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## CONDEMED

### Political Hyenas and Bolders are Warned Not to Use Association For Personal Benefit.

Cadiz, Ky., Aug. 13.—There have been some indications around here recently of parties attempting to use the Tobacco Association for the purpose of advancing certain political interests. Mr. E. E. Wash, Democratic nominee for Representative from this county, offered the following resolution at the meeting of the Trigg County Tobacco Association here yesterday, which resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, it has ever been the tactics of unscrupulous and designing politicians to endeavor to take advantage of every popular movement intended to benefit the people, and,

"Whereas, it is and always has been their practice to first join and take an active part in such popular movements and to profess great love for the principles for which they stand; therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the Planters' Protective Association of Trigg county, Ky., now in meeting assembled at Cadiz, Ky., that we shall condemn any effort upon the part of anybody to use us or our association to further his political ambition.

"Resolved—Second—That we are opposed to this association being dragged into the mire of political strife.

"Resolved—Third—Just as eternal vigilance is the price of liberty, so eternal vigilance is the price of success and purity of purpose in any movement looking to the benefit of the people. Therefore, we shall be on the alert, and if any designing politician or politicians shall undertake to use us or this association to further his political schemes, we shall resent his actions as an insult to our intelligence and as an effort to prostitute this association into a political hobby upon which to ride into office."

### New Providence.

Crops are looking fine and tobacco worms are plentiful. Billie Miller says they hold no close communion in his tobacco. They all eat together. This is what Greg and Dick tells him.

Mrs. Victory Williams is still very low with bowel consumption.

A child of Joel Bishop's is very ill of flux.

Ellen Miller is also on the sick list.

A base ball club has been organized in this little city with Bert Allbritten umpire. We think Hamp Curd and Jack Clanton will be the plucky boys.

Sunday school is progressing nicely, but not enough coming. Come on every one. We don't want to have to meet you at the beginning of the next protracted meeting and shake your hand and say "I'm so glad to see you, I haven't seen you since the night our meeting closed last fall." Let every one come out, and help in this good work.

Rob Lee has a new survey, but still goes to meeting in his old buggy.

Quite a number attended the arbor meeting in the Chery neighborhood. Must say they enjoyed it as much as any they have attended for a long time. Bro. George Houston, preacher. Needless to say he did fine preaching. Everyone knows that it was a grand work performed by him, baptizing 15. We feel that the people of any

community will gladly welcome Bro. Houston where he may go to work in the future.

Wall Miller left Sunday to begin his school Monday at Malloy. Wall is a young teacher and we wish him success in the work.

Fate Miller says he can be found in his blacksmith shop every day. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

We can't give date of the Methodist meeting. Some time between now and Christmas, we think. Any way just when Mr. Pique gets ready.

We want to tell you about our school. We are having the best school that has ever been taught in this house. Patrons, trustees and pupils well pleased. Everybody knows our teacher. If not we don't mind telling you, Mr. Eunice Miller.

Well as this is my first trip believe I'll close. DOVE.

### Corinth.

There is a good deal of sickness at present.

James Hurt has a sick child.

Mrs. R. M. Scott is on the sick list.

Olin Evans is better at this writing.

Steve Hurt has two sick children.

It is reported that John McCollon has the fever.

O. J. Bazzell's entire family has been sick.

John C. Morgan has a new buggy.

Lee Bedwell and wife visited Charlie Grugett of Marshall county last Sunday.

J. C. Morgan and wife and E. E. Roach and wife visited at Dr. A. G. Grugett's last Sunday.

Bill Parker visited at G. W. Robertson's last Saturday.

Crops are doing very well, but need a wetting rain.

T. McCollon has a new girl at his house.

Albert Lassiter started to Texas the 6th.

Bunk Parker finished grading the roads in Brinkley last week and has done the best job that has been done since the graders started to running.

Mr. Harvey Parker, of Graves county, and Miss Johnie Farless of near Coldwater, were married last Sunday eve at the home of the bride.

Lon Adams and wife visited at John Morgan's last week.

J. I. C.

### Union Temperance Mass Meeting.

There will be a union temperance mass-meeting at the Methodist church next Sunday night, addressed by Supt. C. L. Collins, of the Kentucky Anti-Saloon League.

Mr. Collins will speak at the Baptist church at 10:45 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. Collins thrilled an audience at Mayfield during the meeting of the Baptist association with an address upon the work of the League. You will regret it if you do not hear him.

### The Old Salem Meeting.

One of the largest gatherings ever held at the historic old Salem church occurred last Friday. The crowd numbered fully 1,500 people and the day was spent in a most enjoyable manner. Representatives of each branch of the Primitive Baptist church were present and delivered sermons. In the afternoon Rev. Mack Pool preached a funeral sermon.

A. C. Thompson, of Frankfort, Ky., returned home Monday after spending a week here the guest of Mr. Finney and family. Mr. Thompson is connected with the Frankfort Distilling Co.

## BANK ROBBERS.

### Report Current Last Saturday That One of Murray's Banks Would Be Entered.

A conversation between two suspicious looking characters was overheard in Paducah last Friday night, by a former resident of this place, in which the plans for robbing one of the banks of this place was discussed. The party who heard the conversation at once notified the police department of that city and the matter was at once referred to the authorities of Murray.

The person who overheard the discussion of the plans did not learn what bank was to be robbed but gave a detailed account of how the plans were to be executed. It was stated that the two individuals would arrive in Murray Sunday afternoon and one of them would stop at the New Murray Hotel. In the arrangement the party was to engage a room and the confederate would stay elsewhere, and at the appointed hour would call for the individual registered at the hotel. This presumably would give him an opportunity to leave the hotel at a late hour without attracting especial attention.

Sergeant Emile Groulx and Detective Will Baker, of the Paducah police department, were in Murray Sunday night, and in conjunction with Chief Roberts and ex-Chief Holland took the matter in charge.

A vigilant watch was maintained at each bank during the entire night but no attempt was made to enter either bank nor was there any evidence that such plans would be attempted.

Two men answering the description of the suspects were here Sunday night and one of them stopped at the hotel, but it is not believed they were here with the intention of robbing a bank.

### Program.

Of the teachers association to be held at Elm Grove the 1st Saturday in September.

Devotional Exercise.—Finis Futrell.

Welcome Address.—Lillie Matheny.

Aim of teachers association and good accomplished by them.—L. A. L. Langston.

Spelling.—How study a spelling lesson.—Ivan Dunn.

Oral and written spelling.—Raph Jones.

Reading.—What constitutes good reading and the value.—Lucile Grogan.

How teach a reading lesson. (use class for ex.)—J. A. Fitch.

Nature Study.—Objects of nature study.—S. L. Evans.

The limitation of nature study.—Mrs. J. R. Miller.

Geography.—The fundamental aim in teaching geography.—Prof. Thurman.

Relation of geography and history.—Brown Geurin.

Which would you present first the geography of a place or the history.—Lottie Hicks.

Mathematics.—Give good method in teaching primary numbers.—Verner Roberts.

How teach and apply rule for G. C. D.—Walter Duncan.

Discuss the two great underlying principles in arithmetic.—Dave Booker.

How much arithmetic should be undertaken in district school.—T. W. Randolph.

### Noon.

Recitation.—Lovie Rogers.

The preparation of the teacher.—C. T. Canon.

None some of the qualification

a teacher should possess.—R. M. Phillips.

Is discipline an end in itself or only means to an end; what are the ends to be sought?—E. E. Baucum.

What is the most essential requisite to good order and how is it secured?—Mabel Gingles.

Moral and social influence of teacher.—Roy Skruggs.

How deal with tardiness and irregular attendance?—Henry Chunn.

Methods in oral and written language.—W. R. Wilkerson.

How much grammar should a pupil have before given a text book?—Nathan Lassiter.

