHS.

Ladies Home Journal: For a hand bath (bath given to the body by use of the hands only, or by sponge or cloth) place a handful of salt in a basin as ordinarily filled for washing. Allow the salt to dissolve, or hasten the action by stirring it with the hand. The water should be as cold as you have vitality to withstand. Use no soap. Bathe the entire body. Do not neglect the face and neck in the free use of the salt water. This bath has an exhilerating influence, tones the entire system, and gives to the skin a healthful condition that amply repays for the time and trouble involved. If used in the winter it will be an excellent preventive of colds, besides being a substitute for face cosmetics. No chapping, no roughness of the skin and no clogging of the pores will trouble the person who systematically and regularly takes a bath of this sort. Ordinary table or rock salt will do, but will not do so well, either not found in the others. Whether the sea salt contains medicinal properties or not, the body should receive a daily bath of cold or cool water especially in the summer, either upon rising or before retiring.

PLANTS SEEN IN QUEER PLACES

Ten Story Factory Blooming All Over with Flowers.

Flower pots exposed along the window ledges prove that spring is here. There is no better sign. All winter the faint blooms have shone behind the glass of the panes, but now they take the open air like invalids confined for long, but convalescing. They are curious things, flower pots, and evidence the love of nature born in us all and staying with us to our latest breath. They are seen, too, in the most curious places. There is a huge smoke-grimed factory on the west side, ten stories high. The air about it is thick with coal dust and soot. Yet all summer its ledges bloom like gardens. One knows that many girls work in that factory. The flowers are watered from tin cups that are carried full and dripping the long length of the halls in the luncheon half hour. Men would not take the trouble, but the woman who does not love buds and blooms is as rare as the woman who does not love babies. In either case her thinking machinery has slipped a cog or was built wrongly to begin with. Flower-pots and little seamstresses working high up above the city's roar go together as naturally as turkey and cranberry sauce.

ROBBED THE HAREM.

How a Young Englishman Abducted an Inmate of the Seraglio.

The continental newspapers of Europe are full of the story of a young Englishman of wealth and title who has within the last three years succeeded in abducting one of the ladies of the sultan's seraglio at Constantinople. It seems, says a writer in the Washington Post, that he made her acquaintance during the recent festival of the Lallet el Karat, when all men and women alike go to the mosques to pray. Each of the ladies of the sultan's harem who goes to the mass is jealously guarded by a couple of eunuchs, and these in this particular case were won over by the Englishman's gold. He has carried her off on his yacht, and is now cruising somewhere in the Mediterranean. He seems to have been more fortunate than the late Duke of Wellington. The latter, along with one of the Beresfords, was caught in the harem of one of the princes of the imperial family at Constantinople. Beresford lost his life in the adventure, while the duke, who had not at that time succeeded to the title, escaped, after being subjected to a frightful punishment which may be said to have ruined his entire existence.

THE RIVER NEWS.

Cairo, 16.4; falling.
Chattanooga, 3.1; falling.
Cincinnati, 9.4; rising.
Evansville, 6.5; falling.
Florence, 2.6; rising.
Johnsonville, 3.5; rising.
Louisville, 4.3; falling.
Mt. Carmel, 1.6; falling.
Nashville, 4.2; falling.
Paducah, 6.3; falling.
Pittsburgh, missing.
St. Louis, 14.1; falling.

The towboat Penguin, with 10,000 ties arrived out of Tennessee river this morning, to unload for rail shipment at Brooklyn.

The towboat Wash Honshell is due up today for Caseyville, where she goes to get a few empty barges which she will take to Cairo. Capt. Frank Farmley will take her up and bring her back here, arriving in time for himself and family to catch the Evansville packet for Evansville.

The snagboat E. A. Woodruff did not go through to Cairo, as first decided by Capt. Christian yesterday, when the Woodruff arrived here. But she commenced work this morning at Farley's Landing just above Island creek, and will clean up this harbor generally, of snags, old wrecks, etc.

The City of Golconda left at noon today for Elizabethtown and way points with a good freight trip and 25 or 30 passengers.

The Dick Fowler left for Cairo this morning on time with the best trip of the week.

