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FRANKFORT, KY., Jan. 31, 1893.

Dear Mercury.

About the only point of interest here for the past three weeks has been the Senatorial contest which has finally ended in the election of Lindsay Beckham. Mr. Beckham is satisfied with this result, but wanted to him over the top by the skin of his teeth. He got there by the skin of his teeth, and that is enough. Mr. Beckham is a good man, and deserves the honor conferred upon him. He is a well known lawyer here, but for some years has been more the correspondent of a number of papers than a practicing attorney. Thomas Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, is perhaps the best known correspondent in the country, and he is the author of the great Louisville Democratic platform that should take a rest on themselves, before they loose all the power they ever had. People want news, and not detection, and as good as all of the editors on the news columns to secure political news. But for all that, Judge Lindsay Beckham is to be Senator, and I predict he will make a national statesman, and a formidable rival for Kentucky the high standing her statesmen have accorded her, and No State need ever be ashamed when it sends men so learned to represent its interests.

Kentuckians have great reason to be proud of their Legislature, and especially so she is now represented in Congress, and is soon to be represented in President Cleveland's Cabinet. Gibraltar and Kentucky—unconquered Kentuckians!

Not only is Kentucky to be represented in Congress, but she is to be represented in the great World's Fair at Chicago this year. I have no entirely learned in this great Fair, but I know of no way to prove readers that want to see something in this world, and which would like to know what is going on, that they will have an opportunity to see this year the best the world is going to afford.

Every boy and girl who has any ambition to amount to something and to something, should begin now to save money to attend this great Fair. It is to be the biggest thing of its kind ever held in the world, and there is going to be a great deal. Arrangements can be made by parties for these railroad rates, and reasonable board. As for me, I had rather have most anything than to fail to see the nations of the earth, on one place. Everybody get ready for the show.

E. B. K.

The nomination of a Democrat for Governor of Ohio, and the election of the Democratic Legislature virtually secures the election of another Democratic Senator for Ohio to succeed Senator Sherman, and to commission a Senator they cannot make any other, and they will vote for any but a Democrat. With a Democrat from Kansas, the United States Senate will stand forty-four Democrats to forty-four republicans, and even with the Vice President's vote, gives the Democrats only one majority, and more the Democrats have a majority so far for Senators from the States now coming. The next Administration will be a Democratic one.

The question as to whether Secretary Harrison will appoint Chief Justice Lamar is a subject of considerable discussion just now. The general opinion of the partisans of both parties that he will appoint Lamar's successor, and that a statesman simply as he is, and not a politician. The confirmation of this view the President has been very much pleased with the country we can not say, as declaring that he is simply going to let the matter alone.

If Secretary Carlisle shall pursue a policy that shall save the country from the dangers that are now threatening it, shall harmonize conflicting interests, and put the nation on a solid and permanent financial basis, he will have done more work and will have more with Hamilton and Chase and the others he grew. Treasury Secretaries of the past.—Boston Globe.

Were Mr. Blaine on the White House he left a surplus of $40,000,000 in the Treasury, and a condition of economical administration. When he retires to Bar Harbor he will do so with a deficit which is the result of a reckless expenditure of the public money. And still there are people fools enough to want to keep Republicans in office. Fools, 'em.

The startling growth of the pension roll is pretty positively asserted that Senator Sherman, when he proposed to the Senate Finance Committee the appropriation of $150,000,000, never dreamed that he will be a candidate for Judge Lamar's place. Mr. Sherman is reported as declaring that no person could receive a pension unless wholly disabled, and having an income less than over a pension was rejected.

People are anxiously awaiting the action of the U. S. Senate on the question of electing U. S. Senators by popular vote. The House passed the bill by an overwhelming majority, and it is said by no means the least important element of the people, that the Senate will pass the bill by the same majority. Public sentiment is the say as yet, and it will be strong enough to force it.

W. O. BRADLEY has been elected by $1,500 of the amount of his salary against Bradley, the present incumbent of the National Republican Committee, and is now in the field of the contest. Bradley is from forty counties.—Richmond Register.

And the blame on him.

A CHICAGO lawyer has written a book entitled "Why I Am Not a Democrat." He is not the first lawyer who has written a book to show that he never was a Democrat, and the vacancy on the census roll is still open.

THE will of ex-President Hayes provides the estate equally among his wife and children. Many of the bequests are left to charitable institutions, and whether she is improved in her views, manners and tendencies.

Land, Stock and Crop.

Jay-Eye-See's getting record of 2:10 1/4 has stood since 1884.

Ed. Geers is working night with records better than 2:15 over the surveyed track at Buffalo, N. Y.

Hon. Thomas J. Wilson, of this county, sold a car load of three-year-old mules to Lexington parties, at $95 each.

During 1892 in the United States and Canada there were 3232 running races held, and over 6,000 horses participated in the contests.

The four highest prizes ever obtained by horses are: $126,000 for Ormonde; $121,000 for Axtell, $105,000 for Axtell and $100,000 for St. Blaise.

Hamlack's record of 2:07\ has been accepted by the American Trotting Register Association, and Kremlin, 2:07\, is the undisputed king of stallions.

