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# THE MURRAY LEDGER.

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MURRAY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1908.

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## CLOSE CALL.

John Miller Wounded Joe Leach  
by Shooting Him in  
The Neck.

John Miller shot Joe Leach inflicting three ugly wounds in the neck. The trouble occurred last Friday at about 1 o'clock near Miller's home on the west side of the county. Leach, the wounded man, is at the home of Oatman Denham where he went immediately after he was shot and where Drs. McRee and Mason were called to dress his wounds. Miller fired five shots at Leach, from a .32 Smith & Wesson revolver, three of the bullets striking him in the neck. One bullet penetrated the neck and left shoulder blade and lodged just under the skin. From the appearance of the other wounds it is believed the second and third bullets did not enter the neck any great depth.

The trouble between the men arose over the three year old son of Leach's now in custody of Mr. Miller. Some few years ago Leach was married to Miller's daughter and soon after the birth of the child Mrs. Leach was divorced from her husband and given possession of the child. She was recently married to Clarence Cunningham and the child was placed in the custody of Miller. Last Tuesday Leach was at the Miller home and asked that he might be permitted to take the baby and keep it for a few weeks. It is said that Miller agreed but owing to weather conditions told Leach to come back within a few days. Leach went to the Miller home Friday about 12:30 o'clock and was told that Mr. Miller was in the field plowing and the baby was with him. Leach went to the field and asked for the child and was told by Miller that he had decided after thinking the matter over not to let the baby go with him. Mrs. Miller followed Leach where her husband was at work and was the only witness of the trouble. It is reported that both men accuse the other of firing the first shot. Miller fired five times striking Leach with three shots and Leach fired three times without effect.

Leach got into his buggy and started home but when he reached Denham's home got out and remained there.

Leach lives in Graves county between Burnett's Chapel and Sedalia, and is a young man about 21 years of age and is well liked by his neighbors. Miller moved to this county about two years ago from the same locality and is regarded a good and substantial citizen.

Miller surrendered Saturday and was placed under a \$500 bond. His examining trial is set for Saturday.

## Will Be Lively Bidding.

There will soon be a keen competition between the Italian and German buyers for the tobacco monopoly by the association is the belief of Mr. John M. Allen, one of the association organizers, who was in Paducah Monday en route to Benton, where he was billed to speak. Mr. Allen says that the grades of tobacco most valuable to the German market are extremely scarce this year, and the only grade that they substitute is the grade bought by the Italian government. This fact will give the Italian buyers to have a big rush for the tobacco on, as all tobacco that staves the "May sweats" is successful.

for export, as it may be shipped across the ocean without damage. "I am sorry that the night rider troubles came up," said Mr. Allen. "There was absolutely no occasion for it and the responsibility in a measure is placed against the association, which organization was a success before night riding was instituted. But it will be shown finally that the association had nothing to do with it and association officials are as much opposed to lawlessness as anybody."

## Roll Call Meeting.

The annual roll call meeting will be held at Poplar Spring Church at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday before the fourth Lord's day in May.

Introductory Sermon, "The Security of the Believer,"—O. W. Hargrove. T. L. Shelton, alt.

Roll call at 1 o'clock.

Importance of Church Members Attending Church Meetings.—J. W. Clark and P. J. Henry.

Does the Scripture Teach that we should give one tenth of our income to the Lord?—Joe Johnson and Oury Taylor.

The Final Roll Call.—J. T. Enoch and N. S. Castleberry. Importance of Sunday Schools.—George Workman and J. T. Stewart.

Alien. Immersion, is it Right to Receive it?—H. B. Taylor and Enos Calhoun.

Prayer Meetings.—D. M. Green and Virgil Johnson.

Missions.—Asa Harris, W. J. Beale and Wm. Self.

We extend a general invitation to all. Dinner on the ground. J. D. OUTLAND, COM. JOHN BLALOCK, COM. BRO. HICKS.

## Almo, Ky.

As I saw a letter from Almo, rural route 2, last week, I will write a few lines from route 1. Health is very good.

Corn planting is the order of the day, when the weather will permit.

Miss Beulah Gupton, of the Lynnville vicinity, visited at F. M. Perdue's, of the Bethel neighborhood, the past two weeks.

There is Sunday school at Temple Hill every Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Everybody invited to come.

Hurrah for the association, Jennings and the Ledger, for they want to do things right.

The W. O. W. lodge of Almo meets on Saturday nights before the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Mrs. George Calhoun's mother died last week. The remains were laid to rest in the Miller grave yard.

## Graduating Exercises.

The graduating exercises of the Murray Graded School will be held at the opera house Friday night, May 8th. The public is cordially invited to attend. No admission fee charged. Following is the program:

Invocation.—Rev. H. B. Taylor. Piano Solo.—Mrs. Barber McElrath.

Essay, "The Beauties of Simplicity."—Randa Moore.

Essay, Southern Womanhood.—Fay Houston.

Violin Solo.—(By request of Class.)—William Thurman.

Essay, "Our Great Ledger Account."—Wade Miller.

Address.—A. J. G. Wells. Conferring Diplomas.—R. T. Wells.

Benediction.—Rev. M. F. Leake.

A. E. Wilson, of Hazel, was here Tuesday taking an examination preparatory to entering the ministry of the Methodist church. Mr. Wilson is one of the county's splendid young men and is well equipped intellectually for the work he expects to enter.

## TAFT MEN WIN.

Republican State Central Committee Met in the City of Louisville on Thursday.

Louisville, Ky., May 1.—The Republican State Central committee, by a vote of 8 to 1, decided the First district controversy in favor of the Taft men, upholding them at every point. The decision, which was rendered after a thorough hearing of the case, was a stinging rebuke for W. J. Deboe, the Fairbanks leader in the First district, who, by refusing to recognize the credentials of the regularly selected delegates from Graves county in the Paducah convention, sought to set aside the will of the republican voters of that district.

The committee held that Deboe's rulings in the Graves county case were contrary to party law, and that the convention which was held by the delegates holding the credentials of the majority was the regular convention.

Mr. Jesse Speight, of Mayfield, is upheld as State Central Committeeman from the First district.

J. M. Porter is the republican nominee for congress in the First.

The question of delegates to the national convention was not touched on, as that must be decided by the National committee.

Mr. Deboe was the only member of the committee who bolted for his side.

The trouble grows out of the ruling of Mr. W. J. Deboe, a Fairbanks man, who, while presiding at the First district convention is alleged to have disregarded the credentials of the regular delegation from Graves county and seated the bolting Fairbanks delegation.

The convention then split. The Taft men, who held the credentials of the majority, elected two Taft delegates to Chicago, elected Jesse Speight, of Mayfield, state central committeeman and nominated J. M. Porter for congress.

Deboe and his crowd elected two Fairbanks delegates, elected E. R. Miller state central committeeman and nominated Judge Walter Blackburn for congress.

Association Committee Meeting.

The county committee of the tobacco association met in the salesroom here last Saturday in adjourned session.

Chairman Swann was able to be present and preside at the meeting, which proved to be one of unusual interest. Twelve of the fourteen members were present.