How should grammar be taught?—Frolic Outland.

The purpose of history study.—(a) The teachers aim. (b) The pupils aim.—Codie Jones.

Faults in teaching history.—Myrtle Tatum.

Educational value of history.—Bert Smith.

Physiology.—How should physiology be taught?—Wallace Lassiter.

The effect of narcotics on the human body.—Clyde Neale.

Civics.—The aim of public school.—G. B. Grogan.

Relation of school to state.—Ona Watkins.

Lonnie Hale, Vice Pres.

Gertrude Robb, Sec.

Married in Los Angeles.

As stated in the Ledger of the 8th inst. Edgar Outland and Mrs. Mae Jetton were married the 7th inst. The Pomona, Cal. Review of the 14th says:

"The many friends of Mrs. Mae Jetton, who is associated with her uncle, M. W. Martin, in the Pomona book and music store, and is a member of the Christian church choir, will be pleased to learn of her marriage to Mr. Edgar Outland, of Murray, Ky. The wedding took place in Los Angeles Wednesday of last week, after which the happy couple proceeded to Long Beach to spend a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Outland will come to Pomona to make their future home. Mrs. Outland is formerly from Kentucky and has known her husband from childhood. Mr. Outland is a successful young business man and will be welcomed to our city."

### Opening of School.

The Murray Graded School will open next Monday, Aug. 26th. Patrons and friends of the school are cordially invited and urged to be present at the opening. A program will be prepared for the occasion.

It is important that pupils enter at the beginning of the term. Full work satisfactorily done is required for promotion. Pupils who dropped out of school before the close of last session must stand examination before being promoted.

### The Almo Picnic.

The association picnic last Saturday was largely attended. A heavy rain-fall occurred about noon that caused many to stay away.

John Allen and Chairman Swann spoke in the interest of the association and were given close attention by a large crowd. A large acreage was pledged to the association.

Hon. John K. Hendrick.

Hon. John K. Hendrick, democratic nominee for attorney general, will open his campaign at this place Monday at 1 o'clock p. m. Mr. Hendrick is a first district democrat and his host of friends in old Calletay will give him a big crowd.

## TOBACCO NEWS.

### Forecast of Possibilities Concerning Buyers, Prizers and other Features of Re-Handling.

While it is most too far in advance of the season to foretell with absolute accuracy the local tobacco situation, the Ledger believes it is in a position to give some fairly correct prognostications.

We are informed that Murray will sustain three association prize houses, one independent house and one regie contract house. H. A. Fruitema & Co., Purdom, Hood & Swan, and Smith & Cochran will be the local firms to handle the association prizeing. Downs & Swann will make an independent purchase, and Griffin & Pitt will handle the regie contract here for another year. With one exception the above firms were in business here the past year.

Smith & Cochran, the new firm, is composed of T. D. Smith and Ellie Cochran, both well known tobaccoists. They have rented R. Downs' prize house No. 2 and expect to handle much tobacco.

There may be others who will engage in the association prizeing here but we have not heard mention made of other than the above.

Mr. R. Downs, as we are informed, will not engage in the tobacco business in any capacity here this season, and it is rumored that he will go to Texas to engage extensively in other lines.

The association prizeing contracts will not be awarded until about the first of October. In the meantime a new county committee and county chairman is to be elected. The committeemen election will be held the first Saturday in September, the second Saturday in September the new committee will meet in Murray and organize by electing a chairman and secretary.

The new chairman, by virtue of his office, becomes a member of the executive committee of the association, and will be called upon to attend a meeting of that important body at Guthrie soon after his election. At this meeting of the executive committee the selection of salesmen for each market will be made, also prizeing and warehouse contracts will be awarded.

These approaching events are being looked forward to with considerable eagerness by the members of the organization, and much speculation is being indulged in as to final results.

### North of Kirksey.

We are reading some rain down this way.

Some sickness and a few deaths.

A child of Elmus Carsons died last week, and one of Luther Butterworths also died last week.

Dave Edmonds has sold out his interest in the grocery to Charles Broach.

Our school at Kirksey is getting along fine with about 65 scholars and more to come.

There is going to be an ice cream supper on the evening of Aug. 24th beginning at 5 o'clock p. m. The supper will be given for the benefit of the C. N. C., which is in need of paint, and will be served on the school yard, there will be music, games and a good time all around, come one and all. The old students are especially invited to come and bring friends with you.

They tell me that Capt. Stone is going to make an independent race for state senator. We have

always loved and voted for him, but we can not and will not follow him off on that ticket. He surely has forgotten that Calletay is a Democrat county, and we have a nominee for senator. We like Mr. Stone as a man and appreciate the interest he is taking with our tobacco growers, but if he is ever elected to any office again he will have to look to some other county for his votes.

Brother Gambel, one of our old circuit riders of 20 years ago, spent last week in the protracted meeting at Kirksey. We were all glad to see him. He still quotes scripture correct.

### A DEMOCRAT.

Formal Opening Aug. 31st.

Anxious to meet the Republican enemy upon the stump, and to defend the every act of the Democratic officials of the State for the past seven and one-half years, confident that the verdict of the people at the polls in November next will be a favorable one, the nominees of the Democratic party, in session at Frankfort last Thursday, urged, and the State Campaign Committee arranged, that the formal opening of their campaign shall be held at Lexington on Saturday, August 31 next.

On that day Judge S. W. Hager, the Democratic candidate for Governor, will deliver the initial speech of the campaign, responding to the arguments put forth by his Republican opponent, Augustus E. Willson, and, together with Gov. Beckham, the nominee for United States Senator, will give an account of Democratic stewardship. Both having been officials of the State since 1900, when the Republican party was ousted from power in the State, following the reign of Bradley and Taylor, they are equipped for the important task before them.

### Boy is Seriously Hurt.

Palmer, the eleven year old son of Dr. T. J. Hensley, of Newberg, this county, was struck on the head with a base ball bat last Saturday and may die. A game of ball was being played Saturday morning at Newberg by the Newberg and Lassiter teams and Palmer Hensley was a spectator. A young man by the name of Elliot was batting the ball and in making a strike the bat accidentally slipped from his hand, striking young Hensley in the back of the head, crushing his skull. The wounded boy was carried to his father's home and given immediate medical attention. Upon examination it was found that the skull was crushed and the victim of the accident was bleeding profusely from the ears and mouth.

At this time he is resting fairly well and is conscious, but suffers very much of sickness of stomach. The final result can not be anticipated at this time.

### Our Guessing Contest.

Our guessing contest closed last Saturday and all the guesses made have been sealed and deposited in a bank vault. These will be taken out Nov. 2nd, and a committee of reliable citizens will examine each guess and make the awards. The awards will be made upon a sworn statement by the bookkeeper of the war-house as to the number of hogheads stored up to that time.

J. V. Mayer, wife and children, Lloy, Henry and Elizabeth, returned home Sunday evening, after a weeks visit with relatives and friends in and around the vicinity of Coal Springs and Frankfort, Ill. They report a pleasant trip and a good time.



## Nervous Worn-Out

If you are in this condition, your nerve force is weak—the power is giving out, the organs of your body have "slowed up," and do their work imperfectly. This failure to do the work required, clogs the system and brings distress and disease. When the nerves are weak the heart is unable to force the life-giving blood through your veins; the stomach fails to digest food; the kidneys lack power to filter impurities from the blood, and the poisonous waste remains in the system to breed disease. Nerve energy must be restored. Dr. Miles' Nervine will do it, because it strengthens the nerves; it is a nerve medicine and tonic, that rebuilds the entire nervous system.

"Several years ago I was quite broken down. I was nervous, worn-out, could not sleep, and was in constant pain. I doctored for months, and finally the doctor said he could do nothing for me. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine, and used altogether eight bottles, and I became strong and healthy, and now weigh 134 pounds."

