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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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FOR SHERIFF

JAMES HILLOCK.

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FOR COUNTY CLERK,

JOHN A. CAMPBELL.

FOR JAILER,

ROBERT KINCAIRE.

FOR CORONER,

JESSE E. POTTS.

FOR COMMISSIONER

BRYSON N. SMITH.

FOR SURVEYOR,

JAS. McCONNOUGHHAY.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership of Keboe & Vance was this day dissolved by mutual consent, the latter retiring and the former assuming all the liabilities of the firm.

WILL J. KEBOE,
T. C. H. VANCE.

MARCH 26, 1878.

THE undersigned will continue the business and settle all the accounts of the old firm, and respectfully asks a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore accorded to the Mercury. All indebted to the old firm either for advertising or subscription are requested to settle at once.

WILL J. KEBOE.

MASON is the banner Republican county of the district, and yet she wants to beg the Democratic pretensions.

By a strange coincidence the Hazel River, Democrat and Mercury published a week ago, suggestions in regard to Andrew T. Cox. Who knows?

SLANDER and scandalous stories are careful about sending their catalogues of lies into large cities whom they know nothing about, as they generally fall into the hands of disseminators of falsehood literature.

LAST Monday was all fools day, with its consequent spasm of fools trying to catch others. To the curious and knowledge seeking, we would state that the origin of and reason why the day was celebrated by the ancients can be found in the fifth chapter of Malachi—1st Testament.

War Between Russia and England.

The aspect of affairs in Europe is decidedly warlike, and the next few weeks will decide the momentous question. If England and Russia become engaged in war it will be furious and destructive, and other powers may take a hand.

An English agent, who has been buying the adjoining counties of Bourbon, Harrison, etc., purchasing horses for England, in company with Dr. W. H. Wright, Cynthiana, passed through our town last week. He told Dr. Tilton that the horses were for use in the English cavalry, but the England-Russia business looks quite transparent.

In the terrible wind storm which occurred in the English Channel, and in which the steamer Eurydice was lost, a singular phenomenon occurred. Whilst the snow and hail were falling big chunks around Windsor Castle on the channel the most vivid flashes of lighting and loudest peals of thunder were experienced during the entire storm.

A MONTPIER's atrocity was committed at Wet Woods, near Louisville, on Sunday. William and Jane Marlow, aged respectively sixty-four and sixty-eight, were murdered, the bodies decapitated and their house fired, ransacked and burned. When the fire was discovered the bodies of the aged couple were cooking in the embers, and the room is described as ghastly and sickening.

THE Maysville Republican, the great local paper, gives us "taffy," to wit:

Will J. Keboe, editor and part owner of the Carlisle Mercury, has just concluded a bargain which makes him sole owner and proprietor of the establishment. We congratulate our friend on his advancement. As a newspaper in the State, he being a skillful phonographer, a ready writer and a practical printer. He has had large experience on the Cincinnati dailies, will give the people of his community a well printed, spicy newspaper, one which a metropolitan city, and we can merely trust that he will receive the encouragement and success he deserves.

The Kentucky Senate has passed a bill making it a misdemeanor, punishable with a fine not less than five nor more than twenty for any person, or a minor—minor or not to catch minnows for bait in any of the waters in this State in which feed fish have been or may be planted for propagation. The law is a good one and should be enforced in by the house by operation for a few years with a view to the State an abundance of food fish.

Murder in Menifee County.

William Lewis, who killed the deputy Orlando B. Duke, with a shotgun, on the streets of Mt. Sterling some years ago, secured conditional pardon on last Wednesday morning. A dispatch to Enquirer gives the following particulars:

William Barnes went to a field where John Stephens was plowing armed with a double-barreled shotgun loaded with buck-shot, and, without ceremony, said to him, "Look out, I'm going to kill you." Send both of barrels in rapid succession, one charge taking effect in Stephens' back and the other in the head. Killing Stephens, Barnes was accompanied by his family, mounted on a man named Thomas Mitchell and a negro boy. The attendant circumstances, as current report, can be gleaned at this time, are as follows: Stephens and Barnes had entered into an unlawful contract with his father, and Barnes, at a loss of time to get, and Barnes assembled the parties to the contract, Stephens did not press his advantage, and allowed Barnes to depart. The sequel is given above. Both parties to the unlawful contract were in comfortable circumstances. No arrests have yet been made, although warrants are in the hands of officers.

Kentucky Court of Appeals.

Geo. W. Brandeis Appel. } Appeal from
vs. } Jefferson Circuit Court.
Geo. D. Ellingsworth, &c., } Chas. Cook.

The Court, being sufficiently advised, delivered the following opinion herein:

At the time Blount dropped the deed of Ellington and took him the balance due on the purchase of the land, he knew Sears held a lien on the land for the balance of the purchase money, and knew that the money paid him, immediately discharge the lien "Such being the case Blount cannot plead that he was deceived by Sears and induced to purchase and pay for the land upon the idea that the title of Ellington was free and unencumbered."

The agreement by Sears that Ellington might retain the money paid him by Blount and use it in his mill adventure, in Bell's story, did not amount to a payment of the note, and the lending of the money and the forbearance of Sears to sue Ellington and make his money and thus protect him against the claim existing lien."

The failure of Sears to sue after this notice did not affect his rights although he could so have sought otherwise and to have so expressed herself. But his opinion as to the legal effect of his failure to sue was immaterial and he was not in any way mistated against his rights to recover of Blount, and Blount cannot plead on as a bar to this proceeding we consider by Blount and Sears and most outrageous fraud."

Ellington and wife were anticipated to threaten Sears with a suit for damages if Blount and wife did so John Morgan Sears. The entire proceeding was the direct outcome of said John Morgan Sears, and although Blount kept well in the back ground. No one can read the evidence presented by this record without being convinced that John Morgan Sears and wife were the real agents of Blount to excite Ellington to sue, for Counsel, first ward, Jno. Sears, to work upon her fears and take advantage of her, and, in her extreme timidity until, to compe what he regarded as impending ruin, he would release his lien and entirely will his claim against Ellington.

The plan was skillfully contrived and admirably worked up. The wife of John Morgan Sears will not be disturbed in the enjoyment of the fruits of the $200 for she was to receive from Blount, as the courts assumed, a low a compensation as obtained "to stand."

Sears had a right to sell the notes in such a transaction, and had the right to have Hamilton substituted on the notes and to release the lien on the plantation by the latter of the prequisite payment.

Judgment reversed and cause remanded with instructions to enforce the lien retained by Sears. The notes that was not substituted only about $200 of the purchase money due on the land and the lien secures its payments to the extent of $200 and no further.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Mr George Pendleton Bowler, of Cincinnati, died Sunday, in Paris, France, suddenly, of gout of the heart.

The "temperance tidal-wave has struck Mt. Leon. R. Gratz Brown has forsworn buttered watermelon, and a metropolitan paper announces that "we can and must make Missouri a temperance State—practically, if we can by legislation, if necessary."

Immediately upon the convening of the Legislature at Frankfort, Wednesday morning both, branches adjourned in respect to the memory of Hon. B. H. Marriott, the Representative from Harden County, who died in his residence in Elizabethtown on the morning of March 27.

The extension of two years given on whisky in Good upon which the tax is accrued to be due, has given another impetus to the money market of Europe. About $500,000 would have to be paid in gold or more had the law been defeated, and $500,000 more by July 1.

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NOTICE
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ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that by the provisions of "An Act to prevent the spreading of the contagious disease among hogs, and to provide for the inspection of hogs and the sale of pork and pork products, and to provide for the enforcement of the provisions of this act, and to provide for the punishment of a violation of the provisions of said act, and to repeal all laws in conflict with said act," approved March 1st, 1878, which said act is in effect in all large and dark days the 1st day of April, 1878, and that the Board of Health of the State of Kentucky, by the Board of Health in authority, and the Board of Health of Kentucky without authority, have ordered that no hogs will be allowed to go at large, and such dogs will be killed by the Board of Health, and the Board of Health of the State