

The best Ulsterette OVERCOAT IN THE STATE FOR \$3.50, AT THE CORNER.

MONON ROUTE

TIME TABLE
Arrives, going North:
Lafayette Accommodation, 6:40 A.M.
Chicago Day Mail, 11:35 A.M.
do Night Express, 11:35 P.M.
Arrives, going South:
Lafayette Accommodation, 7:25 P.M.
Chicago Day Mail, 4:20 P.M.
do Night Express, 4:10 A.M.
[See General Advertising Card.]

FOR SALE.—House and lot near new College building, on Henderson street. For particulars call on W. J. Bell.

Call at the Hardware Store of W. J. Allen, and see the Vanalke Evaporator, the best in the market for the manufacture of molasses, every one warranted to give satisfaction. Also examine the Hooier Wheat Drill; it has no superior in the country, and will pay well the man who uses it.

W. J. ALLEN.
FAIL STYLES in gents' piece goods have been received by Ben. McGee, the artist tailor, on the south side of the square. You who want something neat and stylish should go to his store and after selecting the goods have him cut and make you a suit. McGee's suits are famous, deservedly so, and the man who has one of them wears his clothes with no small degree of satisfaction and pride.

A MUSEUM of wonders is the store of Tobe Smith, on the south side of the square. There is no article in notions, toys or fancy goods, that cannot be found on his shelves or piled up on his central counters. He buys these goods in car-load lots, and by this means gets them so cheap that he can afford almost to give them away, and he does it. He has the leading staples in fine watches and jewelry, and you need not go further than Tobe Smith's for any article in his line.

SUMMER goods must go. Call at Blair's.
WANTED: Every body in need of low shoes and toe slippers to call at Blair's.

CALL at the Hardware store of W. J. Allen, and examine the celebrated Buckeye Reaper and Mower, the best machines in the market. For light draught, ease of management, and durability they can not be excelled, and the Walter A. Wood Mower in store and for sale by W. J. Allen.

ALL parties indebted to W. T. Blair, are requested to settle accounts at once; those failing to do so will be numbered among the "dead-beats." W. T. BLAIR.

You will save money by taking in a pair of French Kip Boots, at \$4.75—former price \$5.25 and \$5.50 per pair. These can be found only at W. T. BLAIR'S.

FRESH supplies of groceries are received each week by WILSON, the corner grocer. Among the latest is the "Magic Yeast Cakes," and the "Empire Baking Powder." All the novelties in groceries can be found in this house. All goods delivered free of charge.

Destroy that Sign.
One may feel that he's getting old, but he naturally dislikes that anything about his appearance should advertise his age. Yet nothing does so effectively as this sign and falling hair. No woman wants to marry a man, and business firms hesitate to employ a man, who shows this fatal sign. Parkers Hair Balsam is worth to you, in this regard, more than its weight in diamonds. Use it, and have plentiful and glossy hair. Many have had every trace of grayness removed and bald spots covered by using a single bottle.

If you want to borrow money at lowest rates, or if you want to insure your property, call on EAST & EAST.

Wabash Scratches, and Itch, cured in 30 minutes, by Woodford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by H. Linsley, Druggist. nov12-7

BREAD the great staff of life is all the better for health for being extra good. That is the kind Benckert, the baker, bakes. Every body that has eaten this bread will eat it again. It is superb.

C. Van Zandt & Son, UNDERTAKERS AND DEALERS IN Metallic Burial Caskets, Cases and Coffins. Hearses and Carriages furnished to order. Orders by telegraph will receive prompt attention. Shop on College Avenue, north end of W. O. Fee's Building, Bloomington, Indiana.

A FAVORITE HOTEL is the Orchard House, situated opposite the depot. The house is large, conveniently arranged, and the rooms are comfortably furnished. Good beds, a well supplied table—all that any one could desire, are to be found here. Well arranged sample rooms are fitted up in the Orchard House, and Commercial travelers will find the Orchard House at which to stop. Meals supplied to persons at reasonable figures. Orchard & Son are the proprietors.