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## ENDED THE CHITLING FEAST.

When the Negroes Saw the Policemen They Fairly Flew.

The other night two policemen were walking along Vine street when they met an old negro "grandma" coming out of a grocery store with her arms full of packages, says the Kansas City Star.

"Must be goin' to have a feast at your house," said one of the officers. "Goin' to have a chitlin' suppa to-morrow night," replied "grandma."

"Drop in an' git a bite."

The next night the two officers happened to be passing the house where the old negro "mammy" lived. Sounds of high revelry floated out on the night air.

"Let's go in and see what chitlings are," said one of the officers to the other. "I have heard of such edibles, but don't know what they are like."

"All right, I'll go you."

The officers knocked at the door. Instantly all became silent inside. Then the door was opened a crack. The negroes inside caught sight of the blue clothes and brass buttons.

"Good heavens," some one shouted, "it's the big law!"

At once there was a wild scramble to get out. Some went out the back door, but most of them made a dive out the windows, taking such glass and all with them. When the officers got inside not a soul was there except the old negro "grandma," and she was laughing until the tears ran down her face.

"What's the matter with all your guests?" asked one of the policemen. "Why, you'll know them niggers believes they haint no justice in the law," she answered. "But I might glad you come, cause my ole man haint done a tap o' work for a year."

"Hout tell me 'bout his roomatiz an' a Hipin' an' a groasin' aroun'—could not scarcely move. But he was the first man out o' that window—just flew like a deah. Now he's got to go to work. He haint got no roomatiz 'en a rabbit."

**Big Rats of Wheeling.**

The Pied Piper of Hamelin could reap a fortune were he to spend a day in this city, says a Wheeling (W. Va.) correspondent. Rats as large as good-sized cats are swarming in the mills of this city, and in several the workmen have threatened to walk out unless the invasion is checked.

Some of the tales are wonderful to relate. In one factory, according to well authenticated reports, a rat was seen to take a tin pail in one of its paws and trot away on the other three feet. Another deftly took the lid off a pail in order to get at the goodies he knew were inside. Another dragged a dinner basket by his tail, but was unable to get the basket down the rat hole, so he got behind a barrel to investigate his plunder.

The workmen declare they cannot frighten the rodents away, for they show fight. The amazing stories of boldness on the part of the rats grow with each repetition, but there is no question that the rats do eat the laborers' dinners and that there is indignation as a result.

**Horse Had Manners.**

One of St. Johnsbury's best-known characters and one who has had name and fame perpetuated by having a likeness of himself and team printed on a colored post card, is Orville Lawrence, formerly associated with the late Russell Sage on Wall street in the early fifties, but being less fortunate than Mr. Sage he has become reduced in circumstances, and now drives around town in a more or less dilapidated looking outfit, says a writer in the Boston Herald.

Orville's wit is keen and he always has an answer ready for any of his friends who attempted to chaff him. One day Orville appeared driving a horse which trotted badly, and, like its driver, had evidently seen better days.

A prominent business man of the place accented Orville with the remark: "Say Orville, your horse seems to interfere some," to which Orville promptly replied: "He ain't interfering with your business, is he?"

**Rigors of Alpine Winter.**

The situation in Switzerland, owing to snowstorms, is much worse than is revealed by the scant telegrams leaving the country. The state of things has rarely been so bad at this time of year.

The uplands already lie two yards deep under snow, and the mountain villages of St. Emmeren and other villages are absolutely cut off from the rest of the country. An attempt has been made in the legislature to induce the government to keep these passes open all the year, but the cost was declared to be prohibitory.

From Berne in the beginning of the week several diligences were long overdue, and their arrival was awaited with anxiety. A number of peasants who had gone with cattle from the valleys to the uplands had also been caught, and were quite unable to descend, while efforts to reach them involved much danger.

**Why He Raged.**

She rose from the great, soft snow heap. "Don't make a scene, dear," she expostulated.

But her husband continued to abuse the driver of the sleigh.

"But I am not really hurt," she whined.

"No, matter," he returned, "the fellow was almighty careless. A little more and he'd have run me down too!"

## The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive.

It is five. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidneys poison the blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

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**Bargains in Farm Lands.**

Dock Alexander, the land dealer of Kirksey, Ky., has some first class farms for sale. He has a 200 acre farms, 150 acres good bottom, 50 acres in timber, well watered with springs well and cistern, 7 room residence on high, dry land, this is a model home, and you can buy it for \$35 per acre. Will sell for \$50 per acre in less than 5 years. Also has some 40, 60, and 80 acre farms to sell at bargains, and are all well worth looking after before buying elsewhere. I have a special bargain in a 100 acre farm that I will sell at \$10 per acre. This will be worth \$15 per acre in a few years. First comes gets best bargains. See DOCK ALEXANDER, Kirksey, Ky.

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**Carbed Like Player Queen.**

As she came into the corridor of the opera house every woman's eye turned in her direction, attracted by the curious head covering she wore. It looked like one of the crowns a player wears in a Shakespearean play, since it consisted of nothing but a band of heavy gold braid, of the kind known technically as "galaon," with a circular top to it fashioned of purple velvet.

Around her neck she wore a thin scarf of a shade that toned in with the color of the velvet and the final touch of Shakespearean suggestion was added when she lifted up her skirts, disclosing her ankles clad in mauve silk stockings and her feet covered with a pair of sandals in mauve colored kid through the openings in which the stockings could be plainly seen.

**Trying to Avoid Exposure.**

Helen—I carried out a white umbrella with me yesterday and lost it somewhere. Now she wants to advertise it.

Wicks—That's a good idea. It may be returned to her.

Helen—That's just the trouble. I'm almost certain I left it in some saloon.

## INSIST ON GETTING HANGUL

Murderers Who Have Died for a Century of Crime.

The case of the condemned murderer, who the other day voluntarily sentenced himself by refusing to sign a petition for a reprieve, is not so rare as many people imagine.

The famous parallel instance was that of Rev. Mr. Hackman, who shot an actress, Miss Reay, as she was leaving the stage door of Convent Garden theater, and who, although actually offered a commutation, preferred to die upon the gallows in the expiration of his crime.

Only a few weeks back, again, the Terlin papers chronicled the case of a wealthy land owner, who, having shot a servant in a fit of passion, tried him, with himself as judge, and sentenced himself to ten years' solitary confinement in one of his own private dungeons in his own medieval castle in the heart of the Black Forest.

Nine years and some odd months of this punishment he actually endured, his house steward doing him out daily a meager ration of coarse prison fare. Unluckily for him, however, the authorities got to hear of the affair and he was hailed before the ordinary tribunal to await his trial in due course.

Another extraordinary case also, curiously enough, of German origin, was that of a sergeant major of an infantry regiment stationed in Bremen, who a few weeks back sentenced himself to be shot by a squad of his own men. The soldiers thought they were firing blank, but the self-condemned man had surreptitiously removed the harmless cartridges and substituted ball ammunition, so that at his own word of command, "Fire," he fell dead.

Finally, it may be mentioned that John Lee, the Babinecombe murderer, who survived three separate attempts to hang him owing to some defect in the machinery of the drop, hanged himself by the neck of his own necktie.

This is, of course, quite contrary to the generally received opinion regarding the case. But the writer was recently assured of its correctness by the convict's own mother, and her assurance is borne out by Rev. John P. Kim, who was chaplain of Exeter goal at the time.

Said this gentleman the other day: "When the attempt to execute him (Lee) failed, he called out again and again, 'I will be executed.' And when I suggested after the third attempt to take his life that the execution should be postponed, Lee exclaimed: 'Aren't they going to execute me? I will be executed!'"—Pearson's Weekly.

