

ADAMS, HALL & COMPANY.

We always lead - VISIT US - Have the Goods.

OUR SPRING STOCK WILL BLOOM

WITH ALL THE ATTRACTIONS OF THE SEASON.

We call Special Attention to Our

46 Inch Henriettas, BLACK AND COLORS.

WHITE GOODS and EMBROIDERIES, TABLE LINEN and NAPKINS.

CARPETS, FINE RUGS, OIL CLOTHS
New Designs. and Mattings. LOVELY PATTERNS.

NEW DRESS GOODS ARRIVING DAILY.

IT IS THE WONDER OF THE AGE, stock of goods on the shelves, and in the drawers, at the Jewelry Store and Bazar, etc. This house receives after car-load of goods, they are sold with such a dash that there is always a demand. The stock is not light or fragile character, as some might suppose, for we are gold and silver watches of the best brands, clocks of the most reliable manufacture, silverware that is known to be standard, even tinware is included in this mammoth stock. Many household articles that are very useful and ornamental are also sold here for a trifling sum.

OUR BREADSTICK'S new room is the headquarters for fine Baltimore oysters. He receives them daily by express, and consequently they are always fresh. Call and get a tin, or a quart.

STUDEBAKER WAGONS AT ALLEN'S.

CHARLEY MOBLEY has secured a fresh, young stock of Spring Goods, and is having a big run on them. He does not wait till everybody else is stocked up before he buys, but jumps into the ring with a stock that is calculated to suit every member of the family. He is carrying a very well selected stock of boots, shoes and rubbers among his late investments, and he is selling them at figures surprisingly low. Ask for Charley Mobley's stock, if you don't know where it is.

—Choice Coffee, Tea, Tobacco and Cigars, at Hemp. Wilson's grocery store. Try one of the new brands of cigars at this store.

"MYSTIC CURE" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in one to three days by removing the cause from the system. It will not fail. Sold by J. W. Turner, Druggist, 120 N. 3rd St., Baltimore.

See these piece goods at Ben. McGee & Co.'s merchant tailoring establishment. They embrace everything that is new, choice and desirable. Ben. McGee, the famous and popular tailor, presides at the board, and will draft and cut your garments so they will fit and be a pleasure to wear.

BARBARES—I have four (4) Organs I will sell at wholesale price, for cash. Call and see them. C. C. TURNER.

BREAD, cakes, crackers, pies and everything usually kept in a confectionery or restaurant, at George Beckwith's.

You will find the best goods, in the grocery line at Hemp. Wilson's. He receives fresh goods every week, so that nothing in his house is stale. Call on him in "Progress Block."

NEVER SINCE the world began has such a stock of goods in the Gents' furnishing line, been seen in the store of McGee & Co. Anything you may have heard of or seen in the city is received here promptly, and offered for sale at city prices. If you don't see what you want just ask for it.

WE KEEP three or four of the best Irish Cultivators and Plows made. The Oliver Chilled Plow stands at the head and we have it. BAKER, NEED & CO.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

C. VANZANDT has not retired from business, but will be found at his old stand in the Sudbury block with a complete line of UNDERWEAR and UPHOLSTERY. He will hereafter devote his entire attention to these special lines, and will guarantee work the best and prices the lowest. Remember the place, Sudbury Block, North Side Square.

Fine Stationery, BEST IN THE MARKET, At Cole's.

CUTS A HOOF POLE: That is what the Whitley Reap and Binder is warranted to do. If you don't believe it call at the hardware store of Baker, Need & Co. and see the machine in operation. Solid steel. It throws the bundle six feet out of the way. Does its work clean and perfect. Will cut a 2-inch hoop pole, and does it. Don't believe it, eh? Well, come and see it operate.

BAKER, NEED & CO.
Volpert's Cream Bread and Hot Rolls are great favorites with those who have used them.