What You Want to Know.
Everybody wants a house answer to this simple question: "What is the best medicine to regulate the bowels, cure constipation and biliousness, help the digestion and give strength to the whole system?" People ask us this every day. We answer: "Fletcher's Tonic." It is pleasant to the taste. All the children like it. Mothers all praise it. It will save a thousand times its cost in every family.—Editor Western Argus.

OF SHAWLS we have a handsome display, and can suit the taste and financial condition of any customer. Ladies, call. McCalla & Co.

Death of Felix C. Dunn.

In quick succession our oldest citizens are passing away. Almost every week for some time past, the death of one and another has thus been chronicled, and now is added to the number, the death of Felix C. Dunn. Mr. Dunn was one of the best and most favorably known citizens of our place, having been long engaged in the grocery business at Dunn's corner, on the railroad, and it can be said to his credit, that for whatever success he may have attained in his business life, he was greatly indebted to his fair dealing, his pleasant manner and great equanimity of temper. Mr. Dunn's social life was a pleasant one. He was twice married, and no man was ever blessed with two better companions—the last one still surviving him. He has been in declining health for many years, but for several months past his weary frame and faltering steps, made it appear to his many sympathizing friends, that his end was near.

He died on the 30th of Sept., 1885, and was born April 14th, 1818, having moved from Oldham co., Ky., with his father to Bloomington, in 1835. Mr. Dunn was a member of the Presbyterian church in this place for nearly fifty years, and died in the faith in which he lived. M.

Grand Excursion.
Tickets at all Stations on the Terre Haute and Leavenworth division of the Vandalia Line, to the Indiana State Fair, held at Indianapolis from Sept. 24th to Oct. 3d, inclusive, at the extremely low rate of one fare for the round trip. Remember our short mileage enables us to make an extremely low rate via of Colfax. Tickets on sale from stations of the Vandalia Main Line, good up to and including Oct. 3d. The display at the State Fair promises to surpass that of any former year, and as the unprecedented rate of half fare has been made, you should not fail to attend.

The tribal government of the Cherokee is Democratic in form, with an elective chief magistrate and an upper and lower house of representatives. The judiciary is elective, and criminals are punished after the manner of the whites.

Mr. Alfred Jones, of Washington, in excavating for a new house near the O. & M. depot, where an old tan yard was operated 45 years ago by Frederick Mars, found the vats still filled with tan-bark, and the wooden walls of the tan vats just as sound as the day they were made. When the bottom of the vat was removed the clay was found as solid almost as a rock.

12 LBS. PRUNES for \$1, at Dunn & Co.'s Cash Store.

Now is the time for selecting seed corn. Corn carefully selected, early, can be kept so as to insure its vitality, especially from injuries by frost; and there is also an opportunity to choose the largest and most perfect grains. With the experience which many have had, it would seem that no further admonition ought to be necessary to induce proper care in every respect to secure the best corn for seed.

12 Cans (full Berries) for \$1, at Dunn & Co.

MEADOWS & PAYNE have established a Meat Shop in the rear of the grocery store, Walnut St. Hotel building, and will keep the best meats the country affords. They have on hand nearly always, Beef, Mutton, Veal and fresh Pork. To sell good meat at reasonable prices will be our effort.

MEADOWS & PAYNE.

"THE BEE HIVE BOOT," Bloomington, Ind., Sold by Wicks & Co., is the best Boot for the money. It is all solid sole, leather, counters, soles and heels, and of good full stock. Men's and boys' sizes at prices cheaper than some other split leather boots are sold for.

Call on John Little, north of Reed's harness shop before buying a mattress. He has the very article for fall and winter use, and at much less than original cost.

See the every day arrivals of Cloaks, at McCalla & Co.'s.

DUNN & CO.
Have received a large stock of Groceries, direct from New York. They can give you bargains for the next sixty days.

It would seem to be scarcely within the bounds of belief to state that very large quantities of oleomargarine or "butterine," which is a shorter name and better understood, is constantly being sent to Europe. According to the present rate of export it will amount to nearly four millions of dollars per annum in this country the quantity consumed is larger than almost any you can imagine.

As a young man was looking over a barrel of eggs in a Jersey City grocery a few weeks ago, he found upon one the following inscription: "If this you see, young man, write just as soon as you can, and let me hear from my favorite egg; this great boon I humbly beg. Julia Brinson, Westfield, Ohio." The youth at once wrote to the above address, enclosing his photograph, and received a reply and picture from the writer of the lines. The correspondence continued to the satisfaction of both parties, and a wedding is announced.

J. W. BRIGHAM's hand made French Kip Boots, also his Calf and Kip shoes for Women, Misses and Children. They need no recommendation; they speak for themselves. Found only at Ed. Whetsell's, as he has the exclusive sale of them in Monroe county. Remember the place: "Red front," south side of square.

DUNN & CO.
Are selling all kinds of Flour, but "White Frost" takes the cake.

CLOAKS! CLOAKS!

The largest assortment ever seen in Bloomington, Has been received by McCalla & Co. No Lady should think of buying till this stock is examined.

All styles and sizes, and in price from \$5 to \$75.

The Chambers trial cost the county about \$1,800.

Thos. B. Buskirk of the Columbus (Ind.) Democrat, is in town on legal business.

Eugene Faris is confined to his room by an attack of malarial fever.

The next term of Monroe circuit court will commence on the 23d of November.

Mrs. Poston, of Athens, O., is visiting her aunt in this place, Mrs. Jos M. Howe.

Dr. Kissinger, of Martinsville, Ind., spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Jos M. Howe, of this place.

Another failure at Gosport, that of J. P. Gentry, dealer in clothing and furnishings.

The Fair begins with bright prospects and fine weather. The entries are very numerous, especially so in stock.

Mrs. Walter Howe and children leave to-day for Ft. Snelling, Minn., where her husband, Lt. Walter Howe, has been assigned.

A student from San Francisco, Cal., Mr. Wise, arrived in Bloomington on Monday and entered Indiana University.

Mrs. Ryors is the local delegate to the W. C. T. U. District Convention, to be held at Franklin on the 22d.

Interest in the Chambers trial was best indicated last week by the sale of 385 full sheets of the Progress, and 293 half sheets.

Mose Kahn's family have returned from Cincinnati, and Mose is now in a humor to sell clothing under cost.

John Lanman is here on a brief visit to relations. He is in the employ of the American Watch Co. of Chicago.

The W. C. T. U. had an interesting meeting Monday night. The next meeting is going to be made of public interest, and all interested in the temperance cause are cordially invited.

By the will of the late Felix Dunn, his son Grundy comes into ownership of one half of the Dunn block, and a half interest in the grocery stock of Dunn & Co.

The lecture by Rev. Geo. W. Pepper, last night, was one of the most enjoyable literary treats of the season. The eloquent gentleman's manner is indescribable—he should be heard to be appreciated. An appreciative audience greeted him and all went away well pleased.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U., co-operating with the pastors of the city, will soon begin a series of union temperance meetings, to be held monthly or oftener. The first meeting, on the second Sunday night in October, will be addressed by Rev. Givier, on the subject "Prohibition as it works in Kansas." Hon. Will. Cumback has consented to address one of the meetings, and Rev. Lyons of the U. P. Church another. Other speakers will be announced in the future.

The college lecture last Sabbath was by Rev. Ira Chase, a minister of the Christian Church of Danville, Ind. The subject was, "The Mystery of Two Worlds." The lecture was listened to by a large and attentive audience. The lecture course is maintaining its popularity, and the citizens of Bloomington ought to improve their opportunity to hear some of the foreign talent of the State. The next lecture is by Rev. Moore of Brookville.

Go to John Little's furniture store and sewing machine office, one door north of Reed's harness shop, and examine his spring mattresses; cost \$18, and are good as new.

Elder Hendershot, late of Bedford, had been heard of in Milwaukee, Wis. The air of Wisconsin is pure and free from malaria, and "malaria" is now said to be the source of all disease.

Prof. Swain was married on the 22d ult. to Miss Fannie Morgan, of Knightstown, Ind. Four days afterwards they sailed for Scotland. They will remain in Europe a year, the Professor going for the purpose of study.

One of the fine carp displays at the State Fair was made by the father of the Cravens boys. He has eight fish ponds—a chain of ponds—and one of the attractions of his display was an eight pound carp but three years old.

Mr. J. F. Pittman is now engaged in the practice of law alone, his term of partnership with Mayor Mulky having expired. For the present at least he will be found at the old office, ready to give prompt attention to all business in his line.

The death of the senior member of the firm of Dunn & Co. will not interrupt the regular course of business in that popular establishment. Grundy Dunn will assume the interest of his father, and in company with Jos. N. Alexander, will conduct the business as heretofore. It is the intention of the firm to push business with renewed energy, and with the addition of a much larger stock, the introduction of new lines, and the most liberal plan of doing business they have reason to expect a corresponding increase in the volume of their trade. The specialty of this firm is buying everything in car-load lots, thus securing goods at a reduction of 10 to 20 per cent. below the amount paid by many others.

Miss Wise of Chicago is visiting Prof. Woodford and wife.

Mrs. Cummins is remodeling her house, just north of Mrs. Jas. Small's, on North College Avenue, at an expense of \$1,100. It will be a handsome residence when completed. Griffy & Co. are doing the work.

The Lecture Association has determined upon an excellent course for the winter. It will embrace the following: Redpath Concert Quartet, vocal and instrumental; President Bascom of Wisconsin University; George W. Cable, of New Orleans; Felix Adler; Henry Ward Beecher; Lieut. Swatka, the Alaska explorer. This course will cost about \$700, and the people of Bloomington ought to go in altogether to help pay for it and enjoy it. Decide to take a course ticket. It will cost but \$2.00, and you will then hear Beecher, Cable, Bascom and a high priced concert for thirty-three and a third cents apiece. Let us show that we can afford to bring Beecher here. Buy a course ticket. This will be the cheapest way to hear Beecher, the most famous preacher in the world.

In the Chambers case speeches were made by Jos. E. Henley, Jno. R. East, Mr. Easley, Jno. W. Buskirk, Jason Brown and Geo. W. Fredley, in the order named. The first speech was made on Tuesday afternoon of last week, and the last was made on Friday afternoon and night, so that from the time the empanelling of the jury was begun till the last argument was made, was eleven days. The charge to the jury was given by Judge R. W. Miers on Saturday morning, and it was closely listened to by a large audience. The charge was a marvel of concise, clear statements as to law and evidence, and as such, was generally commented upon.

At 11 o'clock, on Monday morning, the jury were brought into the court room, and announced their inability to agree. They were then discharged. The jury stood six for conviction and six for acquittal, and stood so from the first ballot on Saturday forenoon. Those who favored conviction were John A. Reeves, Robert Henry, M. G. Morley, Wm. H. Carpenter, James C. Sharp and Jack Bates; those who favored acquittal were Jonathan Lentz, Wm. H. Creager, Robert McMichael, Andrew Robinson, Wm. Stephens and Jas. W. Figg. The jury had been on duty within a few hours of fourteen days, and were pleased with their freedom.

A singular fact is that the jury was composed of six Democrats and six Republicans, and that five Republicans and one Democrat (Bates) favored conviction, while five Democrats and one Republican (McMichael) stood for acquittal.

EXAMINE my line of full Boots and shoes. I can and will save you money in this line. Remember the place, Ed. Whetsell's, south side of square, "Red front."

Dr. Spencer of Rushville is visiting friends in this county.

Court begun in Lawrence county on Tuesday.

Harry Swindler has purchased Sam. Curry's house, paying \$1,615.

John Graham left Bloomington on Sunday night for the St. Louis Fair.

Dr. Crain's wife and children are visiting Mrs. Crain's mother and brothers in Dalton, Ga.

Henderson Skirvin and family, who have been occupying the Allen farm, four miles east of town, have removed to Iowa.

Remember that E. E. Sluss is agent for the memoirs of U.S. Grant, the work written by the General just previous to his death.

The Rev. Mr. Heron of Independence, Kansas, preached in Walnut St. Presbyterian Church last Sunday morning and evening.

Thos. Eller purchased a jack, while at the State Fair, last week, and will have it on exhibition at his farm.

Monday, Sept. 21st, being the fortieth birthday of Chas. Bunker, he was surprised by about forty of his relations, who gave him a fine dinner.

Members of the old 23d Ind. Vols. will remember that their regimental reunion will occur in Salem, Oct. 15th and 16th.

Geo. W. Cable, whose writings on the race question have attracted such wide attention, will lecture in Bloomington this winter.

While in San Antonio, Texas, Cyrus Reed met Asbury Nabb, an old Bloomington boy. Nabb has charge of a store owned by some Austin parties.

Henry Ward Beecher will lecture in Bloomington this winter. The Lecture Association deserves support in the venture. Everybody will go to hear Beecher.

Samuel Wallingford has bought about three hundred head of mule colts, and is receiving them this week. Thursday will be "receiving day" for Bloomington.

Spencer Republican: Misses Emma and Lydia Allison, Charles Allison and Mitchell Shields, all of Bloomington, were guests of Orrie Allison in this place, over Sunday.

The latest, finest and most desirable goods, such as are found in the best city stores, are kept by McCalla & Co. In fact if you are hunting for "shoddy," don't go there.

Michael Gabbert writes from Greenbrier, Tenn., that he has not "removed" from Monroe county, as many seem to think, but expects to remain during the winter only.

A Loogootie item says: G. W. Alford has rented a house at Shoals and will remove his family there soon. His many friends here regret very much that he is going to leave, as he has long been one of our leading men, and will always stand square for the right.

Ellettsville Citizen: Calvin Fletcher of Spencer, Jason Brown of Seymour, and John Waldron sr. of Bloomington, dined with Frank E. Worley on Sunday. Married at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Ella Cornman, Terre Haute, Ind., Miss Lou. May to Geo. Andrews, of the same place.

A number of persons attended the State Fair, last week, among them H. J. Nichols and wife, Theodore Cravens, Dr. B. A. McGee, Prof. Garner, Cal. Worrall, Jas. Kelly, Howe Ryors, Wm. Johnson, Ernest Lindley, Marion Carroll, Thos. Eller, Wm. Lewis, Wm. M. Bunker, Samuel Dinsmore, Omer Bunker, Richard Kirby, Dr. James Harris, Frank Kirby, F. E. Worley and wife.

Martinsville Republican: The soldiers reunion at Hindostan last Thursday was a grand success. The old soldiers to the number of seventy-five or one hundred went into camp Wednesday evening and enjoyed one night in old fashioned camp life. They slept on their blankets and fared on hard tack and saw belly. Thursday was a beautiful day, and early there was a big crowd of people in attendance. The early hours were spent in drilling by the old soldiers. The address of the day was by Major Levi Ferguson, of this city, and was one of the Major's best, which is saying that it was good. Short speeches were delivered by others, and all in all, the day was most pleasantly and profitably spent. Quite a large number of persons, including the martial band, from this city attended.

Monroe county will have a tremendous crop of wheat next season if all goes well.

Carr Walker and Jas. Neill are buying sheep in the western edge of Monroe, and in Owen county.

Miss Bertha Baker left Bloomington on Thursday last for Noblesville, Ind., to be present at the marriage of a young lady friend.

People who have been industriously at work during the past two weeks keeping the court house beaches warm, can now give their undivided attention to some other form of dissipation.

Miss Mollie Waldron left Bloomington on Monday for St. Louis, on a visit to friends in that city. It is her present intention to remain in St. Louis till the holidays.

Farmers who have heretofore purchased 500 lbs. of fertilizer purchased 1000 lbs. this Fall. Some twelve carloads have been shipped in. This is an encouraging indication, and shows that the farmers of Monroe county are awake to their best interests.

A number of persons living at a distance in this county deferred hearing the arguments in the Chambers case till the time for Col. Friedley to make his speech had arrived, and they came to town in force on Friday afternoon to listen to that eloquent and forcible speaker. Col. Friedley can always secure a flattering hearing in Bloomington, where his ability is so well known and admitted.

"I'll bet them lawyers 'll fight after court is over," said an innocent countryman, after hearing a venomous spat between a brace of legal gentlemen last week. But when in a few hours he saw them leisurely strolling into a "medicine" store, arm in arm, he changed his opinion. It was only those who got no money who were real down-right mad—the lawyers, jurymen and court officials kept their temper.

Says the Indianapolis News: In the violin playing contest Friday afternoon the judges were R. A. Miller, H. D. Beisenherz and A. Ernstioff. The contestants marked on eight different tests, and the best possible score was 240 points. In the young ladies class the following scores were made: Nellie Smith, city, 125; Alma White, city, 138; Essie Fee, Bloomington, 159; Jane Reed, Kokomo, 199. In the young girls class the following scores were made: Mable Leathers, 109; Anna Sickles, 175. The first prize, a sixty-five dollar violin, was given to Miss Reed, of Kokomo; and the second, a fifteen-dollar instrument, to Miss Sickles, of this city.

Experiments have fully proved that by going through a corn-field, selecting the earliest ears just after they are thoroughly glazed, tying them up and hanging in a room where there is a fire until thoroughly dried, much better seed corn can be obtained than by permitting the corn to ripen in the field, selecting the best ears at husking-time and spreading them on the floor to dry. The early picked kiln dried corn will come up earlier in the spring, and the plants from such will be more vigorous than the other. Farmers who were troubled by corn not coming up last spring should bear this in mind.

Charles B. Ketchum, a son of the Rev. J. H. Ketchum, of New Albany, Ind., (well-known here) died in Washington City on Monday, of typhoid fever. He was for some time editor of the Kansas City Times, and subsequently its Washington Correspondent. Afterward he worked on the Chicago News and Indianapolis Journal, and during the past two years has been employed by the Washington bureau of the Associated Press as one of its regular reporters. He was well-known and highly esteemed among public men in Congress and the departments, and very popular with his journalistic associates.

The Act of Congress approved March 3d 1885 providing for the special delivery of letters at all post offices situated in towns or cities of four thousand inhabitants or more, went into effect on the first of October. By the provisions of this act any person may have a letter delivered by a special messenger at any place within one mile of a special delivery office immediately after its arrival at such office by affixing to such letter a ten cent delivery stamp in addition to the regular rate of postage. Special delivery stamps can now be had at the Bloomington Postoffice.

Bloomington millers are paying \$50. for wheat.

Ewing Batterton went east Monday a week after his fall and winter stock of groceries, and returned Sunday evening.

The Wampler boys will winter in Southern Colorado, and A. O. Canada and wife, all of Washington tp., will go to Eureka Springs.

Mrs. Houston, Miss Kelly and Miss Dunbar, all of Bedford, came up to hear Col. Friedley's argument in the Chambers case.

Growing wheat is looking splendidly. The fields in many places being as green as a blue grass pasture.

This is the first day of the Monroe County Fair. The State Fair being now out of the way gives the County Fair a fair show.

A small child of Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Davis died in Mitchell on Tuesday night of last week. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Dessie Lucas of this place.

Miss Jennie Raden died in Mitchell on Monday a week. Miss R. will be remembered by many here as an agent of several books for which she acted as solicitor in Bloomington.

Ed. Thrasher, Bud. Sullivan and Jas. Daniels, all of Van Buren tp., left for Kansas this week. Seems like Kansas would be filled up soon.

The ladies of the Christian Church, at their last meeting, decided to give a Thanksgiving dinner in the rear rooms of the church. Full announcement will be made later.

Bishop Knickerbocker of the Episcopal church will be in Bloomington on Monday next, and will hold services in the church of this place the night of that day, which is the 12th of October.

The mysterious preparations going on in the northeastern portion of town for some time past in the way of a new house, new furniture, etc., have at last culminated in the marriage of Mr. Frank R. Wooley and Miss Angie Garner, the ceremony occurring at the Christian Church on Thursday evening last. The groom is a well-known and highly respected business man of our community, while the bride is the daughter of a farmer in the northern portion of the county. The young couple took breakfast in their own house on Friday morning. "May they live long and prosper."

There is a great deal in the religious as well as the secular press of late about Rev. Sam Jones, an evangelist, doing service at the South, at present. They say he is a powerful preacher, and that he carries pretty much all before him. They say he is not a great scholar, but talks terribly close to the mark. They say also that he is not over refined, but has a way of convincing the people whether they will or not. They print it about him that he can get together a larger crowd than almost anybody, and so interest or instruct them as to hold them there and enlist them on his side. His words are said to cut like a two-edged sword, and carries with them evidences of great earnestness and much piety. He has cut and slashed, down in the south, pulling down those things he deems as objectionable or obnoxious, and still he is demanded. Jones is evidently no common man if his name is a familiar one.

Once upon a time a certain man got mad with the editor and stopped his paper. The next week he sold his corn at four cents below the market price. He didn't see the delinquent list, and so had his land sold for taxes. He was arrested and fined \$8 for going hunting on Sunday, simply because he didn't know it was Sunday, and he paid \$3 for a lot of forged notes that had been advertised two weeks and the public cautioned not to negotiate for them. He then paid a big Irishman, with a foot like a forge-hammer to kick him all the way to the newspaper office, where he paid four years' subscription in advance, and had the editor to sign an agreement to knock him down and rob him if he ever ordered his paper stopped again. Such is life without a newspaper.

A camel will annually shear twenty pounds of hair, and it sells for \$2.50 a pound. This is fifty dollars to a camel, and if a man had fifty camels it would give him an income of \$2,500. It seems to us that this is more profitable than keeping cows; and besides, a camel doesn't have to be milked, which is our chief objection to a cow. We'd rather not milk a cow fully an hundred times than shear a camel once. If our farmer readers take our advice they will sell their cows and buy camels.

NOTHING shoddy about Robertson Bros. stock of Groceries—everything new, fresh, and prices low.

CALL at McCalla & Co.'s before you buy Jeans, Yarns, or Flannels. Everything new and desirable.

Don't buy groceries till you call at Robertson Bros. They do have the choicest line of goods we have ever seen.

I HAVE FOR SALE a lot of nice sows and pigs, from six weeks to two months old, and of the Berkshire and Poland China breeds. They are very desirable and you should apply early if you want one or more.

I. MILT. ROGERS.

DRESS PATTERNS, the finest in the city at McCalla & Co.'s store, and hundreds of patterns have been sold since the new fall stock was received.

New York Counts, the finest Oysters in the land, are received daily by Geo. Benckert, at his popular restaurant, and they are served in the best manner and in every style. South College Ave.

ROBERTSON BROS. have all the best brands of Flour, and deliver all goods promptly. Ask to see new arrivals of Tea and Coffee.

McPeeters Hardware Co. has just received a car load of Wall Paper and Window Shades, which they will sell lower than ever.

You should call on McPeeters Hardware Co. and examine their line of Buggies and Spring Wagons. You can buy a buggy of this firm for one-third less money than from any other firm in the city. They are all fully guaranteed.

BETTER spend that good money with me till you settle that little balance. W. T. BLAIR.
*If you need a wheat drill this Fall, call on the McPeeters Hardware Co. They can sell you a drill for \$40 and upwards—no better drill made. All are sold on a guarantee.

JAMES RYAN has for sale at his shop some fine two horse wagons, only sixty dollars each, spring wagons, buggies, phaetons, &c., all ready to hitch to. He proposes to sell them as cheap as they can be bought anywhere, and he warrants them put up in a durable style. Call and inspect these vehicles, opposite the county jail, before you buy. Job work and horse shoeing done promptly.

COMFORTS, well made, and of good material, just received by McCalla & Co.

*We have just received a large stock of Wall Paper and Window Shades, which we will sell lower than ever before. Please call and look through our stock and learn our prices.