**Intelligent Pharmacy.**

One of the ablest physicians in New York was in financial straits in his young days, and looked long and hard for a job. Finally he was engaged in a small shop in Cherry street, in the midst of sailors' boarding houses "and such."

One night a woman asked for an ounce of some deadly poison. "What are you going to do with it?" said the young pharmacist. She replied quickly: "I am going to drink it. I am weary of living! I shall commit suicide." "In that case," she he, "I won't sell it to you; you will have to obtain it elsewhere." She laughed. "Oh, do you take me for a fool? If I wanted to kill myself do you suppose I'd tell you? Honestly, I want the medicine for my husband, a longshoreman, who is in great distress." "That's different," said the young friend, who thereupon sold the poison and made her sign for it. As she passed out of the door she yelled in madcap tones: "Ya, ya! I got you that time! I'll be in hell in seven minutes!"

**Colors to the Blind.**

"Have you any conception of color?" a friend asked a blind man. "What idea have you when you hear colors mentioned?"

"A person blind from birth as I have been can have no possible proper conception of color," was the reply. "To me color is sound, or rather, music. When I hear the word red, for example, I instantly think of a high, ringing note of music; blue is to me a delicately sounded note fairly high and pleasing in tone; green is a soft tone and rather low, quiet and restful; white yellow is lively, quick little notes rapidly sounding and causing pleasure, almost to laughter. Black, alas! is the only color we can realize, for we are told that that is the absence of all light, and we know only too well what that means."

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**Braden Gentry 6696 by John R. Gentry 2404 the greatest pacer stallion living.** Braden is not three years yet but is 15-2 and the best one you ever saw. His sire, John R. Gentry, held ten world records and has defeated every horse that ever raced against him including Robert J., Frank Eagan, Star Pointer and Joe Patchen the sire of Dan Patch. He also won blue ribbon at Madison Square New York City in the show ring. He is the very image of his noted sire. Braden Gentry is out of Kate Braden who brought the highest price at auction ever brought by a pacer brood mare. She is the Dam of Hal braden 2:07 1/2, Hal Brandon 2:10 3/4, Braden 2:12 1/2, Brown Braden 2:13 1/2 and Hal Brown now in Ewel Farm Stud. She has produced over \$20,000.00 worth of colts at one and two years old. There is no better horse living than this.

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## LOCAL & PERSONAL.

Preaching Sunday 11 a. m. at Methodist church, by the pastor.

Miss Mary Watson, of Hopkinsville, arrived today on a visit to H. B. Scott and wife.

R. L. Spencer will hold his colt show this year at Wiswell on the first Saturday in September.

WANTED.—We will pay 70c per bushel for milling corn.—MURRAY MILLS CO.

Mrs. Lee Martin was the guest of relatives in Martin, Tenn., the past week.

Miss Stella Landrum is spending a week's vacation with relatives in Puryear, Tenn.

Bob Moore, of Paducah, was here last Friday mingling with old friends.

Mrs. Dumas Nix, of Joplin, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Felts in Fulton.

Miss Emily Wear, of Paducah, is at home on a visit to her parents, Daniel Wear and wife.

Hardin Irvin came in the first of the week and is the guest of his uncle, J. B. Hay, and family.

Ed and Fred Foster, of Paducah, spent Wednesday with friends in Murray.

Mrs. T. J. Watson has returned to her in Memphis after visiting Jas. Martin near Shiloh for some time.

Miss Janie Barnes returned to her home in Louisville Tuesday, after a several weeks visit to Miss Hattie Cook.

Prof. Wm. Morrison, formerly principal of the Murray school, now teaching at Centerville, Tenn., was here the past week.

Miss Belva Broach has returned to Paducah, after visiting friends and relatives here the past week.

Starkey Jones has been helping Postmaster Downs take care of Uncle Sam's business for the past week.

Lee Curd is at home on a visit. He has been firing on the N. C. & St. L. railway for the past several months.

Miss Carrie Baker, of Hopkinsville, arrived Tuesday in Murray and will be the guest of Miss Pollie Graves for some time.

W. T. Reed, connected with the firm of Hank, Davis & Co., of Paducah, was the guest of relatives here the past week.

Miss Luella Acree returned to Benton, Sunday evening, and will teach again at the Seminary.—Benton Tribune.

Rev. V. T. Sellers, of Memphis, was the guest of Wm. Meador and family, of the Concord section, the past week.

Perry Meloon left Monday at noon for Paducah where he has accepted a position with the News-Democrat.

Mrs. Nettie Winsett has returned to Fulton after a week's visit to relatives and friends at Kirksey.

Mrs. Modena Kindred and son, of Centralia, Ill., arrived last week on a visit to her parents, J. A. Edwards and wife.

Hub and Bob Murrell, former residents of this place now of Mayfield, were here the first of the week visiting relatives.

Robert Graham, son of Herman Graham, of Paducah, was the guest of his uncle, Asher Graham, the past several days.

Earl Davis and Ziba Williams played with the Paducah ball team last Sunday in a game with Metropolis. Davis pitched the game for the Paducah team.

Miss Hattie Cook left today to visit her aunt in Hopkinsville, who has been quite ill for some time.

Dow Slaughter returned last Saturday at noon from Athens, Tenn., where he has just completed the building of a banking house. H. B. Gilbert, formerly of this place, is cashier of the bank.

Dr. J. H. Sale and daughter, Miss Hattie, left Monday for Paducah to visit M. G. Sale and wife for several days.

Miss Owina Mitchell, of Dyer, Tenn., is the guest of her uncle, Frank Mitchell, and family of this place.

FOR SALE.—One milk cow and young calf, and one good work horse. Call on J. V. Mayer at Bank of Murray.

FOR RENT.—I want to rent my home place on Institute street. For terms, etc., see me or O. T. Hale.—MRS. N. T. HALE.

From Aug. 27th the Murray Millinery Co., will be closed for about two weeks. The crew will be in the market looking after fall goods.

The final examination for white teachers was held last Friday and Saturday by the county superintendent in the Murray school building. Only a few attended.

The U. D. C. chapter, of Puryear, will give an ice cream supper Saturday night. Proceeds to go to Shiloh monument fund. A general invitation is extended the public.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Swift, of Hardin, Route 2, are the proud parents of twin boys, both healthy and vigorous. This means two more democrats for Marshall county.—Benton Tribune.

B. D. Dodson, of near Murray, who has been here 8 or 10 days, under treatment of Dr. W. T. Bowling, returned home Wednesday morning greatly relieved of his trouble.—Wingo Outlook.

J. I. D. Woodruff has moved his real estate office from the opera house building to the upstairs rooms in the rear of the Dale & Stubblefield drug store building.

Mrs. Jane Ford is the guest of her brothers, the Messrs. Witherspoon, of near this place. She lives in Texas and has not visited this county in many years.

Miss S. J. Foulks, of Kirksey, was called to Harris, Tenn., to attend the bedside of her brother, Mr. J. M. Foulks. He is seriously ill with dropsy and heart trouble.

A mule belonging to W. H. Purdon was the victim of a goat's anger some few days ago and as a result the mule sustained a broken leg. It is supposed that the goat butted the mule and broke its leg.

Arch Johns, one of Calloway county's respected colored citizens, died at his home near Buffalo last Saturday. He was about 75 years of age and had many friends among the white citizens of the east side of the county.

Work was commenced Tuesday to remodel the store building occupied by W. W. Stubblefield. A glass front with show windows will be put in and the interior otherwise improved. The house when completed will be one of the best in the city.

Those interested are requested to meet the second Thursday in September, 12th, for the purpose of cleaning off the Gordon grave yard. Bring your dinner and tools to work with and prepare to stay all day.

The Coldwater postoffice will be abolished September 1st, and the patrons of this office will be served after that date by rural route carrier No. 1, out of the Murray office.

Dr. J. T. Walker and wife, of Obion county, Tenn., were the guests of I. L. Barnett and wife the past week. They were en route home from Dawson and had Sam Young's little daughter with them.

FOR RENT.—Five room cottage on street near Wilkinson residence in west Murray new Institute. New and comfortable home. Apply to GILLIS WILKINSON.

Mr. James Dulaney and little son, Master James, are visiting relatives at Kirksey. Mrs. Dulaney will leave tonight for Ft. Smith, Ark., where she will join a party to Mount Neba, on a trip of one week or ten days.—Mayfield Monitor.

A. Q. Knight moved into his new home on Institute street today. Mr. J. D. Sexton will move into the Knight residence, recently purchased by him, within the next few days. Mrs. S. J. Ferguson and family will move into the residence vacated by Mr. Sexton.

The Lassiter and Dexter ball teams played at Dexter the 10th inst, resulting in a score of 19 to 4 in favor of the Lassiter team. On account of error in the eighth inning the Dexter team was permitted to score two runs. Had it not been for this the result would have been 19 to 2 in favor of Lassiter.

We are informed that Mr. D. F. Pace, who is now making his home at Falfurrias, Texas, will possibly move to Murray to live. We sincerely hope the report is true and would welcome him and his splendid family as citizens of our town.

Ergot Edwards, the barber, who formerly resided in Murray, has moved to Hazel and is occupying the Uncle Billie James residence near the Christian church. He will open a new barber shop at this place at an early date.—Hazel News.

Mr. Dr. Prince and daughter, Miss Fay left this morning for a short visit to Paris, Tenn., she was accompanied by Mrs. Stuntson and will visit their niece, Mrs. Mike Acree, for a few days after which Mrs. Prince returns to her home in Knoxville, Tenn., and Mrs. Stuntson will return here.—Mayfield Messenger.

Hardy Ross, son of Mr. Bud Ross, of the east side of the county, was adjudged of unsound mind in Judge Well's court Monday and ordered sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville for treatment. He is a young man 21 years of age and has been confined in the asylum on two previous occasions, and afterwards dismissed as well.

L. W. Holland, trustee of the Will Harris & Co. estate, has been directed by Referee Bagby to pay L. C. Linn \$1,200, which was left over out of the estate after all indebtedness was paid off. Linn forfeited much of his individual estate to settle the firm's claims, which were paid dollar for dollar.—News-Democrat.

The Milan, Tenn., base ball team was defeated by the Murray boys in three of the four games played here last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The visiting team was one of the cleverest that has played here this season and put up a splendid exhibition. The local boys, however, were too fast company for them, and as a result the visitors were only allowed one game. The local team will possibly go to Paducah for a game Sunday.

WANTED. To buy near corporation line of Murray, either in or out of town, house and 2 or 4 acres of ground. House must have five or more rooms, stable, etc. See J. E. D. WOODRUFF, Callaway Real Estate Exchange.

If you are going to take a trip off on the railroad get your accident ticket from B. F. Schroeder; \$5000 if you are killed on the train. Dont cost but 25c.

Boys if you want a factory finish on your buggy, insist on your blacksmith using Sherwin-Williams Carriage Paint, DALE & STUBBLEFIELD.

For the best lawn swing see A. B. BEALE & SON.

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Miss Ione Denton and Miss Pearl Bray, of Missouri, have been the guests of R. Downs and wife the past several days.

Misses Lena and Lizzie Shrotes, of Trenton, Tenn., are visiting in Murray, the guests of Fred Burton and wife.

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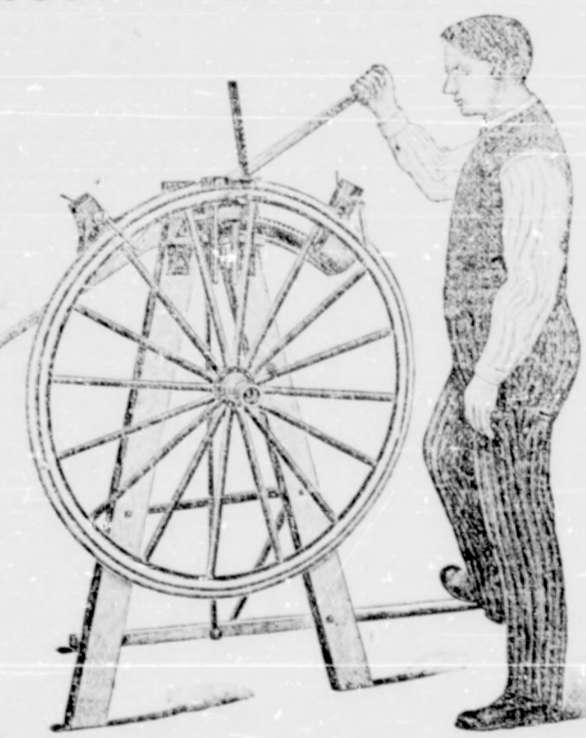
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## New Lumber Yard.

To My Friends And The Public:

I wish to say that I have opened up a lumber yard in Murray and am prepared to furnish you anything in dressed lumber, shingles, sash and doors and all kinds of building material. Also can furnish rough lumber on short notice.

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## HAD GONE DOWN THE RIVER.

His Strip of Land Somewhere on the Old Mississippi.

I had bought a piece of land a few miles below Memphis on the Arkansas side, and three years after I happened to be in that locality and went to see about it. On making inquiries of the nearest settler he said:

"Wall, stranger, about two years ago I planted that land of yours to corn. The crop promised to be a powerful big one, and I reckoned on paying off my debts with it. I went out one morning, however, and the n-ky land was gone!"

"But where had it gone to?" I asked.

"The river had cut in and took it across to the other shore. It wasn't in this state no mo'. I went over to the other side to see about it, but a critter had jumped my cornfield and said he was going to hang on to it."

"And then what?"

"Wall, he reaped the corn and next year planted the ground to yams. Them yams was about ready to dig when I got up one mornin' to find that the river had cut in and thrown the land back on this side. I jumped it at once. The fellow come over to see about it, but I told him I wasn't disputin' the way of Providence. Powerful big crop of yams I had that fall."

"Wall, I was makin' ready to plant corn agin last spring when I got up one mornin' and looked out and your land wasn't there any mo'. Just clean gone."

"Gone over to the other side again, had it?"

"No, sah. It has got tired of boatin' around yere and started down the river, and the captain of a steamboat told me he had met it 20 miles down stream. I don't know how far you want that land, sah, nor how patient you are, but it appears to me that you'll have to wait around till the old Mississippi gets ready to run up stream and bring it back."—Exchange.

## PENALTY OF GREATNESS.

Jimmy Sniff—Wet's that on yer head, Billy?

Billie—It's strange that Rockyfeller and me can't wear wigs without attractin' so much attention.

## BE GOOD TO THEM.

The people who expect to share in the rich trade of the future in the Pacific world must be very careful not to quarrel finally with the Japanese and the Chinese, who will be the masters of that world as surely as the sun shall rise.

There may be no "yellow peril" in Europe, but there will be "yellow" mastery in Asia and the Asian oceans.

Tokio and Peking will be the two most powerful capitals in the Pacific hemisphere, with London as a possible third; and it will pay San Francisco and Victoria to quarrel with neither.—Montreal Star.

## COMPLIMENT TO MISS C.

Years ago, while large water mains were being laid in Beacon street, Boston, it happened one summer morning that a certain Miss C., who was a much admired member of the younger set, chanced to be passing near the open ditch. A gust of wind carried her parasol away, and it alighted on a bank of dirt.

A young laborer, seeing the parasol, seized it and returned it to its owner, who thanked him. Looking squarely at her, he retorted with an accent: "No thanks, ma'am; faith if ye were half as strong as ye are handsome ye never would have lost it."

## ONE KING.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a railroad director?

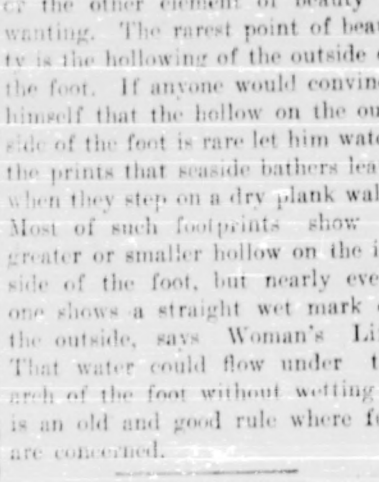
Pa—A signboard at a crossing that directs the public to "Stop! Look! Listen!" my son.

## A WOMAN'S PERFECT FOOT

Is Rarely Developed to Its Full Perfection of Beauty.

A woman's foot, when perfect, is hollowed out well, both inside and out, with a high instep, short heel, and long, straight toes, slightly spatulate at the ends. This is the type of the most beautiful foot. It is, on the whole, a foot not frequently seen in its perfection, for often one or the other element of beauty is wanting. The rarest point of beauty is the hollowing of the outside of the foot. If anyone would convince himself that the hollow on the outside of the foot is rare let him watch the prints that seaside bathers leave when they step on a dry plank walk. Most of such footprints show a greater or smaller hollow on the inside of the foot, but nearly every one shows a straight wet mark on the outside, says Woman's Life. That water could flow under the arch of the foot without wetting it is an old and good rule where feet are concerned.

## PERFECTLY WELL.



## HAS A LICENSE TO MARRY

Holding it to Until He Finds the Right Woman.

"Boss," said a negro to a clerk in a marriage license office a few days ago, "I want a license. I've done made up my mind to get married. How much do one cost?"

"Two dollars," said the clerk.

The negro took his license and went away. But next morning he was back bright and early. He looked dejected, and he said, "I brought it back," he said bluntly.

"Well," advised the clerk, "I can't refund your money, I'm not allowed to."

"No."

"All right, boss," said the negro, starting for the door. "It's just cost me them two dollars for that black gal to change her mind. Lord, I'm an unlucky coon."

He had nearly reached the door when he stopped, came back and asked:

"Is this here good any time?"

"Yes," the clerk told him.

"Good a year from now?"

"Yes, good ten years from now."

"Well, I'll just save it. Maybe I'll need it, an' then I'll be two dollars ahead."

## NORTH DAKOTA'S WEALTH.

North Dakota is piling up wealth in a remarkable degree. It is no longer the land of no wages. The mortgages have been paid, and now the older farmers have money in the bank.

In 1900 the state had only 27 national banks with deposits of over \$5,000,000. It now has over 100 national banks, with deposits of over \$18,000,000. There are over 300 banks, whose deposits far exceed those of the national banks.

As an index of its agricultural and industrial shipments, the fact is cited that while North Dakota does not have a city exceeding in population 18,000, yet it has fully 40 shipping points on one railway line whose freight receipts each exceed \$100,000 a year. This indicates how wealth is being accumulated.—National Magazine.

## CAMERA WORKS IN MID AIR.

Cameras on the wing are flying through Germany. A projectile to take photographs and claimed to have been successful at heights of half a mile is the idea of Herr Marie, a German photographer. A camera having the form of the usual kind of conical shell is thrown into the air by means of a kind of trap. At a predetermined angle as the camera turns to make its descent and is pointed slightly downwards, the shutter is automatically released, and a picture is taken of a broad expanse of country. In still air the flight and spot at which the aerial camera will fall can be calculated with much precision. Precautions are taken to avoid damage by concussion and the results are expected to be of great possible value in military operations.

## STOPPED ASKING QUESTIONS.

A kindly faced woman showed great interest in going through the Industrial Home for Blind Men. Seeing one sightless man busily causing a chair she said sympathetically:

"I don't see how you men do that work at all."

"That's the way with us, madam," said the worker, cheerfully. "We don't see how we do it ourselves."

To another blind man she said: "Do you close your eyes when you sleep?"

"Oh, no, madam; we have a watchman that goes around and keeps 'em for us at ten o'clock."

The kindly faced woman asked no more questions.—Philadelphia Record.

## WHERE THE HIPPOS BATHE.

South African Lake for Which Big Boats Have a Liking.

A few miles from Mubokya we came to Kibira, a circular lake, once a crater, about half a mile wide, writes a correspondent of the Westminister Gazette from Uganda. The water is slightly salt and is greatly appreciated by the hippos, who come here in large parties from Lake Ruwanda to bathe. The lake is shallow for a few yards only and then deepens rapidly, so the hippos, who do not like deep water, never go very far from the shore.

On a still day it is an amusing pastime to sit by the lake and watch the great brutes enjoying themselves. For a moment nothing is to be seen, then suddenly a score or more of huge heads burst through the water with loud snorts and squirting jets of water through their nostrils. They stare around with their only little pinhole eyes, jaws prodigiously showing a fearful array of tusks and a cavernous throat, their sink with a satisfied gurgle below the surface, to repeat the performance a minute or two after.

Sometimes one stands almost upright in the water; then he rolls over with a sounding splash, showing a broad expanse of back like a huge porpoise. Or a too venturesome young bachelor approaches a select circle of veterans, who resent his intrusion and drive him away with roars and grunts. There is something irresistibly suggestive of humanity about their ungainly gambols. Only bathing machines are wanted to complete the picture.

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## SKIN DISEASES

HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

When the blood is pure, fresh and healthy, the skin will be soft, smooth and free from blemishes, but when some acid humor takes root in the circulation its presence is manifested by a skin eruption or disease. These humors get into the blood, generally because of an inactive or sluggish condition of the members of the body whose duty it is to collect and carry off the waste and refuse matter of the system. This unhealthy matter is left to rot and ferment and soon the circulation becomes charged with the acid poison. The blood begins to throw off the humors and acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin eruptions of various kinds. Eczema appears, usually with a slight redness of the skin followed by pustules from which there flows a sticky fluid that dries and forms a crust, and the itching is intense. It is generally on the back, breast, face, arms and legs, though other parts of the body may be affected. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds; the acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, which are intended to keep it soft and pliant, causing a dry, feverish condition and giving it a hard, leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black heads, while Psoriasis comes in scaly patches on different parts of the body. One of the worst forms of skin trouble is Salt Rheum; its favorite point of attack is the scalp, sometimes causing baldness. Poison Oak and Ivy are also disagreeable types of skin disease. The humor producing the trouble lies dormant in the blood through the winter to break out and torment the sufferer with the return of Spring. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and removes the humors so that the skin instead of being irritated and diseased, is nourished by a supply of fresh, healthy blood. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., while they soothe the itching caused by skin affections, can never cure the trouble because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of foreign matter and restores the blood to its normal, pure condition, thereby permanently curing every form of skin affection. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

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# Tobacco Rates Reduced.

The Kentucky Board of Fire Insurance Underwriters has announced a reduction of 25 cents in the premium on each \$100 worth of tobacco which is stored in a regularly appointed storage house. This is a considerable reduction and applies to the entire state of Kentucky. It is especially welcomed in this end of the state where there has been so much uneasiness and rumors in regard to the intention of the insurance companies to refuse to insure tobacco at all. The reduction is the strongest indication which the companies could give that they consider tobacco, when stored in regular storage houses, as good risk.

## Beautiful Women.

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, make all women beautiful. Take a small dose of Herbine after each meal; it will prevent constipation and help digest what you have eaten. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Tex., writes, Mar 31, 1901:

We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we ever used for constipation, bilious fever and malaria.—Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton & Co.