AS TO GROCERIES, it would be well for you to remember that Charley McPhetters is in the old Greaves or Hunter grocery corner. He is selling lots of goods (in, because he has plenty of the best, and takes pleasure in waiting on the trade.

THE Harrison Mixed Paints are the best and purest in the world. Will cover more space, look better, wear better, give greater satisfaction than any other brand. Call and see testimonials.

BAKER, NEED & CO.
Volpert's Ice Cream is delicious. It takes the cake. Good cake goes with it.

JIMMY ROBINSON is the well known west side grocer, and has a handsome, fresh stock of goods which, by reason of good patronage is always kept fresh. A very handsome and tasteful display of an expensive and glassware is one of his specialties that has attracted much attention of late—in fact he has sold more of this class of goods than some of the larger or more pretentious stores because he exhibited uncommon taste in selection. He does a thriving business in choice country produce and in teas, coffee, sugar, etc., carrying a stock that is far above the ordinary. Don't forget to look at and price his chamber sets.

HEMP. WILSON gets the choicest as well as the freshest country produce, as his country customers are of the best class of people; hence the butter, cheese, apple butter, etc., he sells is always choice.

WALL PAPER! WALL PAPER! We have brought on the largest stock of Wall Paper ever seen in the town; it is also the finest. The proof of this is an examination. BAKER, NEED & CO.

NEW HATS, latest styles, no-bias in the trade, just brought on by McGee & Co., gents' furnishes, south side of the square. The best grades of goods received by express constantly, and only a living profit charged.

ORRIS WORLEY has a lot of first-class Buggies, Carriages, Phaetons and Spring Wagons, at his livery stable, which he will sell for cash or will trade for mules or horses. Call on Orris before you sell your stock.

CHARLEY McPHEETERS, who was so popular in the hardware business is now an accommodating grocer in the old Greaves corner. Charley takes hold like an old hand at the trade. Everybody likes Charley—he is kind, accommodating and keeps a complete stock, and will supply you with everything you need.

WARM weather will soon be here, and the privy vaults need looking after. John Brown has prepared himself with tight casks, chemicals and the proper tools, and can do this work as well as men who have come here from the cities. Call on him and get figures. It is better to clean up your privy than to have sickness in the family.

BASE BALL, CROQUET, and CANES, At Cole's.

I don't intend to stay in the dry goods trade. All I want is to get the money for the stock I traded some Kansas property for. Now come to my store on the west side and get these goods at about half price. J. W. TURNER.

Two lots on Walnut st., east of the McNary house, have been sold by Gen. Hunter to S. D. Noel and Walter Robertson. Neat cottages will be built upon these lots for the lots, and there is neither pavement nor gutter in front of them.

Rev. Frank Eller bought of Enoch Fuller last week the Matthews house on west 5th street.

Meas' Huts to cheap that you can save money by purchasing and laying them away, at J. W. Turner's bargain store.

H. J. Nichols is building a house on the west end of his lot, corner of 7th st. and College Avenue, to rent.

Mrs. Helen Orchard's new house warranted to Prof. Miter for \$15 per month before it was completed.

Don't fail to see these Hamburg huts at J. W. Turner's store. He is determined to get rid of the entire lot at some price.

The young ladies of the Temperance Union will give a drama on the night of April 11th, to be entitled "Rebecca's Triumph."

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Like Sutphin having sold 25 acres of his farm to Aaron Gordon, and eight acres to Tom Mathers, has rented Miss Lib Cookerly's house on South Walnut street, and will remove to that place.