A resolution was unanimously adopted inviting Felix G. Ewing, general manager of the association, and Joel B. Fort to be present at the next regular meeting, which occurs the fourth Monday in this month. The invitation has been forwarded to the parties and as soon as their answer is received it will be made public through the Ledger.

Other resolutions were adopted but owing to the late hour it will be impossible for us to publish them before our next regular issue.

Complaint was made that a few prizes were rebating and otherwise offering inducements to secure tobacco. The committee calls attention of each prize to their contract and unless the practices are discontinued will recommend that such contracts be forfeited.

Each committeeman is pro-

vided with pledges and is now ready to receive the names of all growers who expect to join the association. It is desired that the growers lend all assistance possible in pledging the 1908 crop. Go to the committeeman in your district and sign up. Do not delay the matter, and see that everybody gets in this year. No man should stay out. It is a big undertaking to pledge the crop and it is the duty of each grower to aid in the matter all he can. Everybody is benefitted by joining and by virtue of this reason no man should expect to be urged to pledge. It is possible the books will close this year in July and at the outside not later than August. You are urged to sign up at once. A pledge has been left at the Ledger office. If more convenient come and sign it.

## Jesus in Thibet 18 Years.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 3.—After forty years study and research the Reverend Doctor Levy Dowling, of the Church of Humanity, declares he has discovered the history of Christ from the time he was 12 years old to the time he was 30.

After confounding the elders of the temple, Jesus, according to Dowling, spent six years in Orissa, in India. After many trials he went into Nepal thence he made his way into Thibet. Next the country of the Ladaks was visited, and then another mighty journey to Persopolis, the ancient capital of Persia.

He then passed through Assyria, visited Greece, revisited Egypt, and the school in which his mother received her education at Zoan. The next objective was the Temple of Heliopolis, where he spent four or five years passing through the seven great tests. Next he went to Alexandria where he met the seven sages of the world.

## New Concord.

The crowd at the convention Saturday was very small.

Quite a number of our good people visited the family of Mr. Davis Sunday afternoon. Among the number was Mr. Howell Boggs and family, of Boatright.

Eugene Parham, of Texas, and Gordon Wilson, of Tenn., have returned home, the former on account of hard times and the latter on account of bad health.

Rev. Self, a Baptist minister, preached at Grindstone school house Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Some whooping cough and mumps in this neighborhood.

## Big Deal.

## Epworth League Meeting.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will render a special program Sunday night, which will be held instead of the regular services. The program is as follows:

Voluntary. Song.

Concert Scripture Reading.—23rd Psalm.

Prayer.—Mr. Canon.

Welcome Address.—Gaston Pool.

Solo.—Jewel Ferguson.

Talk, the League.—Pastor.

Reading.—Mrs. Hubbs.

Song.—Junior League.

The Social and Literary Relations of Epworth League.—Edgar Dunn.

Recitation, "The Danger Signal."

Quartette.

Recitation.—Cyrus Owen.

Chain of Prayer.

Song.

League Benediction.

Get the news; get the Ledger.

## KILLED BY FALL.

Woodson Williams Meets Death Near Point Pleasant, West Va.

Woodson Williams, son of County Court Clerk J. N. Williams, fell from a bridge near Point Pleasant, West Va., last Wednesday night about 10 o'clock and died the following afternoon at about 4:30 o'clock from internal injuries sustained.

Woodson was a young man about 25 years of age and was a lineman by trade. He had been employed at Jackson, Ky., until recently and had left that place and gone to Point Pleasant. In company with other young men he had gone across Kenowa river in the afternoon to the little town of Kenowa, and in returning to Point Pleasant at night boarded a freight train as there was no other means of crossing the river. The train pulled into the yards and owing to an incline was compelled to cut in two to pull the loaded train up the incline. While the rear section was left on the trestle leading to the river bridge. In the dark Williams supposed the train had reached its destination and climbed down from the top of the car and stepped off onto the trestle and was hurled to the ground a distance of 40 feet below lighting on his back. His companion narrowly missed the same fate as he was in the act of following Williams from the car. The injured man was carried to his boarding house and medical aid immediately summoned. He lingered until the following afternoon when death resulted.

Woodson left Murray less than two years ago. He had been employed here as assistant to his father and made a host of friends. He was a splendid young man and his sudden death came as a great shock to his family and many friends.

The remains were brought here Sunday morning and laid to rest in the family grave yard near Locust Grove Sunday afternoon. The body was accompanied home by Homer Williams, brother of the deceased who left here upon summons by telegraph, and Walter Coppenger, who was with Woodson when he fell from the bridge.

## Twelve Arrests in Trigg.

Cadiz, Ky., May 1.—Upon the affidavit of Walter Goodwin, warrants were issued Tuesday afternoon by County Judge Bingham for the arrest of twelve men who live in and near Center Furnace between the rivers. The men are charged with banding themselves together for the purpose of intimidating.

The warrants were placed in the hands of Sheriff Broadbent and Deputy Sheriff Davis, who left at once for Center Furnace to execute them.

Sheriff Broadbent saw Gen. Williams and his soldiers at Rock Castle yesterday, and the General offered the assistance of his men in bringing the men to Cadiz who had been arrested, but Mr. Broadbent declined the offer, stating that he and his deputies were amply able to handle them.

## HELD UNDER \$500 BOND.

Cadiz, Ky., May 4.—After an examining trial in the county court, Judge Bingham held the twelve men accused of banding together to drive negroes away from Center Furnace, under bond of \$500 each to answer to the grand jury, which meets here the third Monday in May. The accused men are James Ackley,

James Haston, Ebb Woods, Willie Sherbet, Rouse Forsythe, Henry Forsythe, Mode Eldridge, James Aldridge, John Aldridge, Ren Wood, James Oakley and Wick Meredith. All gave bond and were released.

Walter Goodwin, who swore out the warrant, was the principal witness for the prosecution. He said that about five weeks ago five of the defendants induced him to meet with them in a field at night when they discussed the whipping of Zeb Miller, a negro. A few nights later he attended another meeting when nine of the defendants were present, he said, and a long discussion was held about whipping three negroes and a white man. He said one of the men at the meeting said: "It is time for our bosses to learn their places."

The witness said the men referred to were: J. B. White and G. W. Dixon, of Center Furnace, and L. W. Laton, of the Hillman Land & Iron company.

Later, some of the men, Goodwin said, put on masks and went to the home of a farmer named Wilson and fired several shots. The other witnesses for the state told little that was material.

## Union Grove Service.

The editor of the Ledger and his family were permitted the pleasure of attending the services at Union Grove church last Sunday morning and afternoon. A most splendid crowd of representative citizens were present to hear Rev. T. M. Mathews deliver two sermons and to enjoy the hospitality of the congregation of Union Grove church. It has been our pleasure to attend a number of similar gatherings without exception or flattery we are frank to confess this was one of the happiest gatherings we ever witnessed. The song service was simply fine, and we seriously question if it can be excelled in the county. The dinner that was spread, and to which everybody was extended a cordial welcome, was a repast fit for a prince. At this particular part of the "service" is where the editor and his family acted a "leading role." The repast was elegant, it was plentiful and the invitation to all was sincere. To be with such people is a blessing, makes us more fully realize that Calloway folks are the best folks on earth. It has been in behalf of their fair names that the Ledger has attempted to stem the tide of abuse and calumny and shame charged against them by the metropolitan press throughout the country the past several weeks.

