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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I announce myself a candidate for nomination for Clerk of the Nicholas Circuit Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Respectfully,
JOHN BRADY.

Hence announce myself a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Nicholas County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Respectfully,
SAMUEL BUSHROD.

I announce myself as a candidate for Clerk of the Nicholas Circuit Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party, without a primary.

Respectfully,
EDWARD S. BARNES.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor—
JOHN STANLEY GRAY, of Henderson.
For Lieutenant-Governor—
JAMES A. McKENZIE, of Boyle.
For Attorney-General—
W. J. HEWARD, of Fleming.
For Auditor—
BENJ. J. WILLIAMS, of Boone.
For Treasurer—
JAMES W. TALBOTT, of Bullitt.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—
N. R. DUNCAN, of Webster.
For Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics—
JOHN W. LAFFOON, of Allen.
For Clerk Court of Appeals—
D. W. LUTTRELL, of Harrison.
For Members of Congress at Large—
ELIJAH HACKNEY, of Madison.
CAPT. E. POLK, of Hardin.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1891

JOE BLACKBURN and free silver will carry Kentucky when Joe's time comes.

HON. E. H. TAYLOR, Jr., the well known distiller, was nominated for the Legislature from Franklin County, last Saturday.

A meeting called for the 10th inst., to be held at Lexington, of those who are opposed to the adoption of the new constitution.

THE COL. KNOTT, Democrat, now home, like his illustrious name sake, disappoints his friends when they expect great things of him. He changed his friends at Lebanon last Saturday.

THE treatment of the Jews by the Russian government brightly brings out the drawing down the condemnation of all nations upon that despotic country. People who argue that there is no hell forget Russia.

HON. DANIEL JAMES, one of the best men in the State, is a candidate for nomination for Clerk of Impoundering Court from Fayette County. Fayette has for many years put out good and honest men to the Legislature, and none have manifested her honor and credit more nobly than Mr. James.

THE recent scandals in the Pension Bureau are of interest chiefly because they show how dishonest, for their intrinsic importance is slight. That that office, whose opportunities have been so long used for the corruption of thousands. A new case of two of morality, therefore, cause no surprise. Hay effectually strengthened, if he needed already existing.—N. Y. Sun.

THE Interior Journal says: We have heard a number of people say that the new constitution having cost $200,000 it would be too good a waste of money not to adopt. This thing is do with a general. The people have paid for the document, and if rid of it, so many the cost and loss. It will cost the State a million of dollars for the court of appeals to construe the new instrument, which will give cause to almost everlasting litigation.

THE Hills Sensation, in the Florida Legislature having failed on purpose to be present to vote for U. B. Sparkman, is now trying to force the re-election of Senator Call by a trick. It is said that a number of people in small scenes to be elected to the Legislature, which are generally about as small as they are. Some of the Call received a majority of all the members elected to the General Assembly of Florida and that settles the matter.

A MEMBER of the Constitutional Convention said to us last week in Louisville, that if the people rejected the new instrument the convention would doubtless readopt the present constitution with no open chance. If the people were sure this would be done there would be no use for further discussion. The radical changes proposed by the new Constitution cause many people to hesitate before accepting it. I believe the majority of the people would take the risk lax, and as for personal consideration the more conservative they are the more they are inclined to vote for adopt articles that will equity everything to be submitted to the courts.

MR. CLEVELAND AGAIN.

In a late speech at Buffalo, New York, Ex-President Cleveland, in speaking of the late war used the expression "when the government was forced to call upon its citizens to take up the sword in defense of the Union." Exception was taken to the expression. Mr. Cleveland's friends have interpreted it to mean the fact of speaking his mind freely and we guess they are right.

We don't see any good harm in being called a "rebel," because we love Washington was a rebel. Moses was a rebel. Christ was rebel, in fact all the great and good people have been "rebels." Jesus was a rebel against the Jewish rule, and that caused to crucify Mr. Cleveland and other Northern people. With Mr. Cleveland's soldier policy embraced about his work, and "rebellious hands" had loosely on his head, he will not be "on the wave" in the Democratic party. We have called upon our Henry Watterson to have a rebellion a few days and suggest that he don't allow. If Mr. C. could be persuaded to permit his pen and tongue to be used against the rebels in a secret destroy, it might be well with him yet.

THE NEW CONSTITUTION.

One of the prominent advocates of the new Constitution is there disposition to scorn all who differ with them with being either ignorant, venom or corrupt. For people, who are, according to their own estimation, so copying as exalted and sanctified also the rest seem to be quite humble in their criticisms. We do not care to be personal, but we do think it would be a good thing for a newspaper to what may be said in a personal way, but we do hope and sincerely think that the day the new instrument is adopted will be the saddest day in Kentucky history. There are many good things in the new instrument, and it is difficult to get one's consent to oppose them, but the many objectionable things make it equally difficult to be willing to adopt it.

COL. TOM H. GARDNER writes to the Commercial Gazette that when he leave Mrs. John Young Brown 3 years ago, she was one of the most strikingly beautiful women for ever saw "of slight and willowy person, the eyes of a queen, an exquisite complexion, a stole of a color as uncertain as they were constantly changing, and a manner so charming and so kind, that the father of the bride, the groom and gallerie Fontaine, Miss Brown has been blessed in ways that have inherited her character, price of mind and person and the origin at Frankfort will add lustre to the annals of the commonwealth.

Republican Convention

The Republicans of Nicholas County are requested to meet in Cincinnati on Court-house in Carlisle on Saturday, June 6th, at 1:00 p. m. Business important. A full attendance is desired.

H. B. BATSON, C. N. C. R. C.

ELLISVILLE.

Tom Lewis of New York:
Uncle Sam's mail is well cary sick.