The various assessors met in the Auditor's office last Thursday and fixed the values for taxation as follows: Horses, \$30 to \$100; mules, \$40 to \$125; cattle, \$5 to \$60; sheep, \$3; stock hogs per pound, 3c.; wheat per bushel, 70c.; corn, 30c.; oats, 30c.; clover seed, 55c.; timothy seed, 52c.; potatoes, 25c.; green apples, 25c.; dry apples, 4c.; per pound; poultry dozen, \$2.50; hay, ton, \$8; wool per pound, 20c.; tobacco per pound, 5c.; maple sugar per pound, 5c.; bacon, pork, lard, per pound, 10c.; wine per gallon, \$1; sorghum, syrup, 30c.; pianos, \$300; organs, \$50; wagons, \$50; carriages, \$150; reapers and threshing machines, \$200; mowers, \$50; drill, 60c.; cane and cider mills, \$10; stables and jacks, No. 1, \$300; sewing machines, \$30; traction engines, \$600; bees, per stand, \$3.

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CUTLERY of the best brands, and only the best brands, sold by W. J. Allen.

W. J. Turner has one of the nicest stocks of laces, gloves, and other goods of a like nature in the town, and he is selling them at the purchaser's offer. Try him.

ROBERTSON BROS. keep a choice stock of groceries, and sell them at a small margin for cash. They also make a specialty of the feed business. All manner of feed kept. Call and see them at their handsome room on the northeast corner of the square.

STUDEBAKER WAGONS AT ALLEN'S.

WALL PAPER

IN SPLENDID VARIETIES

At Cole's.

J. W. Turner is determined to get rid of that stock of dry goods. Dry Goods business don't suit him; so he is actually getting rid of the stock to close out.

Peter B. Martin has been appointed administrator of the estate of Bart. Roseberry, deceased.

Henry Eller brought to town and sold last Wednesday, eight head of hogs of his own raising and fattening, that averaged 282 lbs., and that were just 8 months and 24 days old. He was paid \$4.35 per hundred for them. The pigs were of the Poland China breed, and as handsome as pictures.

Stephen McPhetridge moved the Williams stone saw mill, at Stinesville, last week. Steve is one of the most useful men in the county.

Miss May Smith of Martinsville was visiting Bloomington friends last week.

The dust is very rich in Bloomington this season. It rises early in the day and keeps whirling about till sun down. It improves the texture of dry goods, and adds to the weight of the grocer's coffee, rice and hominy.

Joseph Smith, the dealer in fancy goods on the south side of the square, will furnish the albums to the Senior Class of I. U. this year, having been the successful bidder. There are to be forty-three, and he says these will be the finest albums ever sold here.

The bondholders of the south pike are very naturally alarmed at the decision of the supreme court, setting aside the verdict in circuit court, and in effect enjoining the payment of tax on that road because of an additional assessment of 45 per cent, which is held to be illegal.

Nath. Smith will become a citizen of Bloomington after harvest. A large number of substantial farmers are getting ready to remove to Bloomington this fall in order to take advantage of the superior school facilities.

Henry Woolley's family entertained Rev. Conner of Louisville, Sunday. The reverend gentleman preached for the Baptist people.

Cap. Fields has traded the house he got from Wm. Harold to W. P. Rogers for a five acre lot east of the Dunn farm.

The house recently purchased by Mr. Foley from R. A. Foster was discovered to be on fire, last Thursday, but was extinguished promptly by the assistance of the neighbors. Josh. Howe has a telephone wire to his house, and got the alarm promptly.

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BOOTS AND SHOES.

COMPLETE LINE OF GENTS' FINE SHOES. LADIES' FINE SHOES.

"Emmerson's" \$3.00 SHOE IS THE LEADER

FOR STYLE AND WEAR.

ALSO, A FULL LINE OF WORKINGMENS' SHOES.

CALF SKIN BOOTS, BEST PLOW SHOES.

CHAS. STONE,

West Side Square.

The Courier is going to marry off "a popular widow."

The Courier is strongly in favor of placing two Democrats on the city council. That's queer.

The temperature dropped to 24° above zero last Saturday morning, and ice was formed. Fears are felt for the peach crop.

Chas. Gregory, the deaf mute, is doing well, soliciting for the sale of pocket knives, in the southern portion of the county.