The City of Sheffield from St. Louis is due tonight with a large crowd of excursionists making the round trip. She goes through to Riverton.

The City of Paducah will pass out of the Tennessee river tomorrow morning for St. Louis.

The City of Memphis owned by the St. Louis & Tennessee River Packet Co., and running in the St. Louis and Memphis trade is giving an $8 round trip rate and carrying big crowds of people.

Mr. William B. Wilson, an old time steamboat engineer, residing in Louisville, Ky., was the first engineer to be granted a license. He celebrated the 61st anniversary of married life last Sunday in Louisville Ky.

The "marine dentist," steamer E. A. Woodruff, has executed some fine work in cleaning the Ohio river of snags. When she finishes up with the Ohio's mouth at Cairo it will excel in point of skill and workmanship any professional job of dentistry ever executed, not even excluding Doctors Whitesides, Pitcher, or any other dentist.

The H. W. Butterfield, from Evansville, arrived and departed this morning with nice business both ways.

The old Cincinnati & Louisville Packet Line Co., say that the City of Pittsburgh will "cut no ice" with them. That they will send her where they have sent all other competitors for many years past. The City of Pittsburgh's career in this astonishingly low cut rate fight, will be short and sweet like a jack ass's gallop.

The Hustler is due tonight from Grand Rivers Landing on Cumberland river. She has a big produce trip and will depart on return trip at noon tomorrow. Capt. McMahan in command is quite popular in the trade.

The Dunbar was ordered to Cincinnati last night by Capt. Tom Ryman, of Nashville, her owner. She was to go under charter, to the Cincinnati & Louisville Packet Line, to run in that trade during the low water season, but the order was countermanded this morning for the present as the Ohio is rising at Cincinnati with 10 feet of water.

Row's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Propr., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRAUX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS.

The committee on salaries and supplies of the Paducah board of education will receive sealed bids up to 12 o'clock m. Aug. 12, 1899, at the office of C. C. Rose, over the American-German National bank, to furnish coal to the city schools for the year 1899 1900; coal to be weighed on the city scales, for which the board will pay. Bids required on three kinds of coal: Lump, Nut and Slack. Bond with approved security required, and names of bondsmen to accompany each bid. The committee reserves the right to reject all bids.

Dated August 3, 1899.

C. C. ROSE,
R. G. TERRELL,
J. A. BAUER,
3a3 Committee.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Parties are hereby warned not to throw or deposit any dead rats in any street, alley or gutter or upon any side walk in the city of Paducah, nor likewise any other dead animal within the corporate limits of the city of Paducah.

3a5 JAS. M. LANG, Mayor.

AN OLD MAP OF PALESTINE.

Valuable Find Made in the British Museum.

A map that is destined to prove of practical benefit to Bible students and scholars generally was recently discovered hidden in the midst of a lot of musty manuscripts found in the British museum. The map shows a plan of Jerusalem made in the seventh century and contains as well the location of every important place in Palestine. The drawings were made by Marino Sanudo, the elder, a Venetian nobleman, who made five journeys to the holy land to perfect his design. His aim was to arouse the Christians of Europe to the importance of Palestine and to urge them to another crusade against the Moslem invaders who had captured Jerusalem in 636, under the command of Khalif Omar. The old map is carefully drawn to correspond to some scale of measurement which the discoverers have not yet been able to determine. Palestine is divided into eighty-one equal spaces in length and twenty-three in width. Many of the identifications of the historic spots of sacred and profane history, the scenes of various battles and the tombs of the prophets and kings, for instance, are better placed in the Italian map than in more modern plans of the holy land. The map, of course, is some hundreds of years removed from the actual time of the Savior's life upon earth, but it is nearer the destruction of Jerusalem by some 1,200 years than the world of today. Even the latest books issued on Palestine have very vague knowledge of the actual sites of the holy places, so that the map of the old Italian is destined to furnish light for a subject that is seen at present only through a glass darkly.

ELECTRIC HAIR CUT.

Paris Has a Shop of Queer Tonsorial Operations.