## The Oath of Membership.

Much comment and inquiry has been made regarding the oath required by the Law and Order League of Kentucky.

The following notice appeared recently in the Hopkinsville New Era, it being the usual notice for called meetings of the League:

"The Law and Order League meets this week. A full attendance is desired."

The oath of membership is as follows: "As God is my witness, I solemnly and sincerely promise and swear, without reserve or equivocation, that I accept the purposes of the league; that I pledge my best endeavors to securing these purposes; that I shall hold secret all proceedings of the league; that I shall not divulge the name of any member of the league so help me God."

Miss Oury has added a number of new and extensive features to her program this year, which makes it the best one ever given by her pupils.





# BROOKDALE BOY, 25,778 BARON BEAUTIFUL 31,930

These two well known horses will stand the present season of 1908 at our stables east of depot on the Concord road at \$10.00 for Brookdale Boy and \$15 for Baron Beautiful to insure a living colt.

We want to ask our friends to see these horses this year and know they will make the season regardless of contrary reports.

**PARAGON.**—This fine Jack will also make the 1908 season at our stable at \$10 to insure a living colt. He is known as the Walter Kelley Jack and is one of the finest Jacks in the county.

**BRADLEY & MILLS**

## Forceps, 39,468

This young stallion will make the present season at the Con Frazier place half mile south of the city limits on Paris road at \$8. This low price for this season only.

Forceps is a king of blooded stallions. His sires are the famous Cooks, while on his dams he prides himself on the Ethans, Wilkes, the Mambrinos and the Herrs.

He will be carefully handled by Mr. Frazier and his attendant who will be there from 6 o'clock a. m. till 6 o'clock p. m.

## Con Frazier & Co.

### THREE GREAT HORSES

**BRADEN GENTRY, 1906.** Paer and trotter—Sired by John R. Gentry, 220 lb., the greatest living paer. Has defeated every horse that ever raced against him. He held ten world records at one time and now holds the world record on the 1/2 mile track. He won the blue ribbon at Madison Square Garden in the show ring. Braden Gentry is out of Kate Braden, the greatest racing brood mare in Penn., and the dam of 4 with an average race record of 2:10 1/2. Braden is the image of his great sire, a deep bay, 16 hands. No horse living has a better breeding than this one. His sire and dam brought the highest price a racing horse and mare ever brought under the hammer. Fee \$25.00.

**FAVORITE COOK 39073 A. T. R. Trial (3 years) 2:24.** Son of the Famous Capt. Cook 8083 and Lola Egottist (3) 2:27. He is a beautiful chestnut, nearly 16 hands high, and the best breeder in West Kentucky. He is a high acting trotter and all his colts go just like him. He won the Championship at The Paducah Horse Show class, "Best registered stallion of any kind shown with two of his get in West Kentucky, Tennessee and Southern Illinois." Also won in ring with two of his colts in class, "Best harness stallion in West Kentucky, Tennessee and Southern Illinois." Fee \$15.

**MASON'S HAMLET 2588.** The only Saddle Horse Registered in the American Saddle-Horse Breeders Association in the county. Sired by the great Artist Jr., 312, and out of Black Nellie 3196, by Star Denmark 252. He is 16 hands high and goes all the gaits. He is a show horse and won a ribbon in the Paducah Horse Show in class, "Best registered 5-gated Saddle Stallion in West Kentucky, Tennessee and Southern Illinois." He hasn't a superior in the state. Fee \$15.

Write for pedigree and description of these horses.

**WILL MASON, MURRAY, KY.**

### AZUR 2749

This fine horse will make the season of 1908 at the stable of W. H. Purdon, Murray, Ky., at \$15 to insure a living colt.

**AZUR is a GERMAN COACH.** Register No. 2749; bay, 6 years old, about 16 hands high, and well made. Was sired by Ruthtord 1255, he by Rubico 952, he by Norman 710. Dam Azore 9604, by Benno 1314, by Bernhard 1200, etc.

**W. H. PURDON,**  
Manager.

## JOHNSON AT SHILOH

MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE MAKES  
NOTABLE ADDRESS.

### QUESTION OF STATE RIGHTS

Does Not Approve of Commonwealth  
Being Made Subservient to In-  
terior Federal Courts—Would  
Uphold Constitution.

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota delivered at the dedication of the Minnesota monument on Shiloh battlefield, April 19, an address that will rank as one of the ablest public addresses of recent times. Spoken on a battlefield that may be taken as the symbol of the great war for the union, the governor took occasion to tell of the peril that threatens our federal form of government. This peril was emphasized by the recent decision of the supreme court in the railway cases going up from Minnesota and North Carolina, which practically makes the state governments subservient to the interior federal courts. The significance of these decisions is widely understood, and they have given rise to a general discussion of the question of the rights of the states and the federal government. Gov. Johnson's speech will rank as an important contribution to that discussion. The dedication address in part follows:

Representing the people of the commonwealth of Minnesota, we are assembled on one of the historic battlefields of the civil war to pay our tribute of respect and affection to the memory of the sons of Minnesota who here yielded up their lives that this might continue to be a united nation. Their sacrifice was not for personal gain, but was in response to duty, and a contribution to the civilization of the age, and for the purpose of perpetuating the institution of human liberty.

I appreciate that nothing which I can say will add to or detract from the glory of their achievement, which in itself is an enduring monument to the patriotism and heroism of the American soldier. Their sacrifice, however, was not different from that which has been made throughout all the ages by those lovers of liberty who believe in a government which might give to all the people the right to life, liberty and property. The love of liberty was not born in this country of ours; it was cradled along the Danube and about the shores of the Baltic, even when Rome had reached the limit of her imperial grandeur. Increasing in intensity with the passing of the centuries, it found its highest expression in the older countries of the great English charter of civil rights, which forever guaranteed to the people of that land immunity from the despotism of those who claimed to rule by virtue of Divine right.

One hundred and thirty-two years ago the great contest of humanity was transferred from the old world to the new, and here, because of the isolation of this country, because of the high character of the men who engaged in the cause of liberty, and because of the signal victory achieved by them in that struggle, an opportunity was afforded to crystallize into written law the aspirations of the people of the United States were the same who had picked the foundations of this government were those who had submitted to the supreme test of patriotism, for those who inspired the constitution of the United States were the same who had picked the foundations of this government were those who had submitted to the supreme test of patriotism.

While the primary object of a written constitution is to place the powers of government in the hands of the people, and to limit government departments, the overwhelming necessity for such an instrument is to prevent insidious encroachments upon the rights of the individual citizen, both from those in office and from those who by reason of their wealth and power have an influence far greater than that possessed by the average citizen. And so the constitution of the United States was regarded by its framers as an instrument of the most sacred import, an alteration of which could only be made by the people themselves in whom all ultimate power is vested, and then only after the fullest discussion and widest publicity.