Geo. Walker and his new band purchased a set of brass instruments from an Indianapolis dealer, last week.

The well at the corner of 3d and Walnut streets is a success. It has a strong flow of water at a depth of less than twenty feet.

Harmon Felder will hold up the Democratic committee in the 3d ward, Howe Ryors having declined to make another race.

Rev. Halstead of the M. E. church preached a special sermon on Sunday last, subject: "The responsibility of the church."

Take a drive over the city, (if you can borrow enough money to pay for buggy hire), and see the number of houses being finished and in course of construction.

Col. Worrell, the popular captain of the Uniform Bank R. of F., was presented by his command, recently, with a very handsome and valuable K. of V. charm.

Dr. Oliver McLellan has been appointed postmaster at Bartlettville. Ol. was at one time brakeman on a mail train between Louisville & Chicago.

It is said that several of the unmarried young men among the Knights of Pythias, have created a favorable impression upon the young ladies of Harrodsburg. And why not?

The supply of eggs is uncommonly large for the season of the year. Eggs take the place of meat and should be more generally used by those whose stomachs will not bear meat.

Mrs. Durand received a dispatch from Notre Dame, Thursday, briefly stating the dangerous illness of her son, Hampton. Mrs. Durand left on the midnight train.

The call for a special term of court, set down for Monday, has been withdrawn. The blundering manner in which business was transacted by the late Democratic legislature has resulted disastrously to the courts in this county.

The M. E. people have been holding an interesting series of meetings during the past week. Among those who have filled the pulpit were Rev. J. H. Ketcham, Rev. A. N. Elrod, Rev. J. W. Culmer and Rev. Zaring.

If broken stone is spread thickly over the streets around the square it will to a great extent prevent the dust that is now so annoying, and aside from that the streets are so badly worn that a coating of broken stone is sadly needed.

S. E. Carmichael sold five lots in different portions of the city, on Thursday last, and on each there is to be a house erected immediately. A half dozen brick yards are needed just now to supply the demands of builders.

The tramp who was teaching the colored band and had organized a band of juveniles, was drilling the latter organization for a concert but he couldn't stand prosperity. A suit of clothes and an abundant supply of "drinking" liquor turned his head; so he has disappeared as mysteriously as he came.

Better order your screen doors and windows at Baker, Need & Co.'s before the weather gets too hot.

SEE THE NEW STYLISH IN HATS AT THE CORNER.

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Hon. J. W. Buskirk has formed a partnership with Jos. Giles, at Bedford, and the latter named gentleman will look after the interests of the firm in Lawrence county.

Mrs. Pittman will give an entertainment, between the 20th and 24th of April, for the benefit of Walnut St. Pres. church. The entertainment will consist of scenes from "Little Women," and from "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works."

George Riley, who is managing the famous "Cow Boy Pianist," is in town, making arrangements for the appearance of that musical wonder on the 20th. He will be worth hearing.

Felix Hugiugus, for many years a citizen of Bloomington, and for a long time in the employ of the Monon railroad company, died suddenly on Saturday at Bedford. He had been up town, and at 12 o'clock returned to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Hackett. At that time he fell, having been stricken by apoplexy. He was carried into the house, and died at 5:30 p. m. The remains were brought to Bloomington on Monday, and interred beside those of his wife, in the city cemetery.

The supreme court, in its reversal of the verdict in the south strike case has evidently made a blunder. The opinion goes upon the presumption that the Auditor had made the additional assessment of 45 per cent, and without notice, while as a matter of fact every step was carefully guarded, as to notice and the commissioners (not the Auditor) made the assessment. The certified opinion has been secured by Mr. Blair, and it is about as stated above. They'll have to "intrain that milk again."

Miss Louisa Patton, who for a number years taught a private school, in connection with the Rev. Edward Wright, died on Sunday morning, and was buried from her late residence this (Tuesday) morning, at 10 o'clock. Services were held by Rev. F. Cole, pastor of the Episcopal church.

The wonder of the world, "Texas Al," the Cowboy Pianist, at the Opera House, one night only, Saturday, April 20th. Don't fail to see the greatest musical phenomenon of the world.

The long looked for proclamation of the President, opening for settlement the strip of land lying near the center of Indian Territory, known as Oklahoma, was first published in the papers on Thursday last. For years immense colonies of men have been camping on the borders of this "promised" land, eagerly looking over, and sometimes going over, only to be driven out again by U. S. cavalry. Under the provisions of the proclamation the persons who have given the authorities so much trouble are barred from entering land, as is also any one who enters upon it, or endeavors to do so before the 22d day of April at 12 o'clock, at which hour and day the two land offices will be thrown open. A number of Bloomington men are seriously considering the project of raising a colony of old soldiers to go out and endeavor to possess some of this very desirable territory. It is said to be inferior to none in the way of land and climatic advantages. There is no reason why Monroe county people shouldn't have a slice off Oklahoma.

YOU SHOULD see the handsomely decorated room of Robertson Bros. on the northeast corner of the square. They keep a very choice stock of goods in their line, especially Teas, Coffees, Tobacco and Cigars. Call and see them.

Will Turner traded for Daz and Turner's stock of dry goods, not to go into the business, but to get the money out of it. Now he will sell every article in the stock at your own figures.

ALL OF THE FOREGOING AT BOTTOM PRICES—At Cole's.

Candidates' Announcements.

Mr. C. Bateman is a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the choice of the Republican convention.

Mr. M. H. Dancy is a candidate for Mayor of the City of Bloomington, subject to the choice of the Republican convention.

Robert G. Green is a candidate for the office of City Clerk, subject to the choice of the Republican convention.

James M. Hunter is a candidate for the office of City Clerk, subject to the choice of the Republican convention.

Charles Robertson is a candidate for the office of City Clerk, subject to the choice of the Republican convention.

Volpert's Bread is very fine. It is light, sweet and wholesome. His bakery is on the north side of the square, remember.

THE GLOBE FERTILIZER, manufactured at Louisville, Ky., is pure animal matter fertilizer, and is sold only by Chas. L. Alexander, the west side grocer, at wholesale prices. The price of all classes fertilizers has advanced from 20 to 50 per cent., yet Alexander will sell at the old figure. The Globe fertilizers are pure, and can be depended upon. Alexander is the original fertilizer man of the county, and thoroughly understands the business.

Volpert is pure cream, and his ice cream is rich and very fine. All love it who have eaten it.

Don't you always forget the Wall Paper. From 3 to 20 cts. per roll. JOHN WILSON.

At Vanzandt's, North side square.

L. B. BRAY and JOHN THOMAS are CHARLEY McPHEETERS' assistants in the grocery trade, over at the southeast corner. Be sure you find the place. They are, each one, accommodating, and pleasant people to trade with.

CHARLEY McPHEETERS has a gem of a grocery, in the old Greaves stand, and keeps a choice fresh stock. Call and see him.

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ORDER poultry from Chas. McPhetters, at his grocery (old Greaves stand), as he has a standing contract with persons who bring him the choicest poultry in the market.

ASK MANNER of Hardware, and the best Stoves in America, for sale by W. J. Allen. The most satisfactory Cook Stove in the world is sold by Allen, and don't you forget it.

Papers for placing under carpets, for sale at the Progress office for 5 cents a dozen.

Building Materials, as low as anybody can sell them. W. J. Allen's hardware store.

ITCH, Bump and Scratheos on hands or limbs cured in 20 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This new lotion, sold by H. Lindley, Druggist, Bloomington, Indiana.

BUILDING material of all kinds and at low prices. W. J. ALLEN.

ONE BOTTLE of English Spavin Liniment cured my fine Norman mare of two ugly blood