An electrical barber's shop is one of the latest attractions of Paris. This does not mean simply that motors are used for driving fans and the establishment lighted by an electrical current, but that hair is curled, cut and dried by electricity, and many other things done through its agency. Hair-cutting in this Parisian establishment is done with an electric cutting comb, which, because of its simplicity and the dexterity with which it may be used, must soon become widely employed. This comb looks like any ordinary one, except that a thin wire is stretched above the upper portion of the teeth along the handle. The wire is connected electrically with a storage battery. When the battery is connected the wire becomes red hot. Therefore when this comb is passed through the hair the latter is burned off by the red-hot wire. The whole operation is so rapid that a heavy head of hair may be clipped in a few minutes. Not only this, but the ends of the hair cannot bleed, so that the benefit of singeing is part of the operation. Hair which has been shampooed is dried very quickly by means of electric fans, facial imperfections are removed with electric needles, and it is understood that the owner of the shop is patenting an electric motor-like device which will be used in place of the hands for shampooing.

MISCELLANY.

It is believed by a large number of Missouri people that a great part of the booty taken by Quantreel and his famous raiders from Lawrence, Kas., in September of 1863, now lies buried in a great mound 150 feet high in Bates county, Missouri. From time to time searching parties have dug great holes in the mound in search of the plundered treasure, but none have succeeded in finding anything. Another party of treasure-seekers has now gone to the spot to take up the search, they claiming to have found documentary evidence that will assist them.

"Among the plantation negroes in the old times," writes a correspondent, "the naming of a child was a matter of great moment. Since they all had the same surname, the distinction had to be made in some other way. And since there were a hundred or more to be named, the Bible, classics, literature and history were culled from very freely by the master or some other member of the family to assist the parents in this matter. Among the various names I recall this was the most original one: Elijah the Prophet Lucius K. Polk Mars Abberth L——. The latter name was a compliment to one of the young masters, and not to have given the title would have been an act of discourtesy. The name, however, was abbreviated to 'Prop,' and he was so called."—New York Tribune.

A bill is before the Connecticut legislature for the purchase by the state of the "old stone house" in Guilford, which was built by the Rev. Henry Whitfield, first pastor of Guilford, from 1639 to 1651. It was designed as a fort as well as a dwelling by Mr. Whitfield; Indians brought the stone on hand-barrows by a causeway across a marsh lying between the house and the ledge where it was quarried, and built its walls three feet thick; a great north chimney of stone rises with some architectural effect outside the gable; the first story is only seven feet eight inches high, the second six feet nine inches. The purpose is to use the house as an historical museum. It has always been occupied, and it is an interesting fact that its present owner, Mrs. Sarah B. Cone, of Stockbridge, is a lineal descendant of the Rev. Mr. Whitfield.

Hornets as Murderers.

Canadian hornets will tackle almost anything that flies in their quest for food. In illustration an Ontario gardener tells of a singular observation he made recently in his gardens. He found a nightingale nest in one of the hedges and watched it daily until four young birds were hatched out. A day later he was driven away from the nest by a swarm of hornets, which hovered about it, and finally settled upon it like a solid cover of black and gold. Presently the hornets arose and disappeared as suddenly as they had come. The gardener found the four little nightingales dead, their poor bodies being masses of ugly stings.

For Rent.

Fine new 8-room house, all modern improvements, corner of Sixth and Clay. Apply 533 North Sixth street.

A Bargain.

One new Williams typewriter for sale on reasonable terms at a very low price.

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A free and easy expectoration is produced by a few doses of COUSSEN'S HONEY OF TAR, in all cases of Hoarseness, Sore Throat, or difficulty of breathing. Price 25 and 50 cts. Sold by Dubois & Co.

Place your insurance with Mrs. Burgauer. 20Jtf

Anyone having Weekly Sun of July 6, will oblige the company by sending same to office. tf

BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT gives instant relief in cases of Blooding, Burns, Bruises, Scalds, Cuts, etc. Price 25 and 50 cts. Sold by Dubois & Co.

LOST.—A pearl pendant with diamond in the center, between Fifth and Monroe, and Broadway and Ninth. Liberal reward will be given if returned to this office. 2a3

Southern cities have begun quarantining against yellow jack.