Nancy Hanks, the famous daughter of Happy Medium, has earned more money than any other trotter on the turf during the past season.

The black gelding Gillette, 2:11\, was driven E. Clay, of Paris, to Mr. Bedford, of Brooklyn, for $5,000.

The growth of the trotting horse business in Europe has been retarded by the knowledge that a great many broken-down horses from this country have been unloaded on enterprising European buyers.

The Union Stock Yards of Cincinnati will expend a million dollars in building an immense packing house to compete with John Cudahy's new establishment.

John A. Goldsmith is of the opinion that the rule of simply registering trotters in the country in mid-winter is less than a farce, as the fortunate of the season's winner are not so great.

Let stallions have free access to open space, so they can exercise at will. Stallions confined in small stalls, idle, and the prime cause of so many of them becoming dangerous.

Aluminum alone last longer and produces better tetter than the iron ones. The experiment has been tried in Russia on cavalry horses. The aluminum shoes are one third to one-fourth the weight of iron.

William L., who sired Axtell, 2:12, Lord Russell, who sired Kremlin, 2:07\, Electioneer, who sired Palo Alto, 2:04\, and Jay Bird, who sired Allerton, 2:04\, had no record better than 2:30.

At Jerome, Ky., on Wednesday of last week, thirty-one head of trotting horses were combined, gotten up, and the horses, were sold in the Bright & Fox combination sale for $6,525, an average of $135.36 per head.

For RENT—A house and lot with 10 acres of ground, on Carlisle & Sharpsburg turnpike, 2 miles East of Carlisle. Apply to JAMES DAILEY.

FOR SALE—A new and good milk cow, 5 years old, to freshen 1st of March.

H. M. NEAL, Millersburg, Ky.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—We offer for sale the house and lot on Locust street, recently occupied by Grand Chief Hold-over Ten, adjoining the property of Mrs. Mary Hoffman. If not disposed of privately next Court day it will be offered at public sale.

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In the course of the year many of our readers have, and no doubt will, be called upon to write letters of condolence to the bereaved. The following will be found excellent: Take a piece of common letter paper, dip it in water, and wash the soft part of the brain of a sheep with it. Use the roots of his tail. If our application don't kill all the fun, repeat. Not only will this kill all the fun, but it saves the correspondent the trouble of thinking for the cold taking cold from the increased area in very cold weather.

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WHERE THE HORSES.—M. Worth, the Paris God of Fashion announces that ladies the driver blossoms are ready to kiss the feet of strolling young women, these same girls will be walking in the center of skirts as vast in circumference as those which made their mother and grandmothers almost inexpressible 30 years ago.

MASON HENRY T. STATTON has the second paper of Peter's-Southern Magazine, and will interest his readers through his researches in the Indian country.

THE Stanford pacethat who advertised $100,000 against $50,000 and 100,000 pounds of butter, when he only wanted his opponent to increase the estimate their surplus for his grocers, will never again stand pecuniary embarrassments. The response gave him a splendid chance to display himself.

CAPTAIN SWEENEY, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says "Hiltch's Cattle Cure is the best I have ever used in my stock. It is a specific for Distemper, Coughs, Colds, Sore throat, and all other troubles. If used in time will prevent pneumonia. It will cure horses when all else fails." Price 50 cts. Sold by M. Ellis.

THE wife of a Lewisville drunkard has secured a writ of attachment against her husband's property, and will have a hearing before the sheriff and Common Council Monday. Children lovely.—Louisville Commercial.

MRS. JOSEPHINE K. HENRY has an idea about the Kentucky coat-of-arms. She declares it is not a proper emblem for one of the men who stand with "shotguns loaded and primed ready for use." Called we stand, declared Mrs. Henry, and our two splendid breeding jacks. Pursuant to the above, I will offer them publicly next Court day, Monday, Feb. 6th.

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ANDREW CARNEGIE claims in and around Pittsburgh, Pa., and declares that he owns the majority of the stock of the Pittsburgh Reduction Company, but he does not control the policy of the company.

THE success of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in relieving and curing all coughs, croup and whooping cough has been the means of introducing it into almost every home, and as it is now the most popular remedy in use for these diseases it will be found exceedingly profitable for druggists to keep it in stock. For sale by M. Ellis.

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It is not often that a president lives to end in a sucker party, but we know of a certain person who attended the Democratic invitation not long since, and he was somewhat puzzled as to what he could do in a strange city. However he soon clashed that it was, and could not find his regrets, saying that such "drinks" was a good place; but it was impossible for him to be there and he would be extremely remarkable if he should be present. Regrets by mail.

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Remarked a friend that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs was a good medicine, for it relieved her child when others had failed. Sold by druggists everywhere guaranteed. Price 50 cts. and $1.00.

Ed. Hamlin says: Facts is facts, and I have found Salvation Oil to be a positive cure for Rheumatism. It relieved me when the Coon called to see me. Cracked my head about 11 times and then I was about to die. Salvation Oil was the only thing that would help me. I was about to die. Salvation Oil was the only thing that would help me. I was about to die. Salvation Oil was the only thing that would help me.