Under the beneficent government so established the nation has prospered and the people are happy. One great cloud came upon the nation in the form of an armed civil war, in which two sections of the country were in conflict with each other. The heroes who rest here gave their lives that this nation might be maintained as it came from our forefathers. On another battlefield of that war, Abraham Lincoln said: "It is for us, the living, rather, to be dedicated to the unfinished work they have thus far so nobly carried on. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us; that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they here gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain; that the nation shall, under God, have a new birth of freedom, and that the government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

Our concern is not of the past, nor of the future, but of the present. The republic is in the hands of the American of today, then it becomes to be guided and governed only by patriotic impulse and the desire to do that which will most largely contribute to the permanency of republican institutions. Advancing our civilization on the false claims of selfish interests, and forgetting the American maxim that our object should be to attain the greatest good for the greatest number, incur the penalty which other people have paid, rather let us hold ever in mind that those who failed our government believed in the equality of the people and that the chief aim of government is to maintain that equality.

Under our system of government the nation has reached a material development hitherto unknown. The people have prospered beyond the dreams of those who lived a century ago. But with the development of the country and changes in economic conditions, and particularly with the growth of great private corporations, performing many of the functions of government, has come the necessity for the exercise of strict governmental control, and a rigid enforcement of all the laws enacted to restrain the rich and powerful from encroaching upon the rights and legal rights of the poor and weak.

The constitution of the ancient republic of Rome, which for 500 years had recognized the voice of the people as supreme, was expanded by executive interpretation and contracted by executive administration, until Rome had so completely outgrown its democratic conditions as to become only a tragedy and a tradition. Let us improve the best of Rome on high to preserve us from the errors which ruined Rome, by the avoidance of which America may travel on to that destiny and realize that fulfillment which will be the result of the right-thinking men of all ages yet to come.

Our government is divided into three separate and distinct coordinate branches: the legislative, the executive and the judicial. Danger will surely come to this republic when the legislative and executive branches attempt in the slightest degree to usurp the functions of the other. And while now and then it may be that a court of the land, in construing the constitution, will nullify a section of it, I have the faith to feel that the people of the country will rise above the fallibility of judicial tribunals and assert and preserve their own rights. Our duty is not to criticize the executive or the judiciary, or the judiciary, but to preserve the functions of the other.

Very recently there has come from the highest judicial tribunal in the land a decision of vital interest and concern to the American people, which is the result of a radical change in our governmental system and would inaugurate a new era in the American judicial system and in the relation of the national and state governments. It would enable the subordinate federal courts to supervise and control the official action of the states as though they were dependencies or provinces. It would place the states of the union in a condition of inferiority never dreamed of when the constitution was adopted or when the eleventh amendment was made a part of the supreme law of the land.

If, then, our whole system of government is changed, have we not only retarded the progress of the republic, but have we not come back a century toward a centralized form of government, which is not to the advantage of the people? What this government needs is not more power. What it needs today is to so distribute the privileges under the government that all citizens will have the opportunity. America has been called the land of opportunity. But American opportunity should not mean a granting of special privileges to any class, but should afford all alike the means for culture, education, prosperity and contentment.

For nearly a century and a half America has presented to the world the spectacle of a happy, prosperous and intelligent people, maintaining a government by a close and intimate relationship to the people. Throughout the world, wherever democracy is advancing, its progress is marked by a greater measure of self-government to each community. Will the American people turn to the setting rather than the rising sun? Shall we now, because some laws are found to come by a close and intimate relationship to the people, commence to deprive our sovereign states of that measure of home rule which until now they have seen fit to reserve to themselves? I cannot believe it. Upon the contrary I believe that the limitations upon state and federal governments, the nice balancing of the powers of each, and of the different departments in each, which have been so effective in the past, will be maintained in their full vigor in the future.

Therefore, discharging all of our responsibilities as citizens of a country, refusing to surrender our rights of citizenship in any degree, let us now, as we have done in the past, stand with this and other American battlefields may not be simply a tradition, and the national wisdom of our forefathers a mere legend, but that through us, each and every one of us, we may reach the full destiny in the permanent establishment of a perfect republic, which shall be not for today nor for tomorrow, but forever, and be as eternal as that it will be for all of the people, and that their government shall not perish.

## WHEN WEALTH GETTING BECOMES A CRIME.

Personally I would rather be able to write a book that would give a hundred years than be able to amass wealth that would enable those who inherit it to live for generations in luxury, and yet the amassing of wealth may be of vast industrial service to the country and to those who seek honest work and wages.

But wealth-getting becomes a crime when the man obtains it by the sale of all his finer instincts, by the sacrifice of his character, by the violation of the nation's laws and by the passing upon the rights of others to the pursuit of liberty and happiness. It is this spirit and not the thing which determines the nobility of a career and the degree of success.

The highest victories may be what the world calls failures.

—GOV. JOHN A. JOHNSON.

### THINGS LOOK DIFFERENT.

Washington Begins to See the Probability of Gov. Johnson's Nomination.

Washington, D. C.—Well informed political observers who survey the country from Washington have noted a wonderful change in the campaign for the Democratic nomination at Denver within the last week. No very long ago it was taken for granted that Col. Bryan would be nominated with practically no opposition—to-day it is a question whether he will be nominated at all. Gov. Johnson of Minnesota has boomed up as the man between whom and Col. Bryan the convention at Denver will have to choose. Gray of Delaware, Olney of Massachusetts, and Harrison of Ohio, are no longer considered in the running. Indeed, the suddenness in which the Minnesota man has come to the front is almost dramatic.

Reports pouring into Washington from all parts of the country indicate that the Johnson men have made wonderful progress, largely without noise or publicity, in sections of the country where they were not supposed to be at work at all. As the situation stands today, practically all of the New England, all of the eastern states, and a large portion of the southern states will send Johnson, or what is the same thing, Johnson, to the convention at Denver. Friends of Col. Bryan were some what perturbed over reports drifting into Washington regarding such states as Utah, Colorado, Oregon, Montana, Washington, Michigan, and Kentucky. Reports are also coming in that a tremendous Johnson sentiment is appearing in Missouri, and a large number of uncommitted, or Johnson, delegates being sent up to the Illinois state convention, revealing an unexpected Johnson strength underneath the surface. All political observers in Washington are agreed that there will be a lively contest for the nomination at Denver.

It is even claimed that two thirds of the delegates to the convention will be unpledged, and such Democrats as Representative John Sharp Williams, Bourke Cockran, Senator Culberson and Senator Danahy, declare that the Denver convention will be a deliberative body, which, before it nominates, will consider the qualifications of the aspirants and their prospects of winning.

There is a feeling here that Johnson as a poor boy and a self-made man—with a romantic and even tragic life history, coming from an early life as obscure and painful as Lincoln's, and a rise to state power and national fame—would make a candidate of such respect-commanding, vote-getting power that under his leadership the Democracy would have a splendid chance of winning.