Mr. E. Wilson is convalescent.

A good, old fashioned gentle rain would make our little farmers look much sweeter.

Miss Katie Wade, a very charming and pleasant visitor during the past week, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Bishop.

Mrs. Frederick of Harrison, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dora Stone, of Oakland Mills.

Lewis Hook is having his house newly painted, and Mr. Wm. Jones is the work.

Mr. Lewis Thomas, of Paris, and Miss Lou Lewis were married at Cincinnati some time ago but taken a trip and are quite sick.

Married Myers and lady, of Carlisle, visiting here Saturday and Sunday.

Hold, Barr, of Brassfield, was here Sunday.

Ed. Bela Metcalfe will begin a protracted meeting at Ellisville on Friday night before the 1st Sunday in June.

Uncle Billie Dotson has a sickness on his hands, and it is hard to say what kind of preservative would be standing the nearly families of Uncle Billie Dotson's family.

J. B. Blake, one of our best and most enterprising young men leaves for Louisville this week, where he will reside in the future.

BOB ANN.

No rain yet in this vicinity. Rose Lake enjoyed a fine shower Saturday evening.

Prof. J. T. Bow, of Oakland Mills, was the author of a harmony his home Monday.

Rev. Jno. Mann had a large audience at our school house Sunday afternoon and delivered them to an excellent discourse.

J. W. Riley and family were visiting relatives in Harrison from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. Boone Ingles proposes to build a church and dwelling house in this place and they will employ a preacher and dwelling. Now great concern about it.

A grateful friend carried our fortune to a lady friend who was sick and blind for months in bed; as it was not expected she would live long, she handed it this week, and she is improving.

Mat. Hudson, of Stanford, was in our community last week.

T. Hertsche and Jno Scaggs were in Stanford several days last week.

Quite a number from this point attended the Sunday school convention at Stanford last week. It was a pleasant time.

Remember Ed. Bela Metcalfe will begin a protracted meeting at Ellisville on Friday night before the 1st Sunday in June.

Uncle Mace Johnson, wind up the week with a nice bunch of sheep.

Jas Porter, who has been confined to his room for several weeks was able to be out last week.

Alphonse Green, with W. A. Lock, had from the tobacco barn last Friday and toward himself considerably.

We are authorized by the plat to say that Rose Lake Sunday School will be opened on next Sunday for a match game at three o'clock, at place on Saturday evening June 13, and to further say, it will take the cream from the milk of kindness in the Sunday School world, and we hope conservative they are not to adopt articles that will equity everything to be submitted to the courts.

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JUVENIS.

AMERICAN cattle are quoted in London at 11 and 14 cents. One year ago they were quoted at nine cents.

THE

J. A. CHAPPELL DRY GOODS CO.

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A. URBANSKY,

Recent Mistakes, Truthful Advertising, Lowest Prices.

Never has a cannon done better aim than this. Mistakes lines have been heard for wide calling upon the people to rally to the City Store, because there all kinds of Dry Goods were being sold at panic prices. And the war goes on.

From June 2d to June 30th we shall continue our great slaughter sale. All brilliant blue, silver gray, pinks, purples—every kind, at 5 cents per yard. A big stock of wash goods for summer dresses, from 5 cents up. Ladies' Ecru Lace curtains at popular prices. Fine line of embroideries, Swiss and Nainsook. The best shirts for men and boys to be found. Ladies' Jackets and Summer waists. Boys' waists and Knee pants. Gents' vests for all ages. Hosiery, gloves, fans, parasols, umbrellas, notions and fancy goods.

Wholesale depot for Clark's O. N. T. thread.

Congleton shoes for men, women and children. Special bargains in odds and ends and sizes, can't be duplicated. Every kind of good shoes at reduced rates.

Monday next, County-court day, we will be glad to see a loose fall, plenty of ice water and fans free. "Well," says every one, "when are we to have a good soaking rain?" The City Store can't answer that question. But we will say that from 1st to the 6th of June is a good time to expect it. You see there is a new moon Saturday the 6th and as the moon changes at 12 p. m. on Herod's tells us there will be "frequent showers," and possibly hard rains. Now from noon one hour and a half before day—and will order Mars to stand still in the sky—and we have at the City Store. Accordingly Mars will retire to bed at 8:34 a. m. Jupiter the big sister of the planets will rise about the same time as Venus and will ably second her pretty young sister in her work on the rain. As the moon will then appear in the sign Taurus, stocks and bonds will rise at New York and wheat and corn will decline in Chicago—as effects will then be in the sign Leo Major.

Now, in case these signs fail Bridget is authorized to say we are out and as expected lied. We know you can't believe us, but we will be on hands to lead the whole squad of rumsellers to victory and eternal glory.

JAS. A. CHAPPELL,
General Commanding

Prof. Tarrar, of Yale College, has brought his mathematical abilities to bear upon the question of the length of time that the earth is to endure, with the result that it is discouraging to those who have invested their money in the stock of the concern. He says that the sun will cool and the earth will come to a low pass, and that most of the interesting things will be full of consolation.—Traveler Journal.

HON. W. T. LEWIS, ex-Judge Advocate General of the Confederate States, is in Cincinnati, recently in my family and have no hesitation in saying it is the best medicine I have ever used and I am convinced that it is a remedy which is enough to sold will find it a blessed. There is no danger from whooping cough when this remedy is freely given. Sold by all druggists.

BRIDGE.

CHILD BIRTH MADE EASY!

"MOTHERS' FRIEND"

WILL DO all that is claimed for it. Robert Ellis, Dunnellon, Florida, writes: Dunnellon Oregon is 45 miles from Ocala. Mother's Friend worked like a charm. Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Ocala, Fla., writes: