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To the Public:

I am at last found to the disagreeable necessity of disclosing my private matters to a public meeting, as my indebtedness has placed me to a stringent financial situation, at least two of my creditors being disposed to push me, and, if possible, break me down.

On the first of May, 1877, I took charge of the MERCURY, in connection with Mr. YAGER, at the solicitation and through the kindness of friends whose aid and encouragement I shall remember as long as I am entrusted with a sense of gratitude.

On assuming charge of the paper and purchasing Mr. YAGER'S interest, I incurred the one a heavy indebtedness, one-third of which I have paid, and can pay the balance if given more time. During my ownership of the MERCURY its business has increased, being to-day worth fully at least twice a year more than ever since its birth.

I have resorted by every expedient in my power to day proceedings against me, but without avail, as it secured nothing but cash would satisfy my creditors, and that source commodity being unattainable in large quantities on short notice, the law was resorted to and a judgment granted against me at the last term of Court, to satisfy which my material will be sold.

If all who have claims on my subscription and other accounts were to come forward and pay up, I would be able to buy right cheap and pay every cent I owe, which, however, I expect to do at all events. A delight under an assignment and take advantage of my creditors, but, I [illegible] to do so, as I would lose a deal by it. All I want is a fair show, half a chance, and the continued support of the people of Nicholas County, and I believe that the MERCURY so kindly and liberally given in the past.

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BUILDING is rapidly increasing all over the country and prices are advancing. Churchhill is said to be doing twice as much business now as during the Exposition of 1875. New York also reports largely increased business.

DEARBORN, Dakota, is now what in some respects—food and fuel—Chicago does at that. A big fire got the down wood on it, and burned 200 buildings leaving 2,000 people homeless. The fire burned over not a mile and a half square, and the loss estimated at $1,000,000. The town was the largest in the Territory, and supported the Black Hills settlement.

THE Great "boom" is now occupying the minds of the American people. No American who ever lived has reflected such demonstrations of regard at home and abroad as Gen. GRANT will. He is the only man ever elected twice to the United States. He is to be done so over and over again, and will be received in its commencement, representing the ashes of a line of Presidents, at Chicago with WASHBURNE. GRANT is a military hero, and the people admire the ability of keeping his mouth shut, and is therefore considered a safe man. He has had all the honors the American people have to give, and greatly deserved and desire to be President again. Though the opposition party will throw cold like to nominate and defeat him.

PRICES ADVANCING

A heavy failure was announced took place last week in Chicago and Milwaukee, caused by the run of an advance in Europe. Gloucester, iron and cutlery and cotton goods are among the articles which have advanced, and in which great activity is reported. This will stimulate other branches of industry, till the volume of business in the fall promises will entirely disappear. A little more confidence and less timidity and we will materially help the cause. The Western Rural says that the failure of Pittsburg have advanced the price of nails to three cents. This is not to be worry with it as increase of the wages of publishers and printers, the price of printing has risen a ton for every tenth of a cent advance in price.

THE NEW YORK WALKING MATCH.

Eight days ended with a week's walking match for the championship of the world. It closed on Saturday. The total receipts of the walk were $72,825. Of the total amount the Brown traction, one-fourth, or nearly $18,200, having a little over $15,000 for the walkers, and for many expenses incurred outside of the houses' schedule of expenses. There would then remain to be paid or divided among the men who entered 426 miles. The sporting world pool a prize for a division of proceeds under an arrangement that would make the winnings of the men nearly as follows:

Hazael	$7,000
Rowell	6,000
Vint	4,000
Noremac	3,000
Hart	2,000
Total	$22,000

A DISPATCH from Grayson says that witnesses examined by HARRIS at that place will prove beyond a doubt that Judge HARRIS attended the April term in 1865. Every person in that county will depose as answer in a law suit sworn to before him by a nephew of the late Judge EDMONDS, and filed in the Court, April 7, 1866, which is in the handwriting of Judge HARRIS and bears his signature as attorney for ELLIOTT. Hosea swears that ELLIOTT remarked to him that HARRIS was a young lawyer, who was attending to some business for him, and that he wished to swear to no answer that had been drawn up by HARRIS. Enough of these witnesses strengthened this evidence by duties and circumstances that cannot be disputed.

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.

List of Appointments for the Next Year, Made at Maysville, Ky., Last Week.

The fifty-ninth session of the Kentucky Conference closed at Richmond, Tuesday, September 25, after a session of six days' labor. The following is the list of appointments:

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News From Contiguous Counties.

FLEMING.

Mrs. Marshall's home, "Topsha," was a fine centre of attraction last week.

A white squirrel was one of the curiosities brought to Flemingsburg last week.

Mrs. Hume purchased the Hubbard corner from near Ellisville, at the handsome price of $1,000.

The Democratic rally that took place at Fleming last week was a success. The crowd was considerably diminished.

Mr. Hume and Mr. Lee Jones were taken from the state of house and committed to jail, on a charge of [illegible]. Both were released on bail.

Democrat.—Dr. Charles L. Dudley, assisted by Mr. Ed. Dudley, will hold a meeting evening, at Fair's planing mill. He will explain the workings of the celebrated machine, when, to some means, but which is destined to be a great success. Mr. Dudley has a machine which he has engaged to Mr. Fant, that does away with the necessity of the operator in sawing him from the grasp of the machine, and which will prevent the saw from the planer portion of his power. Mr. Dudley has been at work on the machine for some time, and has succeeded in bringing it to perfection.

Democrat.—Last week was the most of the best crops we have had in this section for many years. The yield of corn is unusually large, and the quality is of the best. There are a number of fine crops of tobacco in this county. Many farmers have been stripping their crops and have realized a handsome sum for the same. Tobacco is bringing from $4 to $5 per hundred.

RUSH

Most farmers are up to the pressure of their work. Mr. Jas. Hall, of Mount Horeb, has been busy with corn-cutting for several days.

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MAYSVILLE.

The Orange House, occupied by Foley & Bro., has changed hands. It was bought by D. Embry at a fine price.

Born on the 15th of September, to the wife of Mr. Jas. Hall, a son. Mr. Hall is a prosperous farmer and lives near Mount Horeb.

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HARRISON.

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MASON.

Mr. Henderson will take charge of a congregation at Sun Columbia.

Rev. E. H. Pruett has been appointed to supply for admission to his old Conference.

DARLINGTON.

The following is the Richmond Register's report of the proceedings:

The Kentucky Conference assembled, pursuant to adjournment, at the Methodist Church, and was called to order by Bishop Pierce, who presided.

Rev. Dr. Kendall, and after the usual devotional exercises, the Bishop announced that the hour had arrived for the election of a Secretary, and that the Rev. Dr. Kendall, who had served the Conference in that capacity for the last four years, would be the first name on the roll. Dr. Kendall declined to serve, and the Bishop announced that the Rev. Dr. Kendall, who had served the Conference in that capacity for the last four years, would be the first name on the roll.

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LAST UNION

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PLEASANT VALLEY.

W. H. Crawford and family, of this place, go west this week. They will settle in Missouri, we believe.

Many workmen we have seen from this place, and we have no doubt they will do well in their new home. We wish them success.

The Fall Association came and went and was a success. Rev. Mr. Moore, of Paris, has gone to Missouri.

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DIED.

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PROFESSIONAL.

I. M. CHISM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CARLISLE, KY.

Will practice in Nicholas and adjoining counties. Prompt attention given to collections.

JOHN P. NORVELL,
Attorney at Law,
CARLISLE, KY.

Dr. G. W. Adair,
SURGEON DENTIST,
Carlisle, Ky.

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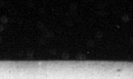

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Everything desirable in clothing at Allen's, cheap.

What is Peruvian?

This question is thus briefly and truthfully answered by Dr. Peruvian, the well known Local Preacher, serious to some thoughtful: It regulates those portals of the body through which the most dangerous diseases enter, and restores the human system. Peruvian is not a beverage, but a medicine, and its ingredients never have been advertised. Peruvian is a positive cure for all suffering with constipation, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, and all diseases arising from a disordered liver. Price 50 cents a package. For sale by Tavenner & Hewitt.

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If you want bolting, forks, spoons, nails, tacks, axes, plows, points, guns, powder, cartridges and a long chain of other things usually found in a mercantile store, go to

ALLEN & BRO.,
One door East of the Kinkbrough House.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

HEADQUARTERS.

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LEWIS'S STATION

J. B. Woodruff left for Cincinnati on Monday to purchase his fall stock.

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Bella Gilvens, who has been visiting Mrs. Jas. Hall, has returned to her home in Mount Horeb.

TAYLOR'S CREEK

Corn cutting is now the fashionable [illegible].

Elder B. F. Rickets will preach at [illegible] next Sunday.

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