### A GREAT DEMOCRATIC GOVERNOR

Is the title of an exceptionally interesting and concise study of Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota in The World's Work for April. Mr. Winthrop D. Chamberlain, the author, sums up somewhat as follows: "Gov. Johnson has often been compared with Lincoln, whom he resembles in physical make-up as well as in the success with which he has overcome unfavorable circumstances, and has embraced opportunity as it arose. But his political career thus far recalls rather that of Grover Cleveland up to the time of his triumphant election as governor of New York. Like Cleveland, he was the instrument used by the people of a great state to rebuke political corruption. Like Cleveland, he has proved that the popular reliance upon him was well founded. But he possesses some characteristics valuable in a public man that Cleveland lacked, such as geniality, approachability, readiness as a speaker. He has the courage of Hughes tempered by the tact of Taft. He is as convinced of the supreme necessity of law enforcement as Roosevelt, but impulsive denunciation of those who do not agree with him would be quite foreign to his character. It is the charm of his personality that makes a friend of every man who comes within the radius of his influence. Often radical in utterance, he is usually conservative in action. Conservative statesmanship has never as yet shown in greater measure, yet he is sensitive to the thoughts of the masses and knows how to give it effective expression."

How's This?

Do you own a Ridgley? If so, have him castrated by Robt. F. Fisher, M. D. C., who is an expert Cryptorchid castrator and cattle spayer. For terms address Farley & Fisher, Veterinarians, Hospital 429 S. 3rd St. Paducah, Ky. Prompt attention given long distance calls. Both phones.

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Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the greatest medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, one-sided catarrh of the bladder and Bright's disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

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This fine Imported German Coach Stallion will stand the season of 1908 at Hardin, Ky., at the low price of \$20. He is one of the greatest horses ever brought to this state and every farmer should see him before breeding.

L. S. SHELTON,  
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Simmons McDonald.

Will stand the season of 1908 at Murray at the low price of \$15. He is a son of the greatest saddle horse of the world, Rex McDonald; he by Rex Denmark.

Simmons McDonald is four years old, dark chestnut, 16 hands high and one of the finest style and handiest horses ever brought to Western Kentucky. See him and be convinced of his great worth. E. H. HALEY.

Harry Hill.

This combined harness and saddle horse will make the present season at my barn just south of the city limits on Paris road, at \$8.00.

Harry Hill is a handsome blood-colored bay, 16 1/2 hands high. First sire Peacock, Jr.; second sire Peacock, Sr.; by Blue Jeans, by Phillip Blackhorse, by General Taylor, thoroughbred. First dam Rosa, second dam by LeGrade, third dam Peter's Halcon, fourth dam Thoroughbred—E. L. P. ALEXANDER, Owner and keeper, Murray, Ky.

F. T. ROGERS Stock.

It affords me pleasure to own the fastest racing horse in Calhoun county Ky. Dan will make the season of 1908 at my stable 6 miles east of Murray near Elm Grove church at \$5.00 cash or \$8.00 to insure a living colt. All parties are taken care of and horses fed free of charge. —F. T. ROGERS & Co., Owners.

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## The Murray Lodger

O. J. JENNINGS, Editor and Owner.  
Published at the postoffice at Murray, Ky., as second-class matter, March 1, 1908, under postoffice number 100,000.

Our critic, County Judge Wells, delivers himself through the Calloway Times this week of a second rather lengthy criticism. Same will have due and respectful consideration in the next issue of the Ledger. Rush of work made it impossible for us to give the matter attention since the article was issued.

Gov. Willson is hard at work studying the records of the Powers and Howard cases and a decision on the applications for pardons is expected today or Friday. Rumor has it that the Governor will give both men their freedom.

The Paducah News Democrat reached us Tuesday morning "brim full" of local and general news. It was bigger and better than ever, and now that it has entered the morning field will be the first source of general information for a large territory, embracing Western Kentucky and Tennessee and Southern Illinois. The News Democrat is the leading newspaper publication of this territory and as a morning paper will spring into popular favor throughout this section. We wish it the success it so richly deserves.

"As a result of the fight between the Independent system and the East Tennessee Telephone company at Murray, Ky., in order to get even with local grocers who ordered its phones out, the East Tennessee company has arranged for the free use of its lines between Murray and Paducah, in the morning, agreeing to pay expressage and deliver

groceries ordered from Paducah to Murray patrons."

The above news item comes from Paducah. It is more evidence of the great love a trust has for the town and people. This combine will give you a club to beat your home merchant over the head till you kill him and then takes the same club to beat you over the head. Verily, the love of the trust for the people is astonishing.

An enemy to the Dark Tobacco Association is an enemy to high prices. Those who complain at it on account of its managers making some money out of it, certainly forget that the cost for selling was just as great when the farmer sold it at \$2.50 to \$5.00. Let the farmer get good prices. Mayfield Messenger.

The fellows who are doing the kicking are not the folks who growing the tobacco and selling it at living prices through the association. Spot the individual who howls and you will soon find out that he receives so much per for circulating his poison.

### OTHER OPINIONS.

The county judge of Calloway county has out a circular half the size of the Gazette attacking the editor of the Murray Ledger and charging that the editor is a friend of the night riders and is upholding lawlessness. With all due respect to Judge Wells we submit that the editor of a county newspaper is usually the representative of the sane element in the community. Politicians sometimes get excited and try to inflame the public mind, but as a rule an editor stands for conservatism and is tender of the reputation of the community in which he lives. He hesitates to advertise it as a hot bed of lawlessness when he knows very well that people

abroad are eagerly reading and magnifying every word that goes out from Kentucky derogatory to her fair name and fame. Clinton Gazette.

It is now up to Judge Wells to show that a trying situation developed a man to cope with it, or to give way gracefully to the belief of many that he has taken advantage of conditions to make a few plays to the grand stand. The violence that has occurred in Calloway county during the past few weeks has been of sufficient importance to attract the attention of a great many persons in the State and a great many on the outside to Calloway county. But whether or not it has been grave enough to cause the turmoil which has followed the soldiers into Murray, is a question we would like to have answered. —Tobacco Planter.

Judge Wells, who has been so active in indicting the night riders in Calloway county, is to be rewarded for his vigilance. His law firm has been engaged to assist in the prosecution of the men under indictment for night riding. —Hopkinsville Independent.

Valued Same as Gold.

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar Nipw, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, of afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store, 25c.

One Week Special Term.

Judge T. P. Cook has entered an order calling a special term of the Calloway circuit court for one week preceding the regular August term. This was made necessary owing to the large number of cases set for hearing at this term.

## MUST BELIEVE IT

When Well-Known Murray People Tell It So Plainly.

When public endorsement is made by a representative citizen of Murray the proof is positive. You must believe it. Read this testimony. Every backache sufferer, every man, woman or child with any kidney trouble will find profit in the reading.

W. R. Broach, living in Murray, Ky., says: "I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store for my wife and she used them according to directions. She had a dull pain in her back, and was greatly distressed at night on account of an aching across the kidney regions. She was easily tired, and nervous, had dizzy spells and also suffered from a blurring of the eyesight. The kidneys did not act as they ought, and the secretions showed a disordered condition. She used Doan's Kidney Pills and as previously stated, there has been a great improvement in her condition. I am pleased to recommend this remedy to other sufferers of kidney complaint."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Relief from Rheumatic Pains.

Among the troubles that beset mankind rheumatism is one of the most aggravating. "I suffered with it for over two years," says Mr. Ro land Curry, a partner of Ker West, Fla. "Sometimes it settled in my knees and I could hardly walk, at other times it would be in my feet and hands so I was incapacitated for duty one night when I was in severe pain and lame from it my wife went to the drug store here and came back with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I was rubbed with it and found the pain had nearly gone during the night. I kept on using it for a little more than two weeks and found that it drove the rheumatism away. I have not had any trouble from that disease for over three months." For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Take Notice.

To all telephone companies connecting with the Murray Telephone Co. exchange desiring service over the Linn Grove Independent Telephone Co., or the Planters Telephone Co.'s system will please see the below named parties for a contract for said service by the 15th of May 1908.

A. H. WALDROP, Pres. Linn Grove Tel. Co.  
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There is a Pink Pain Tablet made by Dr. Shoop, that will positively stop any pain, anywhere, in 20 minutes. Druggists everywhere sell them as Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets, but they stop other pains as easily as headache. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets simply coax blood pressure away from pain centers—that is all. Pain comes from blood pressure—congestion. Stop that pressure with Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets and pain is instantly gone. 20 Tablets 25c. Sold by H. D. Thornton.

Suspected as Bank Robbers.

Paducah, Ky. May 4.—Will Husbands and Sam Evitts, widely known young men of Paducah, were arrested last night on the charge of being implicated in the Bandana Bank robbery. They were indicted along with John Bulger, who is in jail, by the Ballard county grand jury. Husbands gave bond in the sum of \$1,500 and Evitts went to jail. Sam Evitts, at the time of the robbery, was night operator at the telephone exchange at Bandana.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. White acre, Buffalo, N. Y.

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This is the only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar.

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There are Alum and Phosphate of Lime mixtures sold at a lower price, but no household regarding the health of her family can afford to use them.

Precinct Committee Elected.

The republicans of Calloway county met at their various voting places last Saturday to elect precinct committeemen for the ensuing year. At this time it is not possible to obtain only a partial list of those elected, which follows:

West Murray, C. H. Redden; East Murray, Chester Clark, colored; South Brinkley, Mr. Vance; North Swann, Frank Benjamin; North Liberty, W. T. Walker; Almo, Monroe Thomas; Hazel, contest resulted; Fair no election.

The fight in East Murray and the election of Chester Clark, colored, has caused considerable comment and much indignation among the republicans. The Taft faction, championed by J. M. Cole, T. W. Patterson, and others, fought the nomination of Clark but the Fairbanks crowd refused to yield. It is charged, however, by Dave Redden, Joe Boice and others, representing the Fairbanks faction, that they offered to withdraw Clark's name upon condition that the name of J. M. Cole, who was presented by the Taft wing for committeeman, be withdrawn, and agreed to the election of Dr. Will Mason. The Fairbanks crowd declare that this proposal was rejected and the election of Clark resulted.

It is said that a contest will result from East Murray but upon what grounds is not thoroughly known at this time.

To mildly express the feeling displayed by a goodly number of republicans there is a "nigger in the wood pile," and who is responsible seems to be debatable.

Prominent Graves Co. Man Dies.

Wesley Brown, one of the best known citizens of the south part of Graves county, died at his home at Boydsville last Friday afternoon.

He had been ill for about three weeks, having first been seized with a case of grippe, followed by the measles. He had about recovered from both when he took a relapse, and survived only a short time.

The funeral took place at the Brown grave yard, a mile east of Boydsville, before a large gathering of friends.

Mr. Brown leaves a second wife and nine children. Three of the oldest boys reside in California, and are Bert, Aubrey and Jesse. One daughter lives at Nashville, and is the wife of Mr. Biles; a young daughter, Miss Beulah, is in Memphis, and the four remaining children, Ruth, Wesley, Murrel and Blalock, live at Boydsville.

Mr. Brown was about 53 years of age, and had lived in that part of the county all his life. He was a tobacco dealer, having been engaged in the business at that place for many years. He has also followed farming extensively, and was successful at both.

B. H. Smith's Pain Balm and give the absolute rest, and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

The Marshall county democrats have called a primary election, to be held Nov. 3, 1908, and in this they allow all legal voters who will be twenty-one years of age at the November election, 1908, eligible to vote.

# BUGGIES.

FOR EVERY BODY.

I have just received **FIVE CAR LOADS** of buggies. I have any style from an ordinary plain stick seat to the very latest Automobile seats on the market.

**NOW LISTEN!** I do not handle anything but good, standard brands; guaranteed buggies. I sold **NINE** car loads last season and if you people who want to buy buggies will only give a chance to sell you I will sell **12** cars this season. I have the right buggies at the right prices to do it with, if you will only give me a chance.

I have a big car of the best combination lever and foot guide Disk Cultivators that were ever drove into a field. Also a car of Osbron Disk Harrows, car of Mowers and Rakes, Milburn Wagons, Vulcan Plows, Campbell and Farmers Friend Corn Drills, Collars, Leather Goods and Hand-made harness for everybody. Will absolutely save you money on good stuff, for I am in the right size town to make the price. Thanking you for past favor I am

Yours very truly,

J. W. DENHAM, Hazel, Ky

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Will make the season of 1909 at \$10:

Will be at Pardon's barn, East of railroad, from 7 to 8 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m. every day except Sunday.

EBERLEE is standard bred and trained, and combines in his pedigree the same strains produced Maud S., Nancy Hanks, Patronage, sire of the champion of her day, Alis 2:1. Pedigree, now at the residence of Senator Bailey's farm at Lexington and stands at a price of \$100. Also the great Ponce De Leon, first prize winner at New York Horse Show, and sire one-year-old colts at \$11,500 and while offered for sale at \$200.

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G. M. DOWDY, Veterinarian.







The effect of malaria lasts a long time. You catch cold easily or become run-down because of the after effects of malaria. Strengthen yourself with **Scott's Emulsion**. It builds new blood and tones up your nervous system.

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**Notice**  
to Farmers. You can save \$10 to \$25 on each acre of tobacco by using the tobacco spray, sold by G. E. Curd at Dexter, Ky. See his ad. in this paper.

**A Californian's Luck.**  
"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Buckner's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.  
There is probably no medicine made that is relied upon with more implicit confidence than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. During the third of a century in which it has been in use, people have learned that it is the one remedy that never fails. When reduced with water, and sweetened it is pleasant to take. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

If you want some large beautiful fowls and some that cannot be beaten for eggs get a setting of Buff Rock eggs of G. C. MILLER, Harris Grove, Ky. St.

**Step Gambling**  
If you suffer from Rheumatism or pains, for Ballard's Snow Liniment will bring quick relief. It is a sure cure for Sprains, Rheumatism, Contracted Muscles and all pains—and within the reach of all. Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00. C. R. Smith, Tenaha, Tex., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for years and have found it a fine remedy for all pains and aches. I recommend it for pains in the chest." Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton & Co.

**HAD THE BUSINESS INSTINCT**  
Seemingly Unanswerable Argument Put Forward by Mose to Well-Meaning Critic.

Mr. Carmack, until recently senator from Tennessee, enjoys telling the story of a darky in that state, who, in a way, is something of a philosopher.

Some one was saying to Mose one day: "You're always in trouble, Mose. Why can't you try to be better? You're a likely sort of darky, and you could get along very well if only you'd behave yourself—keep a steady job, instead of drinking, and whisky and getting yourself behind the bars half the time."