## Involuntary Bankruptcy.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed by Warren Neely & Co., and Holling Sons & Co., of Nashville, Tenn., against Rufus G. Williams, of Cherry, which alleges that he owes Warren Neely & Co., \$490.75, and to Holling Sons & Co., \$69.90. Mr. Williams recently turned over his business to his creditors, and claims that had he been permitted to settle the business that his creditors would have been paid not less than 90 cents on each \$1, and possibly dollar for dollar. It is now doubtful if his creditors will realize more than 25 cents.

## "Regular As The Sun"

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by H. D. Thornton & Co., Druggist, 405.

## Mrs. Rufe Veal Wounded.

Mrs. Rufe Veal, formerly a resident of Murray but who has been living in Paducah the past several years, was shot in the breast and face last Friday morning by the accidental discharge of a gun. Mr. and Mrs. Veal were visiting three miles north of Grahamville on the Horace Mankin farm, and early Friday morning Mr. Veal went out squirrel hunting. On his return he left the loaded gun on the porch. His children began playing with the gun, and Mrs. Veal seeing their danger went near to warn them, when the gun was discharged and she was shot in the face and breast. The wounds are not serious.

## Going to Buy.

We the undersigned beg to announce to our friends in the county that we will buy and put up tobacco here this season, and will be ready to start buying just as soon as the crop is housed and cured.—GRIFFIN & PITT.

**MICA**

**Axle Grease**

takes miles off the road, and weight from the load. Helps the team and pays the teamster.

Practically destroys friction. Saves half the wear that comes from using other greases. It keeps the life of a heavy vehicle twice as long as any other.

Ask the dealer for MICA Axle Grease.

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# Drop Us A Line

and let us know what you have for sale and what you want to buy. We need you and you need us and both together can land a deal in most any shape you want it. We have customers who want to sell, customers who want to buy, customers who want to exchange and customers who want to do most any way just to be trading.

Come round and tell us your troubles, then go home and go to bed. If we can do you no good it is because you want to sell too high or buy too low and in either case the sooner you find it out the better, you will never find it out or know which it is until you come round and peat yourself in real estate matters at the

## CALLWAY REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

I want to list your property for the benefit of buyers. It will not cost you a cent unless you want me to bring the buyer to you and personally help you close the deal. In that case I want 5 per cent of sale, otherwise nothing, and in the mean time you pay no attention to me at all. Sell your property yourself whenever and wherever you please. Respect.

J. I. D. WOODRUFF,

## Law Firm Dissolves.

The law firm of Hendrick, Miller & Marble dissolved partnership Wednesday afternoon after about two years and one-half existence. The announcement was made this morning by Mr. Marble, who stated that their partnership as to the future was relaxed, but they would continue together until all of their cooperative business affairs were straightened out.

The dissolution was made for the best reasons. Col. John K. Hendrick, Democratic nominee for attorney general, will be engaged from now on in the interest of his candidacy. Mr. Marble said that there was no intention of his or Mr. Miller leaving the city, but they will continue their practice separately.—Paducah News-Democrat.

## Life Insurance.

For twenty-five cents you can now insure yourself and family against any bad results from an attack of colic or diarrhoea during the summer months. That is the price of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, a medicine that has never been known to fail. Buy it now, it may save life. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Paducah policemen have been requested to watch for Joe Pate or Tate, 15-years-old, who has run away from his home at Murray, Ky. The lad started early Sunday and headed straight for Paducah. A description came along with the request and one of the items was that Joe had a bundle of clean collars in his pocket.—News Democrat.

Mr. Will Gates and wife, of Jackson, Tenn., were the guests of O. L. Schroeder and wife and other relatives here the past week. Mrs. Gates was a Miss Parrish, of Paris, before her marriage and often visited in Murray. Her father was in charge of the building of the Methodist church here a few years ago.

# Big Store is Burned.

Clarksville, Tenn., Aug. 15.—The little town of Fredonia, this county, was thrown into a state of excitement yesterday morning by the burning of general merchandise store of W. E. Wall, a prominent farmer and non-Association man.

The fire is believed to have been caused by the "night riders." The loss is estimated at \$1,500, with \$1,700 insurance.

About the same time eight acres of tobacco on the farm of William Daniel, a short distance away was pulled up and ruined. From the tracks in the field there was quite a number of men in the party.

Mr. Wall was a member of the association at one time, but refused to sign the pledge this year. On June 17 he received a letter in which he was advised to either join the association or leave the country. He was also told that he had accused certain association men of scraping his plant beds, and was advised to keep quiet about it, or suffer the consequences.

Mr. Daniel has never been a member of the association.

Bloodhounds were sent for but were unable to follow the tracks.

## "Everybody Should Know"

says C. G. Hays, a prominent business man of Bluff, Mo., that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound, or to a case of piles. I've used it and know what I'm talking about." Guaranteed by H. D. Thornton & Co., Druggist, 25c.

## Lassiter, Ky.

Health is good in this locality at present.

Crops are looking fine since the rain.

Ralph Jones is teaching school at Liberty school house.

The protracted meeting is in progress at Liberty church.

Tid McDaniel and wife visited her sister, Mrs. E. A. Davy, last Sunday.

Uncle Tom Oglesby and wife are staying with relatives in the Liberty neighborhood.

Ed Dowdy went to Dexter last Saturday.

Porter Ragsdale of the Faxton neighborhood, visited his brother-in-law, Ray Winters, last Sunday.

Mrs. Henrie Thompson is staying at her mother's attending the protracted meeting at Liberty.

Squirrels are so numerous in our neighborhood they are eating up the green corn.

R. B. Lassiter is so busy selling goods he can't get time to eat.

I will close as I fear the waste basket.

## AUNTIE PIPER.

## How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Colic, that cannot be cured by Hall's Family Cure.

J. J. CROSBY & Co., Props. Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Crosby for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Tipton, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALFORD, KIRKMAN & SONS, Wholesale Drugists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Colic Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Cure is the best.

## Killed In Mine.

Mayfield, Aug. 19.—The remains of Will Gupton arrived here this morning from Bisbee, Ariz., in charge of Hal Harding, and were taken to his home at Swan, several miles from here, for burial. Gupton, who was employed at the mines at Bisbee, fell through an open shaft August 12 and died instantly. Every bone in his body was crushed. He had been at work at the mines but a little while.

His family live at Swan, a little post office not far away from Mayfield.

Don't fail to see us for a lawn swing, they are fine this hot weather.—A. B. BEALE & SON.

# The Nobler Sacrifice.

What influences does business exert on the inexperienced, expectant girl? They are purely psychological. The question of comparative health and comparative morals in domestic and business life is narrow, as compared with the broader one of psychological conditions.

I believe that there are just as many women who break down under the strain of bearing children and domestic burdens as there are those who have nervous prostration from trying to do a man's work in business and live a woman's life at home.

But there is this difference. The woman who sacrifices herself on the domestic altar may leave behind her a living, breathing memorial in the sons and daughters who reverence her memory, and who hand down to posterity the influence of her strong character, as ever-widening circle for good; while the woman who sacrifices herself to business success can leave only a few tangled skeins in office or store for some other woman to straighten out. The woman who is normal and healthy, and performs her work in the normal, common-sense way, will not break down either in the home or in a wage-earning field.

Wage-earning women as a class I believe to be even more moral than their sisters who lead the protected life. Contact with the world shows them the wages of sin as well as the wages of word. They are less credulous, less trusting, than the girl who idealizes every man who comes upon her horizon. The girl whose virtue is inherent and strongly entrenched does not yield to the blandishments of the man she meets in business; rather she becomes absolutely impregnable. On the other hand, the girl who is naturally wild and unrestrained does not require the influence of office, store or factory environment to show her the downward way.—Anna Steese Richardson in the September Woman's Home Companion.

## Society Enjoys Outing.

Chaperoned by Mrs. Z. T. Conner, T. K. Edwards and wife, Noble Harris and wife, a large party of Murray's society set enjoyed a delightful outing at the beautiful Alto park last Friday. The outing was complimentary to Miss Janie Barnes, of Louisville, who has been Miss Hattie Cook's guest for some time. The Jones orchestra, of Paducah, furnished the music for the occasion. A delightful luncheon was prepared and served by the young gentlemen of the party, taking this burden entirely out of the hands of the ladies. This was a rather novel feature, and we are informed, an exceedingly pleasant departure for the ladies of the party. Dancing, boating and picnicking were indulged in. Those composing the party were Miss Janie Barnes, Louisville, Misses Hattie and Maude Cook, Mary Duguid, Treva Cochran, Lera Keys, Mabelle Yongue, Maggie Edwards. Messrs. J. Rudy Oury, Elmus Beale, Robt. Farmer, Dr. Will Mason, Gillis Wilkinson, Leland Owen, Clyde Downs, Ziba Williams, Dr. P. A. Hart. Those from other places attending were Misses Ball, Porter and Berritt, and Messrs. Currier, Cole and Hutson, Paris, Tenn., Miss Owina Mitchell, Dyer, Tenn., Miss Sadie McClarin, Puryear, Tenn.

## Children In Pain

never cry as do children who are suffering from hunger. Such is the cause of all baby's who cry and are treated for sickness, when they really are suffering from hunger. This is caused from their food not being assimilated but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once. Give it a trial.—Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton & Co.

# Books Close 10th.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Executive Board of the Planters Protective Association at Guthrie recently, the books of the Association in Calloway county will be closed October 10, and Chairman Swan informs us that after that date no one will be allowed to put their 1907 crop of tobacco into the Association.

The Executive Committee mean just what they say, and those who fail to pledge their tobacco to the Association by this date will not be allowed the benefit of the high prices which the Association is now receiving for its tobacco.

We trust there will not be a farmer in Calloway county that has a crop of tobacco this year that will not sign this pledge before this date, and make the crop in Calloway county a unit for the organization.

## HAD AN AWFUL TIME

But Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Cured Him.

It is with pleasure that I give you this unsolicited testimonial. About a year ago when I had a severe case of measles I got caught out in a hard rain and the measles settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not have possibly lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy I am now strong and well. I have written the above through simple gratitude and I shall always speak a good word for this remedy.—SAM. H. GUY, Concord, Ga. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

## Large Rewards For Offenders.

Gov. Patterson, of Tennessee, has offered a reward of \$1,500 for the arrest and conviction of any night riders in the counties of Montgomery and Robertson, and says that he will stop these acts of lawlessness that have been brought to his attention, and which has caused terror to the citizens of that section. In addition to the reward of \$1,500 for the arrest of the person or persons committing these depredations, Gov. Patterson has offered a reward of \$2,500 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who committed arson when the storehouse of Mr. W. E. Wall, of the the fifteenth civil district of Montgomery county, was burned to the ground at 2 o'clock last Wednesday morning.

Apparently the outrages in that section of the dark tobacco district are increasing and there has hardly been a night that some farmer has not been made to suffer as a result of the visits of the "night riders."

## Advertised Letters.

L. F. Bennett, Miss Beatrice Bomar, Mrs. Jessie Caldwell, G. Collins, J. E. Clement, Mrs. Clarice Dorania, Mrs. Liza Grogan, Mrs. Clobie Jones, S. A. Jones, Miss Annie B. Nicholes, Miss Flora Wilson, M. T. Wilson, Mrs. Elzavie Wade. Packages for Mrs. Mattie Edwards, J. F. Foster.—A. A. DOWNS, POSTMASTER.



## Mr. Farmer

You Can Save 25% a Year

on your Wagon and Implement investment by painting your equipment once in every 12 months with

**The Huth & Heltz**

**Wagon and Implement Paint**

It Prevents Rust, Warp and Rot

SOLD BY H. P. WEAR.

# Sunday School Rally.

At Methodist church, Murray, Ky., 2:30 p. m. next Sunday, the 25 inst., in the interest of the Kentucky State Sunday school association.

Let's all be on hand and take sufficient interest to make sure our county is well represented at the State Sunday school convention at Madisonville next week, and from that to the great International Sunday school convention that is coming to our own state, same to be held in Louisville this coming year, and where all the Sunday school forces of the whole world come together in pushing forward the great and all important work.

Rev. W. E. Bourquin, of Paducah, will conduct the meeting. Everybody is urged to be present and take stock.

## Association Election.

To the members of the Dark Tobacco Association of Calloway county:

You are requested to meet at your respective voting precincts and elect a precinct committee-man on the first Saturday in September 1907. Between the hours of two and four o'clock p. m. Understand this means two committeemen from each magisterial district in the county or one for each voting precinct.

Those elected precinct committeemen are requested to meet on second Saturday in Sept. 1907 at the court house in Murray between two and four o'clock p. m. and elect one of their number as chairman of Calloway county.

Done by order of Executive Committee.

J. E. SWANN, Chairman.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Better Than Three Doctors.

"Three years ago we had three doctors with our little boy and everything that they could do seemed in vain. At last when all hope seemed to be gone we began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and in a few hours he began to improve. Today he is as healthy a child as parents could wish for."—Mrs. B. J. SOUTHWORTH, Linton, Miss. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Two cars American field fence just received in the following heights, 20 26 28 32 and 39 in. No advances in price, buy your wire from us for we want to sell you. Citizens phone 53, Cumberland 95. **SEXTON FARLEY & CO.**

The ladies of the Christian church are going to "get busy some." On the evening of Aug. 22 they will have an ice cream supper at the court house; and on Aug. 27 they will have a quilting at Mr. Cons Fraziers. All the ladies are invited to this quilting and urged to bring their husbands, as we have some special work for the men. Remember the dates.

**Plenty of Pure Paris Green at the Corner Drugstore at lowest market price. Dale & Stubblefield.**

Sherwin-Williams were the first people to make prepared paint and of course they make the best. See color cards at Dale & Stubblefield's.

It's just like a painter said the other day, "It is a pleasure to use Sherwin-Williams paint." Send for color cards. Dale & Stubblefield.

See us for anything in the way of belting for mills or threshers. Call us over either phone. A. B. BEALE & SON.

Get the habit—Read the Ledger.

Get the news; get the Ledger.

BUY FROM THE MERCHANTS WHO ADVERTISE

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# BIG INCOME

Revenue Office Shows in Consumption Eleven Millions

Washington, Aug. 15.—Statistics made public by the Capers, Commission Revenue, will do persons and organizations to wipe out the aim of the revenue, for the purpose of the cigarette and put a snuff habit in this. The figures are the extent of the industry over which Bureau exercise and from which the government derives a large portion of its income. The fiscal year which last, and in many quite astonishing.

## RESULT OF P

One is impressed by the increase of spirituous beverages, and this numerous laws in area in which liquor or manufactured. Perhaps it shows now that all the follow represent consumption; in actual consumption the Government.

During the there was a considerable increase over 252. This trend of whiskey, etc., 557,281 of revenue. Sam, an increase during the twelve.

## CORDIALS G

Cordials are growing in popularity in production increased 643 gallons to 959,807 to \$2.10, a decrease after distilled from apples, apricots, like.

The brewer's States also show signs of prosperity in production increased barrels to 58,500, about 7 per cent. increase series.

## BROUGHT

The beer, etc., with quenched the sleepiness, but into the United States an increase 1906.

In addition ment collected taxes from tail and wine fermented goods taxes from reached approximately 600.

Shocking in view the temperature showing the tobacco in evening.

## CIGARETTES

The cigarette particularly in embrace only kind, not the hundreds smokers try.

The cigarette the year's increase of 1906. The