"Excuse me, boss," said Mose, with a grin, "but it looks to me like I makes more money this way. When I works hard I gets seven dollars a month and my board. When I gets arrested the judge he says to me that it will be ten dollars or 30 days. How kin I afford to work for seven dollars a month when I'm worth three dollars more in de lock-up?"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

**It Reached The Spot.**

Mr. F. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

**A NICE PLACE.**

Comines, a little town in France, must be a nice, humane place. A custom house officer found a wretched cur in a railway van and threw it into the furnace of the engine. The S. P. C. A. prosecuted the man, but French law only punishes a man who is cruel to his own dog. The municipal council of Comines has now congratulated the custom house officer for his courage in tackling the dog, and petitioned the French prime minister to give him some reward. Nice, humane place, Comines!—Sporting Times.

**Cheerfully Recommended for Rheumatism.**

O. G. Higbee, Danville, Ill., writes, Dec. 2, 1901: "About two years ago I was laid up for four months with rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like affliction. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton & Co.

**A Woman's Back**

Has many aches and pains caused by weakness and falling, or other displacement of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary spots, dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable discharges from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy that will give quicker relief or a more permanent cure than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It has a record of over forty years of cures. It is the most potent, invigorating tonic and blood-purifying medicine known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extract of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a drop of alcohol or harmful or habit-forming drugs. Its ingredients are all printed on the bottle wrapper and attested under oath as correct.

Every ingredient entering into "Favorite Prescription" has the written endorsement of the most eminent medical writers of the several schools of practice—more valuable than any amount of non-professional testimonials—though the latter are not lacking, having been contributed voluntarily by grateful patients in numbers to exceed the endorsements given to any other medicine extant for the cure of woman's ills.

You cannot afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for this well-proven remedy or known counterfeits, even though the latter may make a little more profit thereby. Your interest in retaining health is paramount; any selfish interest of his and it is an insult to your intelligence for him to try to palm off upon you a substitute. You know what you want and it is his business to supply the article called for.

**IN THE CHILD'S MIND.**

Of 48 children, says Dr. Stanley Hall, 20 believed the sun, moon and stars to live, 16 thought flowers could feel and 15 that dolls would feel pain if hurt. The sky was found the chief field in which the children exercised their philosophic minds. About three-quarters of them thought the world a plain with the sky like a bowl turned over it, sometimes believing that it was of such one texture that one could easily break through, though so large that much foot-sweeping was necessary in heaven. The sun may enter the ground when it sets, but half the children thought that at night it rolls or flies away, or is blown, or walks, or God pulls it higher up out of sight, taking it up into heaven, according to some, putting it to bed, and even taking off its clothes and putting them on again in the morning, or again, it is believed to lie under the trees at night and the angels mind it.

**Good Words for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.**

People everywhere take pleasure in testifying to the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. Edward Phillips of Barclay, Md., writes: "I wish to tell you that I can recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My little girl, Catherine, has been taking this remedy whenever she has had a cold since she was two months old. About a month ago I contracted a dreadful cold myself, but I took Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was soon as well as ever. This remedy is for sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

**If You Don't**

succeed the first time use Herbine and you will get instant relief. The greatest liver regulator. A positive cure for Constipation, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Chills and all liver complaints. Mr. C. of Emory Texas writes: "My wife has been using Herbine for herself and children for five years. It is a sure cure for constipation and malaric fever, which is substantiated by what it has done for my family." Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton & Co.

**Homestead Fertilizer for sale**

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Recommended by the State Agricultural Department. Many in use in Calhoun-way County.



For distributing Paris Green, Dry Bordeaux mixture, etc. In general use over ten years. Many thousands sold. The length of the dusters are such that the poison is kept at a safe distance from the operator. Not liable to get out of order and will last for many years.

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"NUBLACK"  
Loaded Black Powder Shells  
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"They have got the 'down with women' sentiment pat at my boarding house," said a business woman. "If it is a woman, the talking waiter yells down the dumbwaiter, 'Bacon and eggs for a lady.' Up comes one egg, one roll, and piece of bacon as big as a postage stamp. If it is a man, he calls down, 'One breakfast.' Up comes two eggs, two generous slices of bacon, two rolls, and if there is meat besides, a piece of meat. But we girls all just went on a strike the other morning when we found before our plates, saucers containing just three wizened prunes, and before each man's plate a saucer with four prunes. I think it is discriminating pretty close when they give a man one more prune than they give a woman, don't you?"

**GOOSE SENTRIES.**

"Silly goose" is an expression which should be used by the extremely ignorant alone. No bird of my acquaintance," says J. Cyril Crowley, "requires more patience to shoot with gun or camera, especially the latter. When feeding you will find flocks varying in size on open ground, and nearly always on such ground that a stalk is impossible. On the outskirts of these flocks are sentries with heads erect, eyes and ears alert, the slightest sound or movement and you are detected—way county, it matters not where you are. Come and I will sign you to the best of some of them, then you will compare the colts with others, and you and bo other horses claimed."

**Not Without Experience.**

Aunt Belinda had always proved most obliging in filling in with a day's work any vacancy in the household of Mrs. V. But on one occasion when her services were required she did not respond. Mrs. V. herself went to inquire into the cause of her defection. "Yes, ma'am, and Aunt Belinda, cheerfully, 'I ain't doin' no work at present. De 'Sainted Charities done start a coal-o'-noup fund at de corner, an' none of de ladies in our alley had to work dis winter.'"—Lippincott's Magazine.

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# PE-RU-NA AS A TONIC AND BLOOD PURIFIER

Mrs. Paul Casavant Writes From 219 Monroe Street, Topeka, Kansas, Concerning Peruna. Read Her Letter Below:

In Spring and Early Summer a Tonic is Needed.

Mrs. Emily Kellogg, 5619 S. Lawrence St., South Tacoma, Wash., Gives Her Experience With Peruna. Read Her Letter Below:



MRS. PAUL CASAVANT

Mrs. Paul Casavant, 219 Monroe street, Topeka, Kansas, writes:  
"I have found Peruna very effective in restoring my health and strength after I had been worn out and run down for a long time. I began to use it about six months ago when I was unable to leave my bed. My nervous system was shattered and I was daily losing flesh and strength. This condition was completely altered after a few bottles of Peruna had been used and I kept on using it until I was finally restored to perfect health and had gained about fifteen pounds.  
"I feel so grateful for what your medicine has done for me that I am pleased to give it my hearty endorsement and shall always be glad to speak a good word for it."

## Tones up the System.

Mrs. William Melkowitz, Waverly, Minn., writes:  
"I am perfectly well of the catarrh. I took Peruna and Manalin. I recommend your medicine to every one and cannot praise it enough. It is a fine medicine to take any season of the year. Taken in the spring it tones up the system and acts as a gentle stimulant."

## A Good Tonic.

Mr. Joe Leonard, Flat 3, 232 Allen St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes:  
"I have good reason to endorse Peruna as I have found it a good tonic, stimulating the system and sustaining it under great pressure, imparting unusual endurance and enabling me to work much longer and harder than the system could possibly do were it not for the great powers with which it endowed me. It gives one nerves of iron."



MR. CALEB H. BORTELL

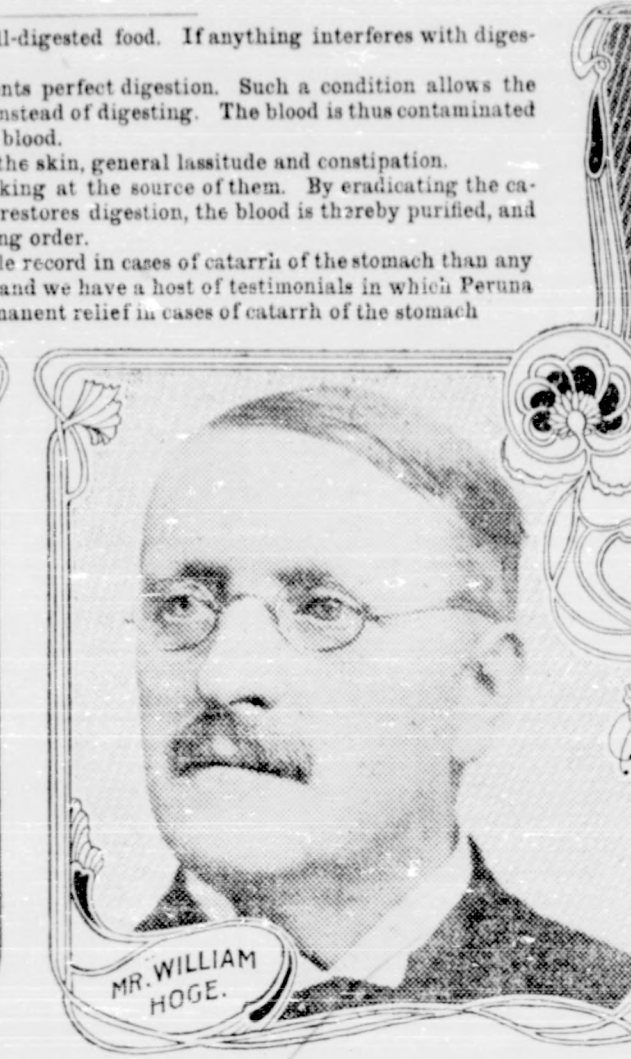
Mr. Caleb H. Bortell, Police Officer, 212 North Park street, Baltimore, Md., writes:  
"For several years I was troubled with catarrh of the head, throat and stomach. Many times I would vomit before and after eating.  
"I took seven bottles of your Peruna, and I am glad to say that it has cured me.  
"I feel more like living and working, and am not bothered at all with my old troubles.  
"I take great pleasure in recommending Peruna to all sufferers with catarrh, and I thank you for what you have done for me, for none but those who have suffered as I have can appreciate a great cure as I have found Peruna to be."

## Splendid for La Grippe.

Mr. Frank H. Fielder, 213 Leasant Ave., Montgomery, Ala., formerly principal of Haynesville High School, writes:  
"I can truthfully say that Peruna is a splendid remedy for La Grippe, and a good tonic for building up the system."

## Pain in Chest.

Mrs. A. W. Gustin, 229 Lake Ave., St. Joseph, Mo., writes: "When I began taking Peruna I had quite a severe pain and ache in the left of my chest. I suffered a great deal with it.  
"I wrote to Dr. Hartman and asked him what I should do. He advised me



MR. WILLIAM HOGE

Mr. William Hoge, President Commercial Travelers Association, 280 Broadway, New York, N. Y., writes:  
"I endorse Peruna as the most effective remedy for catarrh I have been able to find in my travels in this country or Europe. I can truly say that I have spent thousands of dollars in this country alone trying to find a cure, and it was not until I was induced to give Peruna a trial that I obtained any relief like a permanent relief. As a tonic it is simply great. It ought to be in the grip of every commercial traveler on the road. It cured my wife as well as myself. We have not had the slightest symptom of catarrh for a long time."  
"In a later letter Mr. Hoge says: "I have used Peruna for many years, never without a bottle in my grip. I am the youngest feeling and youngest looking man of my age in New York, which I think is entirely due to Peruna."

taking Peruna, which I did. I took three bottles, and I can say I am cured. "Thanks for kind advice and Peruna."

## Hay Fever and Catarrh.

Miss Mayme E. Smith, 44 East Mount St., Columbus, Ohio, writes:  
"I have used Peruna for catarrh and hay fever. The results being remark-



MRS. EMILY KELLOGG

Mrs. Emily Kellogg, 5619 S. Lawrence St., Tacoma, Wash., member of Ladies of the Maccabees, writes:  
"Three months ago I had an attack of biliousness which threatened to undermine my health and strength. Luckily for me, I tried Peruna at the suggestion of my friends before it was too late. I found in a few days' time that I did not have the usual sick headache, neither did food nauseate me any longer. In two weeks' time Peruna had completely rid my system of the poison and bile, and I was in a much better condition. My skin assumed its normal color, I had a splendid appetite and I was in every way improved in health. I used Peruna for a month longer and it wrought a wonderful change in my entire system."

with my eyes being red and watery, and my general health was very poor.  
"Finally a friend advised me to try Peruna. I had tried almost everything else, so I purchased a bottle of Peruna and commenced to take it at once, and before I had finished the first bottle I found I was improving.  
"I wrote you for special advice concerning my eyes, which I received. I continued to take the Peruna until I had used six bottles.  
"Now my eyes are absolutely well, and I feel like a new man in every way.  
"I honestly advise any one similarly afflicted to try Peruna."

## Peruna Tablets.

Some people prefer to take tablets, rather than to take medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet is equivalent to one average dose of Peruna.

## Doings of State Guards.

There has been considerable activity in military circles here the past week. The number of men on duty here now varies almost daily. New squads arrive

while others leave. Major Bassett and Lieuts. Wilbur and Bach left Monday via Paducah with 17 privates for Rock Castle, Trigg county to establish camp. A detachment of about 20 privates and officers arrived here Sunday.

The company is from Owensboro. Capt. Givens, in command of the Middlesboro company, reached here overland from Hopkinsville Wednesday with a small detail of men and a number of

horses. The horses will be used to convey a number of men from here to Hopkinsville. Company C, about 30 men, from Owensboro, has pitched camp in the old Moore tan yard lot in South Murray and will remain here indefinitely.

## Examinations.

Examination for common school diploma will be held at Supt. Langston's office May 8th and 9th.

Examination for white teachers will be held May 15th and 16th at the Murray school building. Will begin at 8:30 o'clock. All applicants must be on time and 18 years old.

There are four examinations each year 3rd Friday and Saturday in May, June, July and August. The teacher's institute will be held the week of July 6th. Prof. T. J. Coats will be the conductor.

## Jerry Reasor in Trouble.

Jerry Reasor, the well known meat man, and former Linn Grocer merchant, is in trouble at Mayfield, charged with selling liquor. The Monitor of the 5th says:

"Only three of the cases against Jerry Reasor, charged with selling liquor, were tried in the city court Monday. The first case resulted in a hung jury, the second in a fine of \$60 and costs, and the third in a hung jury.

The remaining dozen or more cases were adjourned until next Monday."



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