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## FATAL SHOOTING IN LYON LAST WEEK.

Axon Cooper, Cousin Of Milton Oliver, Dies of Wounds Received.

Kuttawa, Ky., Aug. 1.—Another witness against the Caldwell-Lyon-Trigg night riders, under indictment in Christian county, has been put out of the way with bullets. Axon Cooper, a young man, cousin of Milton Oliver, the witness who was shot near his home, was shot and fatally wounded Saturday afternoon at a barbecue at Lamasco. He died this morning.

Cooper lived on the farm of Milton Oliver, chief witness, who was wounded some time ago. Civil county authorities have demanded the prisoners. There is much feeling and a chance for trouble.

There was a large crowd present and bootleggers were plying their trade actively. Just how the trouble started is not known; but it is believed that the whole affair was planned for the purpose of putting Cooper out of the way. He was the only person injured during the melee.

Soldiers have been on guard in that section ever since the shooting of Milton Oliver, as repeated attempts have been made to finish him. They rushed to the scene and arrested several alleged participants. Among the prisoners are Alonzo Gray, a man named Hawkins and one named Mitchell.

### DELIVERED UP PRISONERS.

Paducah, Ky., Aug. 2.—Gov. Willson today instructed Col. Bassett, in charge of the state troops on duty in Lyon county, to deliver the prisoners arrested by them to the sheriff for trial. Col. Bassett had declined to surrender the prisoners, and a clash was threatened between the troops and civil authorities.

Alonzo Gray, Vitus Mitchell, Bryan Hawkins, Fred Murphy and Fred Merrick, farmers and alleged night riders, were arrested in connection with the killing of Axon Cooper, a cropper on the farm of Milton Oliver, confessed night rider and principal witness against riders in cases in that county. Oliver's life has been repeatedly threatened, and recently he was shot from ambush, but has about recovered. Troops have been guarding him several months. Reinforcements have been sent since the last outbreak. It is said that Cooper was to appear against the riders and that he was being harbored by Oliver. In the last few days notices have been posted around Oliver's farm warning him to leave the county, under threat of death if he did not. Friends of Oliver say he has been considering selling his farm and leaving the state, which undoubtedly would result in a heavy damage suit in the United States court here against the alleged night riders, as has been done in several other instances.

From an unofficial source it was learned today that a conspiracy will be charged against the alleged slayers of Cooper, and that twenty more arrests will be made by the troops. County Jailor Prince is putting the jail in readiness to receive them. The prisoners were turned out yesterday.

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## ASSOCIATION REPORTED IN FINE SHAPE BY OFFICIALS.

Judge G. B. Bingham, Auditor of the Tobacco Association, reached Cadiz Saturday afternoon from a visit to the lower counties and remained here until Monday with his family. Mr. Ewing and other officials of the Association accompanied Judge Bingham through the Western territory, and they found conditions most favorable for the Association. Calloway, Marshall and McCracken counties, Ky., are in splendid shape, while Graves has done practically nothing toward organizing, and that county will be dropped from the Association. Wheatley, Henry and other lower Tennessee counties are also in fine shape, and the officials were very much encouraged by the prospects. Judge Bingham, in company with several other gentlemen, is spending a portion of this week in Caldwell county in the interest of the Association, and they expect the southern part of that county to be pretty well in line for the Association when the books close on the fifteenth of August. Cadiz Record.

## MRS. JULIA ADAMS HOME BURNED LAST THURSDAY.

The home of Mrs. Julia Adams, near Coldwater, was burned last Thursday night at about 10 o'clock together with its contents. Mrs. Adams was at church when the fire occurred, which is supposed to be of incendiary origin. There was no insurance on either building or contents. Mrs. Adams last week figured quite prominently in a rather sensational trial in Judge Patterson's court, when she appeared as a witness against Ferd Cloys charging him with rape. She was at church in company with Cloys when the fire occurred.

### Relatives in Calloway.

Paducah, Ky., July 30.—A telegram was received this morning by the Evening Sun announcing the death of John Gardner, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Gardner, Jr., at Huntington, W. Va. Death was caused by scarlet fever. Mrs. Gardner had taken her son there six weeks ago for treatment, but there was no improvement. His condition became worse a few days ago and Mr. Gardner was called to the bedside. He died at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

F. N. Gardner is a nephew of the late Wm. Gardner and has a number of relatives in Calloway county.

## SERIOUSLY BURNED BY FALLING ACROSS STOVE.

Mayfield, Ky., July 30.—Mrs. Charley Smithson, of this city, became overheated last night while cooking supper and fell across a hot stove. She was badly burned on the hands, face and shoulders before neighbors reached her home, attracted by the woman's screams.

Bert Sexton left the past week for Stewart County, Tenn., where he visited his parents, J. M. Sexton and wife for several days.

## LAST HOLDINGS OF ASSOCIATION

Total of 30,000 Hogsheds Are Marketed by Planter's Association.

With the sale of all of the 1909 crop pledged in McCracken county this season the county committee of the Planter's Protective Association will assemble in Paducah Saturday and make arrangements for a complete canvass of the county for pledges of the 1910 crop. So far there have been a few voluntary pledges.

The last sale of the season was held here this morning when 125 hogsheds, the total number remaining, were sold. Leaf brought from 8½ to 13½ cents and lugs 6 to 8 cents. Over 3,000 hogsheds of association tobacco have been sold here this season and a total of about 30,000 sold throughout the Black Patch. The prices have been remarkably good.

The books of the association will be open until August 15th when all pledges must be in. The county committee will direct a canvass of each district. Present at the sale this morning: Assistant General Manager W. E. Blakemore, of Martin, Tenn.; W. M. Smith, chairman of Ballard county, and Chairman McKeage, of this county. The directors of the association are pleased with this season's sale, although there is a small amount of tobacco left over from other counties awaiting a sale. Some tobacco that has been purchased is in storage at the Western District warehouse, Second and Jefferson street, Paducah Sun.

### Tobacco Sales.

Report of sales by Planter's Protective Association, of Kentucky and Tennessee, including week ending July 30, 1910.

	This week	Total
Clarksville	184	10639
Springfield	9	9695
Paducah	13	2808
Light weights	600	687
Total	206	23,891
Average for the week, \$8.68.		
G. B. BINGHAM, Auditor.		

## Clancy McCool Case Was Reached Thursday Morning.

The regular term of the Calloway circuit court was convened Monday morning by Judge J. T. Hanberry, of Hopkinsville. The grand jury, composed of the following well known citizens of the county, was empaneled and instructed by the judge: T. W. Thompson, foreman; Eli S. Humphreys, Pat Beale, E. J. Cook, B. F. Caraway, Dan Whit, G. H. Pitman, J. O. Suiter, Felix Bailey, R. L. Miller, W. C. Hendon.

The petit jury was empaneled Tuesday morning as follows: J. H. Curd, G. W. Dunn, J. M. Orr, C. H. Wrather, R. N. Cutchin, J. W. Paschal, O. W. Harrison, A. A. Scarbrough, N. A. Pate, C. H. Whitnell, P. S. Key, S. A. Rhea, W. A. Sparkman, A. W. Robinson, B. H. Hopkins, O. Z. Humphreys, J. A. Cain, J. H. Thompson, J. W. Winchester, R. L. Spencer, S. A. Padom, J. C. Oliver, A. P. Adams, G. M. Radford.

The case of Hardin Alexander, charged with malicious cutting, was called and resulted in an acquittal.

## STATE MEETING GRAND SUCCESS

Farmers Union Elects Officers for Ensuing Year in State Convention.

Paducah, Ky., July 30.—R. L. Barnett, state secretary, of the Farmer's Union, returned from Central City Friday, where he had been attending the third annual meeting of the Kentucky Farmer's Union.

The meeting closed with election of officers for the ensuing year. Though requested by many of the delegates present to accept the office of president, Mr. Barnett declined and was immediately elected to the office of secretary for the third term.

The following officers were elected:

President—Like Thomas, of Melber, Graves county.

Vice-President—Sam Jones, of Cunningham, Carlisle county.

Secretary-Treasurer—R. L. Barnett, of Paducah.

Conductor—G. M. Hazelwood, of Benze, Jackson county.

Chaplain—The Rev. T. H. McGee, of Heath, McCracken county.

Doorkeeper—E. T. Litsey, of Short-creek, Grayson county.

Directors—M. B. Tabb, of Keokuk; the Rev. Robert Johnson, of Valley Station; G. W. Lawson, of Irvington, and O. F. Hughes, of Leitchfield.

The meeting was a success in every way, although the bad weather prevented many of the delegates from attending. On account of illness National President C. S. Barnett, of Union City, Ga., and J. H. Patten, a member of the national legislature committee, of Washington, were unable to be present, though they were both on program.

It is probable that the office of the state secretary will be moved to Louisville, as the work of the union is to be greatly enlarged. Paducah has been the headquarters of the union in this state since its organization three years ago.

Miss Bee Wall spent several days of the past week at Dawson.

## TO CLOSE WITH BIG PICNIC ON AUG. 13TH.

## GROWING TOBACCO BADLY INJURED IN KENTUCKY.

Frankfort, Ky., July 29.—Tobacco in Kentucky will be only one-half a normal crop, unless ideal weather conditions prevail in August, according to M. C. Rankin, commissioner of agriculture. Mr. Rankin says that the heavy rains have drowned out the tobacco and it is doubtful if it can be revived. He says the farmers will do well to get half a crop and will not do that well if the rains keep up or there is a drought in August. The weather has been wet for weeks, and the tobacco has "frenched" badly in many of the counties of the burley district. Mr. Rankin took notice of conditions between Louisville and Frankfort while on a train coming to Frankfort yesterday, and says the rain was heavy all the way and the tobacco looked sick. Mr. Rankin says tobacco can stand a good deal of rain, but that if the rain is followed by a spell of dry weather lasting several weeks, the tobacco dies. The prospects for the 1910 crop of burley, he thinks, are not bright.

## CREDITORS HOLD MEETING TRUSTEES ARE APPOINTED.

Judge Emmett Bagby, of Paducah, presided here Wednesday at a meeting of the creditors of J. H. Harris and of A. Q. Knight & Son, bankrupts.

A receiver was appointed in the Harris case and Hallet Grogan was named for the place. He will at once take charge of the business and after an invoice is made will offer the stock of goods for sale.

S. H. Dees, J. Ed Owen, and J. H. Wright, of Mayfield, were appointed trustees of the Knight business and will have charge of the two stocks of merchandise. Just what proceedings will be had in this case is not yet made public.

### Trigg Leads List.

Trigg county has the largest school per capita of any county in the state, \$4.26 being set aside in that county for every school child. The state per capita has been fixed at \$4 but in some counties it is lower than that, owing to the fact that in some districts teachers are paid for fifty pupils, whereas there are actually only thirty more or less.

In some counties, however, where the dog tax is collected and the schools derive additional revenue in other ways, the per capita is more than \$4. In Trigg county the dog tax has helped swell the total allowance for school purposes. Robertson county has the lowest per capita with only \$3.67. Franklin county is below the \$4 mark, having only \$3.92. Schools in that county are credited with 167 less pupils than actually exist, on account of the arrangement of some of the districts.

### Conn Linn Resigns.

Frankfort, Ky., July 29.—Senator Conn Linn, of Murray, has resigned as a member of the board of regents of the Western Kentucky Normal school. The resignation is effective Sept. 1. No successor has been appointed.

Capt. W. J. Stone and Other Able Speakers Will Be In Attendance.

The last public gathering to be held this year in the interest of the tobacco association will take place Saturday, Aug. 13th, at Almo park. A final rally and picnic will be held this date and every person in the county who expects to pledge his growing crop is urged to attend. Capt. W. J. Stone, of Kuttawa, president of the organization; Vice-president Usher, of Graves county, and District Manager Blakemore, of Martin, Tenn., have signified their intention to attend and make addresses. Capt. Stone will speak in the afternoon and it is hoped that a large crowd will greet him.

The meeting will be in the nature of an all day picnic and all who attend are requested to bring their dinners and enjoy a pleasant day at the beautiful park. Arrangements have been made to furnish plenty of ice water, while there will be refreshment stand where other cooling drinks can be had.

Considerable effort has been put forth to pledge Calloway's crop and it is predicted that when all the pledges are returned to the chairman that it will be shown that not less than 75 per cent. of the growing crop is pledged to the organization. The picnic Saturday, August 13, promises to be largely attended and as it is the last public gathering for the purpose it behooves every tobacco grower in the county to avail himself of the opportunity and pledge his crop.

### SPEAKING DATES

Chairman Keys has cancelled his date for speaking Saturday at Patterson's store and instead will speak at Backsburg on that date. There will be a joint meeting of the tobacco association and W. O. W. lodge at Backsburg and a large crowd will attend. Mr. Keys will speak at Mt. Carmel at night of same date.

J. B. Swann will speak at Linn Grove Saturday afternoon of this week in the interest of the organization, while O. J. Jennings will address the growers the same date at Brandon Mill. There will also be speaking at Green Plains school house Monday night, Aug. 8th, in the interest of the association.

J. K. Matheny, of Liverpool, Texas, came in last Saturday night and will be here several days before returning. He is engaged in the mercantile business at his new location and says he is well pleased with Texas.

## ADAMS & DOCKERY PURCHASE BARBER SHOPS.

Gaius Adams and Dennis Dockery have purchased the Burton barber shop and together with the shop that has been conducted the past several weeks by Dockery & Trail and have consolidated same in the building occupied by the Burton shop. Mr. Trail left the first of the week for his old home in Livingston county where he will visit for some time. He will return and accept a position with the new firm.



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## NEWS OF THE WEEK

LATEST NEWS OF THE WORLD  
TERSELY TOLD.

## NORTH, EAST, SOUTH AND WEST

Notes From Foreign Lands, through  
out the Nation and Particularly  
the Great Southwest.

### RACES FOR THE PENNANTS.

National League.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	56	39	.591
Pittsburgh	49	35	.583
New York	48	36	.570
Cincinnati	44	44	.500
Philadelphia	43	45	.489
St. Louis	39	49	.443
Boston	35	53	.398
American League.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	59	38	.606
New York	55	36	.599
Boston	54	37	.594
Detroit	48	44	.522
Cleveland	43	45	.489
Washington	38	50	.435
Chicago	35	53	.398
St. Louis	29	59	.330

After devoting an entire day at Denver, in consideration of the lock-out in force against union miners in the Black Hills district of South Dakota, the Western Federation of Miners voted an assessment of \$2 per member to aid the strikers at the Homestead mine, owned by Mrs. Phoebe Hearst.

Predicting a further rise in the prices of foodstuffs, particularly meat, if the season's corn crop is not good, James A. Patten, the retired wheat king, and his former partner, William H. Bartlett, sailed for Europe.

Robert Higginbotham, slayer of his 13-year-old daughter Evelyn and of her stepfather, Michael Moser, died in St. Mary's hospital, East St. Louis, from the wound inflicted in his chest by Henry C. Fellauer.

Marion, Ill., has the population of 7,093, according to census figures made public. In 1900 Marion had 2,510, and in 1890, 1,338; a gain of more than 220 per cent.

An attempt was made to derail a Grand Trunk passenger train near Brockville, Can., but the engineer received a warning and slowed down sufficiently to pass over the spot where the spikes were pulled and the rails loosened. Troops have been sent to Brockville to replace the militia there.

Capt. James Osborn, friend of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, discredited polar explorer, announced that the rival of Commander Peary in the north pole chase was within a stone's throw of New York's newspaper offices and that there would be started a defensive magazine article in his behalf.

Seven aero planes were wrecked on the Washington Park, Ill., aviation field when a small tornado broke the three poles of the big circus tent in which they had been housed for more than two weeks. The storm on the field at the time estimated that the damage done at \$25,000.

Former Mayor A. H. Bousman of Ridgeway, Henry county, Va., while lying in a hammock on his front porch, virtually was blown to pieces by a bomb thrown at him from the road.

Returns show Oscar B. Colquitt, anti-prohibition candidate, has won the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas by a plurality of 20,000. Judge William Pounder and Con Johnson, prohibition candidates, ran close together. R. V. Davidson, "the trust prosecutor," was hopelessly defeated.

Revenue officers raided an opium still in a Chinese den in the heart of Kansas City and seized \$25,000 worth of opium.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sparians celebrated their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home near New Bedford, Ill. Both were born in England.

Clews indicating that Joseph Connor, the embezzler who escaped from the Elgin, Ill., insane asylum in an auto with two women had gone to Chicago and is in hiding were found by the Elgin police.

Dr. Frederick C. Graves died, a suicide from the most remarkable dose of deadly poisons ever introduced into the human system. He committed suicide by swallowing the contents of every bottle in his medical cases. The doctors say there was poison enough to have killed 500 men.

"Mashers" and towlies in Minneapolis, Minn., parks will be spanked instead of arrested. There will be no fast ride to the station, an arraignment in police court, no fine and no workhouse. The edict was issued by Burt Kingsley, chief of the park police.

Harry Smith, a business man, Mrs. Bessie Bird, a widow, and her infant child were drowned in Randall reservoir, five miles from Des Moines, Tex. They drove into the reservoir to water their horse, supposing it to be shallow.

Miss Doufex was taken to a hospital, but has not recovered sufficiently to give any reason for the tragedy. Rignold had been a respected business man here for many years. His son is cashier in a local bank, and father and son are well known in financial circles.

After the Democratic state convention at Minneapolis had nominated John A. Lind for governor, his son, Norman, announced that his father would not accept the honor. Former Governor Lind is in Everett, Wash.

Germany, according to announcements from Berlin, has declined to entertain the request of President-Maria to put a stop to what is termed the interference of the United States in the affairs of Nicaragua.

William H. Berry, former state treasurer of Pennsylvania, was chosen on the first ballot as the candidate for governor on the Keystone (a third party) ticket by the delegates at the convention in Pittsburgh.

William Fitch, for 25 years managing editor of the Baltimore American, is in Mercy hospital, Baltimore, suffering from serious injuries, as a result of being run down by a taxicab.

A \$50,000 fund has been left for the founding of a home for the destitute and crippled children at 15 Park avenue, Chicago, according to the provisions of the will of William H. White, of Highland Park.

From clothing found in a bathing beach dressing room, at Chicago, it is believed that James R. McNally, a New York lawyer, was drowned while bathing. Police are dragging the beach in search for the body.

The census office announced the 1910 enumeration for the following counties and cities, Louisiana—Opelousas town, St. Landry parish, 4,623; Oklahoma—Bryan county, 29,854; Durant city, Bryan county, 5,339; Waurika city, Jefferson county, 2,928.

A theft of \$2,000 worth of jewelry and wedding presents from Chanler Egan, former amateur golf champion, and his office, a daughter of James McNally, of Rand, McNally & Co., was made public. The theft occurred on a train while the couple were returning to Chicago from their honeymoon.

Mrs. E. M. Fisher, one of Oklahoma City's most beautiful women, shot and instantly killed Dan Smythe, a persistent admirer, at her home. Smythe had been in love with her for more than 10 years, and regardless of her marriage had constantly endeavored to persuade her to elope with him.

Failure of a contracting firm to complete a hardwood floor in time for her debut, sent Miss Elizabeth Rogers, daughter of Dr. L. D. Rogers of Chicago, off to Europe, deeply chagrined, and caused the filing of a suit for \$1,000 by her parents against the floor company.

The Oklahoma Supreme Court handed down a decision in the capital removal case to the effect that Oklahoma's capital shall remain at Guthrie until the legality of the election recently held is decided and courts have settled the constitutional question embraced in the provision of the enabling act.

Warren G. Harding, editor of the Marion Star, was nominated for governor of Ohio on the third ballot by the state Republican convention, after a brisk contest.

Census returns from Rock Island, Ill., made public show the population to be 24,325. This is an increase of 4,842 over 1900.

William Williams, best known as "Billy" Williams, an old-time minstrel man, died at Elizabeth, N. J. He was 66 years old.

Mrs. Saug Dougherty is in jail at Lynn, Mo., awaiting a preliminary hearing on a charge of attempting to poison Mrs. John Peters and Miss Rose Peters, mother and sister of John T. Peters, prosecuting attorney.

The board of army engineers, which investigated the gun explosion at Fort Monroe, reported that the accident was caused by the failure of the safety device of the firing mechanism to work properly.

According to figures given out by the commissioner of immigration, the arrivals since March 21, this year, in western Canada, were 93,000, of which 46,500 came from the United States.

A reduction of 10 per cent in the wage scale was accepted by the 700 miners of the American Lead, Zinc and Smelting company, at Joplin, Mo.

After 20 years' work as a "steepie jack," engaged in the occupation of painting flag poles on skyscrapers, Charles Quodback fell from the top of the 50-foot flag pole at the American League baseball park in Chicago.

An aluminum aeroplane, from which great things were expected by E. M. Dechenne, its inventor, came to grief at the aviation field at Joplin, Mo., when the gasoline tank exploded in a short time.

George M. Lutz, private detective and formerly police chief at Terre Haute, Ind., was shot and, perhaps fatally wounded when he surprised a negro in the act of robbing the Elks club. At a hospital Lutz identified William McGowan, a negro.

According to information brought to Mobile on the steamship Bodu, sympathizers of Gen. Manuel Bonilla attacked the barracks of the Honduras government at Puerto Cortez. Gen. Moren, the leader of the revolutionists and the commander of the barracks both were killed.

Trained over the country for two years and finally apprehended through a package mailed from Chicago, Fred A. Archambault and his "affinity," Nellie Taylor, of Mangum, Okla., were arrested at San Antonio at the instance of Mrs. Archambault.

The state department formally declared that no blockade exists at Bluefields, Nicaragua, and that any interference with American-owned ships or American property will not be tolerated. The statement was issued as a result of a warning sent out by the Norwegian government.

## ROUND ABOUT THE STATE

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS  
GATHERED FROM ALL  
PARTS OF KENTUCKY

NAMES PRESS DAY.

Officers of State Fair Write to K. P. A. of Plans.

Richmond, Ky.—Editor A. D. Miller, this city, president of the Kentucky Press association, in receipt of a letter from the officers of the Kentucky State Fair association, of Louisville, advising him that Thursday, September 15, had been set aside as Press day and Good Roads day, and that he had been selected as chairman of the press committee to arrange the program for that day, and for him to select 25 other newspaper men throughout the state to serve and assist him on the committee.

Those whom he has named are: T. H. Fickles, Richmond; Desha Breckinridge, Lexington; Louis Landrum, Danville; Harry McCarty, Nicholasville; M. A. Thompson, Georgetown; Wallace Brown, Bardonia; J. C. Little, Owensboro; Chas. Metcalf, Pineville; W. J. Denhardt, Bowling Green; J. A. Allen, Cynthiana; E. A. Gullion, New Castle; T. C. Underwood, Hopkinsville; Harry Sommers, Elizabethtown; L. W. Gaines, Trenton; G. P. Friel, Ashland; D. T. Peck, Bedford; Paul Moore, Lexington; Urey Woodson, Owensboro; Green Keller, Carlisle; W. S. Downath, Warsaw; Lewis P. Chapman, Catlettsburg; D. M. Duncan, Brandenburg; John D. Babbage, Cloverport; C. C. Howard, Hodgenville, and B. D. Cozine, Shelbyville.

### LOWLANDS ARE LAKES.

Little Creeks Transformed Into Ragging Torrents.

Owensboro, Ky.—From reports received in Owensboro from the storm-stricken counties of the Green River district, the estimate on the amount of damage made earlier was far too conservative. The crops on farms have been wiped entirely away, and horses, cows, hogs, sheep, mules, and buildings have been carried to destruction by the sweep of the raging waters, increasing every hour in volume.

Another violent rain fell, but there was little damage in Davies and Hancock counties, from the fact that the recent storm had left little in its path. Later a hard rainstorm visited the western part of the county, and the few crops that have been saved were put under several feet of water.

For two days trains on the Illinois Central branch road have been unable to reach Owensboro. The tracks for many miles are entirely under water. It is believed that the Louisville & Nashville will be unable to reach Owensboro.

### FENCE UNEARTHED BY POLICE.

Gang of Thieves Is Raided With Paying Results.

Lexington, Ky.—Three patrol wagons on loads of stolen property were brought to police headquarters by local detectives. The plunder runs from bicycles to cooking utensils and rugs.

It represents the pilfering of an organized gang of night prowlers that has been operating here for the past two months. Two loads of the stuff were found in rooms in the old Good Samaritan hospital building, on East Short street, now occupied as a tenement for negroes. The rooms from which the goods were taken had been rented to a negro named Robert Mack. The remainder of the goods came from a room in the home of Mack's mother, on Winslow street.

Scores of people went to police headquarters during the afternoon and identified articles that had been stolen from them.

### POP BOTTLE EXPLODED.

Portion of Boy's Face and an Eye Torn Away.

Louisville, Ky.—In the presence of a merry assemblage gathered at a lawn fete church social, William Kold, a 12-year-old boy, was hurled to the ground, and suffered the loss of an eye, when a pop bottle exploded, tearing away a portion of his face.

With tremendous force, the shattered glass like fine shot, were driven into the boy's face. The right eye was torn away, and the whole right side of the face lacerated. The right forehead was scraped to the skull. Kold is the son of a gardener, who is a member of the church, and had volunteered his services for the evening.

### MOB WAS FOILED.

Greenup, Ky.—Chas. Zusk, charged with criminal attack on Boubie Hamilton, 12, was slipped out of jail here by the officers who taken to Grayson, Ky., to avoid a lynching by a thronging mob from the town of Russell.

Zusk was brought back here from Grayson for examination trial before Judge Womack, and the case was continued until August 2. The defendant has a family of eight children, and was considered one of Russell's best citizens.

## HEROIC STATUE OF LINCOLN

GIFT OF J. B. SPEED WILL BE SET UP IN ROTUNDA OF NEW CAPITOL.

Sculptor Who Modeled the Lincoln Monument at Hodgenville, Has Been Commissioned to Complete Work by Oct. 1, 1911.

Frankfort, Ky.—By October, 1911, a statue of Abraham Lincoln, the gift of J. B. Speed, of Louisville, will be large enough to be looked at from below, but which will also look well on a level with it, as it will be seen from the second floor of the building.

Mr. Weiman promises to have even a better statue than the one of Lincoln in Hodgenville. When the statue is in place here it will be dedicated with imposing ceremonies, and it is probable that many celebrities will be in Frankfort at that time.

The statue has not been formally accepted by the capitol commission, but they have all expressed themselves as delighted with the idea of getting the splendid monument. Under the contract the statue is to be completed by October 1, 1911. Just before Gov. Willson goes out of office, Mr. Weiman will come to Frankfort and look at the proposed location for the statue before he starts work on it, and will also consult with Mr. Andrews regarding the site of the statue and the pedestal on which it rests. It is desired to have a statue that will be large enough to be looked at from below, but which will also look well on a level with it, as it will be seen from the second floor of the building.

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### APPROPRIATELY NAMED.

Jennie—Rowell married a Swiss, didn't he?  
Jack—Yes, and as he sits up for him every time he is out at night, he has got to calling her his Swiss watch.

Mr. Sterling—Albert Botts, 18, son of Mason Botts, this city, was thrown from his horse while riding at the fair grounds and dangerously hurt. The boy was thrown against a tree, broke three ribs and injuring him internally. He is resting easily.

Lexington.—It was announced here that Benjamin Hay, of Cincinnati, has decided to sell out his trotters and his foalish park training ground at Cynthiana. The park, which contains 74 acres, and the trotters are to be auctioned September 3. There are about 70 head of horses.

Lexington.—Frank Miller, while working in the local postoffice as a special delivery messenger 15 years ago, laid in his mind the plan of the windows. A puff of wind came along and the money was sucked into a ventilating shaft. Workmen tearing down the foundation in the process of enlarging and remodeling the building found the money-stamp and decay.

Frankfort.—Pursuant to the call of the board of agriculture, Franklin the live stock sanitary board met here and decided to institute a school for the county live stock inspectors at the state fair in Louisville this year. The inspectors will be lectured by experts from the national government and the state university. Another letter was sent to the county judges urging them to help pay for the lectures.

Lebanon.—At the election of general officers at Loreto academy, this county, Mother Fraxodes, who has held the office of mother superior for 14 years, was unanimously re-elected. Mother Wilfred was elected vice-president. Up to the time of her election as vice-president, she was mother of novices, a place she filled with eminent satisfaction.

Frankfort.—The state board of education was called upon by Miss Marie Hannon and W. J. Fletcher, both of Magoffin county, to decide whether Fletcher or M. P. Patrick is the chairman of the county board of education. Fletcher had been elected chairman, but moved to Seattle, and remained away for several months. When it came to the selection of a teacher, however, Fletcher returned to Kentucky and demanded that he be recognized as chairman of the board. The board decided in favor of Patrick.

Frankfort.—Arthur Hopkins, of Louisville, state revenue agent, filed suit in the Frankfort court to collect the corporation license tax from the Standard Sanitary Co., capitalized at \$750,000; the Baptist Book Concern, capitalized at \$65,000, and the National Ice Cream Co., capitalized at \$100,000. The alleged amount of taxes due is fixed at about \$3,000.

Frankfort.—Miss Fennie S. Rawson, of Louisville, was elected the permanent chairman of the state library commission at the first meeting of the commission, which was typically addressed by Gov. Willson.

## SOME LORDLY FORMALITIES

Preparing a New Peer for His Seat in House of Lords an Elaborate Undertaking.

Numerous formalities have to be gone through before any of the new peers are able to take their seats in the house of lords.

One of the most important matters is the preparation of the patent, a long strip of parchment, to the end of which is affixed the wax seal, the color of which varies according to the rank of the new member. Another item is the robe, made of scarlet cloth with three doublings of ermine, the number of bars varying according to rank. Thus a duke has four bars in front and the same number behind, a marquise one less, and so on.

Then there are preparations in regard to making or changing coats of arms, in connection with which fees to the extent of about 50 guineas are paid by the recipient of a summons to the house of lords.

Altogether the financial disbursements amount in the case of a new earl to between six and seven hundred pounds, some of which finds its way to the chancery of the exchequer and some to the crown as represented by the college of arms. A considerable portion of this expenditure is of course incurred in the purchase of the coronet.

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# THE MURRAY LEDGER.

O. J. JENNINGS, EDITOR.

Entered at the postoffice at Murray, Kentucky, for transmission through the mails as second class matter.

THURSDAY, AUG. 4, 1910.

The Livingston Banner last week says that former congressman, Hon. John K. Hendrick, of Paducah, would possibly enter the race next year for the democratic nomination for governor. Col. Hendrick is one of the most widely known public men of the state, one of the state's most splendid citizens, but with all of his virtues it would hardly be the part of wisdom for him to enter the race next year. Col. Hendrick withdrew from the race for governor some few years ago when it seemed within his grasp, was later defeated for the nomination for attorney general and his candidacy would be largely handicapped by reason of these facts should he again become a candidate. Calloway has often honored Col. Hendrick and would that the pie plate was within his grasp at all times, but political clouds are forming for the coming race for the democratic nomination that bode ill, and our prediction is that the fury of the storm will break after the nomination is made. Our unsolicited advice, but gratis with all, is for Col. Hendrick to stand from under. The old gun is being over-loaded and will kick back.

Weeds weeds, weeds everywhere, some of them long enough for fishing poles and all standing in face of the fact that they jeopardize the health of every citizen of the town. Gutters choked with weeds, vacant lots overrun with them, oh, lord, weeds every where. Standing sentinels of death, but weeds, weeds, more weeds, weeds every where. Un-sightly and a menace to health but nothing but weeds, just weeds, weeds, weeds, weeds. What are you going to do about the weeds? Let them live and the human family die? Detracting from the looks of the town, subtracting from the values of real estate and adding to nothing but disease and death. What are you going to do with the weeds?

**Life On Panama Canal**  
has had one frightful drawback making trouble that has brought suffering and death to thousands. The germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them, and cure malaria troubles. "Three bottles completely cured me of a very severe attack of malaria," writes Wm. A. Fretwell, of Lucma, N. C., "and I've had good health ever since." Cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney Troubles, and prevent Typhoid. 50c. Guaranteed by Dale and Stubblefield.

## Notice.

Letter of Administration having been granted on the — day of December, 1909, by the Calloway County Court to the undersigned upon the estate of J. H. Goodwin, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said estate to present the same to me properly proven according to law, within three months from this date, or they will be forever barred. This July 25, 1910. —N. H. HOPKINS, Administrator.

Speaking at Lynn Grove.

J. B. Swann will speak at Lynn Grove Saturday, Aug. 6th, at 2 o'clock, in the interest of the tobacco association.

Mr. Swann left Monday for Henry county, Tenn., where he spent the week in the interest of the association. Henry county is pledging rapidly and he reports that the 51 per cent. will be secured in that county.

## CONTRACT LET THE PAST WEEK

### Rufe Langston Secures Contract for Stock Barn, Catalog Let.

There is no let up in affairs pertaining to the fair this fall. The past week Rufe Langston was awarded the contract for the stock barn to be built at the fair grounds and the printing of the fair catalogue was awarded to the Ledger. Work will be commenced at an early date upon both undertakings and every possible haste will be made until the work is completed.

There yet remains a number of contracts to be awarded and within the next few days work will be commenced in earnest upon every department. The contract for fencing the grounds and the building of a large number of stall sheds will be let at an early date and after these are awarded there will remain but a few things of importance to accomplish.

The work on the track is being pushed by Mr. Haley with a large force of hands and will be completed as soon as possible.

Interest in the undertaking grows with each week and every thing will be in readiness for the opening of the fair in October. A large number of special premiums are being offered and together with the regular fair premiums there will be many splendid inducements for fine exhibits in every line of Calloway industry.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### School Trustee Election.

Saturday is the date for the election of the school trustees for 39 of the districts of the county. Of this number 30 have named candidates for the place, leaving 9 districts in which voters will be compelled to write the names on the ballot. It is to be hoped that in every district that the most capable men will be elected who are available for the place.

Dysentery is a dangerous disease but can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has been successfully used in nine epidemics of dysentery. It has never been known to fail. It is equally valuable for children and adults and when reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take. Sold by all dealers.

Examine my line of steel grave vaults before deciding upon any other character of burial vault. I handle the best made in America. —J. H. Churchill.

## FORMER CALLOWAY CITIZEN PASSES AWAY AT FULTON.

Foster Callahan, well known to many of our people as "Sonny" Callahan, died at his home in Fulton last week after a lingering illness of liver trouble. He was about 65 years of age and had been away from Calloway county about 17 years. He was a splendid citizen and leaves quite a number of relatives to mourn his death. The remains were brought to this place and carried to Old Salem for burial.

### Stingers Skeptical.

That a clean, nice, fragrant compound like Bucklen's Arnica Salve will instantly relieve a bad burn, cut, scald, wound or piles, stagger skeptics. But great cures prove its a wonderful healer of the worst sores, ulcers, fells, eczema, skin eruptions, as also chapped hands, sprains and corns. Try it, 25c at Dale & Stubblefield.

### Capt. John Smith.

Captain John R. Smith, a traveling salesman well known here, died suddenly Saturday afternoon at Jackson, Tenn. For several days Captain Smith had been feeling badly but without warning he was stricken by death Saturday afternoon. He was a traveling salesman for a coffin company, and made regular trips to Murray. He was prominent in secret lodges, and was a past grand master of the Tennessee Masons and prominent in Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias. Physically Captain Smith was a large man and weighed about 375 pounds. The funeral and burial took place at his home in Trenton, Tenn.

When you yawn a good deal in the daytime, feel dull, aches and want to stretch frequently 'it is unmistakable symptoms of malaria, and unless you do something at once you are booked for a spell of chills. Herbine is a chill medicine that will prevent or cure the disease. It drives out the impurities on which the malarial germs thrive, strengthens the liver and cleanses the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.


### Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed matter advertised by A. Downs, Postmaster, Murray, Ky., Aug. 2nd, 1910. If unclaimed at the expiration of two weeks from above date this matter will be sent to the Dead Letter Office, Washington, D. C.

Eddie Lewis, Willie Marvel, T. A. Patterson, David Rey, W. C. Stewart.

The six month old infant child of Ed Lewis died last Friday at the home of Piez Baucum, of this place after a brief illness. Mr. Lewis is a son-in-law of Mr. Baucum and was visiting him at the time the child was taken ill. The burial took place Saturday at Concord.

Get the news—get the Ledger. Read the LEDGER—\$1 per year.



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A VOLUNTARY TESTIMONIAL.

J. R. BLACK, DISTRICT CO., KENNETT, MO.

The Magazine Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Asher Graham. The meeting was called in for the past week on account of illness.

## SINGING JOE'S TEXAS LETTER.

Detroit, Tex., July 30, 1910. Editor Murray Ledger:—I will write a few lines by request of many of your readers.

Crops are about made here. Early corn is fine, late corn and cotton are suffering for rain. The melon crop is the best I ever saw. All markets are over-run. You can buy melons for 10c that will weigh 45 to 50 pounds.

Fruit crops of all kinds are good. It is said in the Dallas News that Jacksonville ship 1100 car loads of Elberta peaches. It is a commercial orchard, has 1900 acres in peaches and pears.

Well, we have just come out of a heated contest for governor, four candidates. O. B. Colquit was nominated by over 50,000. Gov. Johnson, the man who Joe Bailey sunk so deep was again buried so deep that I hope no political trumpet will ever again wake him up to disturb the peace and slumbers of this great State. He is a great speaker but a demagogue of the first cloth.

All Kentucky people are doing well here as far as I know.

Mrs. Lane Grogan and children will leave here for Murray in a few days to spend a month with kin folks and old friends.

Work is over here till cotton, which will be in September.

Fishing and hunting is all the go. The lakes and Red River are full of fish. Plenty of turkey, some deer and lots of other small game.

This country is filling up with western people. This is the second year that the west has been burned up by hot winds. It is said by old farmers that the Red River Valley will make 65 to 75 bushels of corn per acre and a bale of cotton per acre.

What has become of H. W. Grogan? His little wife, Tenny, stops his description of his spare ribs and back bone he wrote so much about last winter, or is he sweetly sleeping?

Kind regards to the Ledger and all old friends, I am, Respt., J. T. PHILLIPS.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy peddled is Metcalf's Baby Elixir. It reduces the feverish condition, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

### Secure a Certificate.

Under the law the Western Normal has the power to issue the Elementary Certificate, the Intermediate Certificate, and the Life Certificate, which entitle the holders to teach anywhere in Kentucky for two years, four years and for life respectively without further examination. Information as to the amount of work required for each certificate will be furnished when desired. Fall session opens Sept. 6th 1910. Address H. H. Cherry President, Western Normal, Bowling Green, Ky.

### Stock Holders Meeting.

All stock holders in the Citizens Telephone Co. are notified that a meeting is called for Saturday, Aug. 13th, at New Concord, for the purpose of incorporating the company. Every stock holder is to be present.

Constipation is the starting point for many serious diseases, to be healthy keep the bowels active and regular. Herbine will remove all accumulations in the bowels and put the system in prime condition. Price 50c. Dale & Stubblefield.

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Get at the root of the trouble. Rubbing an aching back may relieve it.

But it won't cure it. You must reach the root of it the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills go right at it.

Reach the cause; relieve the pain. They cure, too, so Murray people say.

Mrs. S. J. Pool, Murray, Ky., says: "I had severe pains in the small of my back and when I stooped or lifted, I suffered intensely. My back ached at night and when I arose in the morning I was lame and sore. I tired easily, was troubled by a dull, languid feeling and at times was very nervous. I was also subject to headaches and dizzy spells, during which my sight became blurred. I knew from the too frequent passages of the kidney secretions that my kidneys needed attention. The use of one box of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Dale & Stubblefield's drugstore made a complete cure in my case and I can therefore recommend this remedy highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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

All the ladies interested in the American Woman's League for the purpose of building a club house will meet with Mrs. O. J. Jennings Wednesday, Aug. 10, at four o'clock p. m.

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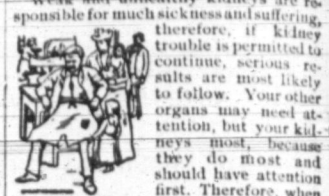
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### For Sale at a Bargain.

For \$1000 I will sell my home place lying on the Murray and Newberg road, 2 1/2 miles west of Blood Kentucky, a mile from school house and church, containing 100 acres, all under good fence except 3 acres, about 40 acres cleared and fenced and cross fenced, 12 acres newly cleared, 10 acres in meadow, about three acres in fine bearing fruit trees, about 60 acres in good timber, a good 4 room dwelling with 2 good brick chimneys, good water and smoke house in yard, good crib and stables, 3 good tobacco barns 2 sheded, in fact all necessary improvements to make it a model home. One of the best tobacco farms in this part of the country over 10,000 lbs raised last year. Time extended to Oct. 15.

R. W. WALKER.

### Please Take Notice.

All parties that are owing me on notes or accounts are now asked to settle within next 30 days. The time has come that I can only hold my notes and accounts 30 days longer. After that time they will go into other parties hands for collection. For the convenience of parties that I hold notes against I will put all my notes in the Farmers & Merchants bank and hold them there for 30 days. Parties that are owing me on accounts can also leave what they are owing me at the bank. Yours respectfully, STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS.

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## Local Happenings and Personal News of a Week

Fancy lot of buggy umbrellas. Murray Saddle & Harness Co. Warren Swann and wife left Wednesday for Dawson where they will remain several days.

Miss Mary McElrath has been the guest of Miss Covington, of Paducah, the past several days.

Mrs. Edna Grogan and daughter left Tuesday for Texas where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

Miss Myrtle Hawkins has returned to her home in Paducah after a several days visit to friends in this place.

Col. Max Hanberry, of Cadiz, a member of the law firm of Holland & Hanberry, came in the first of the week to attend circuit court.

Mrs. Jas. Risenhoover, of Beeville, Texas, who has been the guest of relatives in the county the past several weeks returned to her home the first of this week.

All persons concerned are notified to meet at the Asbury grave yard Saturday, August 13th, for the purpose of cleaning off same. Come prepared to help in the work.

PARIS GREEN—I am selling the best grade of paris green at 27-1-2 cents per pound. I am also selling other items in my store correspondingly low. —W. H. Pace.

Don't use hair physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's regulat. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

Rev. Oliver will preach at the residence of Ed Ballance Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and 3 o'clock at the residence of Robt. Tinsley, in south Murray. A general invitation is extended all persons to attend these exercises.

The B. B. Hooks ball team, of Paducah, of which Ziba Williams, a former Murray boy is the manager, is booked to play a game here the 10th of Aug., and which promises to be one of the very best games of the season. We welcome their coming and hope to see a large crowd present at the game.

FARM FOR SALE.—Sixty acre farm, 1 1/2 miles northwest of Stella, 48 acres in cultivation—balance in timber; good, young orchard, double barn, stables and crib, 5 acres in meadow, plenty of good water. Will sell at bargain and give possession in the fall. Call and look over the place or write me.—BEN DIXON, Murray, Ky., Rfd. 6.

Prof. Hunter Gingles has been elected to a chair of science in the Mayfield public schools. He left this week for Bloomington, Ind., where he will take a special course preparatory to entering upon the discharge of his duties. Prof. Gingles is a Calloway teacher of whom we are all proud and his many friends will extend congratulations upon his good fortune in securing such a splendid position.

The friends and relatives of W. M. Geurin met at his home last Saturday to celebrate his 81 birthday. The company was one of the largest ever gathered upon a similar occasion, numbering 67 persons. One of the most joyous occasions ever witnessed upon the east side of the county was had and every guests left the hospitable home of the aged and esteemed gentleman feeling that he had been benefited by attending. Mr. Geurin is one of the county's most splendid citizens and his large circle of friends are in hopes that he will live yet many years and enjoy many similar occasions.

Tom Morris transacted business in St. Louis the past week. Ladies' Wash Suits at 25 percent off the regular price, at E. B. Holland & Co.

Marriage license was granted the past week to Geo. A. Peeler and Onie Chambers.

See E. B. Holland & Co., for odd lots in ladies and childrens Oxfords.

Special sale of Hamburg and Swiss Embroideries Laces, etc.—E. B. Holland & Co.

E. B. Holland & Co. are running a 10 days clearing sale. See them for low prices.

Miss Elizabeth Higgins has returned home from a several days visit to her aunt, Mrs. Tom McGregor, of Frankfort, Ky.

Come to my store for bargains in all lines. Paris green at 27-1-2 cents and other items just as low. —W. H. Pace.

The old pants factory building was sold at public auction last Saturday and was purchased by the D. W. Dick Lumber Co.

Prof. J. O. Brown, of Lexington, Tenn., was the guests of friends here last week. He was formerly principal of our schools.

The funeral of Uncle Jimmie Callahan will be preached at Old Salem church Thursday, Aug. 18, by Elder Perkins.

R. N. Melugin suffered considerable damage to two buggies the past week when his buggy shed blew down crushing them beneath its weight.

Wade Burks and Albert Futrell, of Almo, were here the first of the week making preparations for the big picnic at Almo on August 13th.

John Clopton has purchased the lot adjoining Cary Thornton's residence and has let a contract to Rowland & Cathey for the erection of a residence upon same.

\$8.50 is our price on a Saddle that has quilted seat, roll behind, leather underskirts, square housing, good finds. This is a nice saddle. —Murray Saddle & Harness Co.

Joe Parker left Monday for San Francisco, where he will spend several weeks visiting points of interest on the coast while absent. He will also visit his brother recently stationed there.

The Calloway County Farmers Union meets in Murray at the Union Produce House Monday, Aug. 15th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Let every local be represented as there is business of importance. —J. W. CRISP, Secretary.

Prof. D. E. Booker will convene his school at the Utterback school house next Monday the 8th. The new building for this district has been completed and is one of the most substantial in the county. The district is a large one and is richly deserving of the improvement.

Miss Roxie Forrest, who has been the chief operator at the Independent Telephone office for several months, has been appointed assistant supervisor at the Western Kentucky asylum, Hopkinsville. Miss Forrest is one of the most splendid young ladies of the town of Murray and her friends will be delighted to learn of her success.

The three year old daughter of Wm. Valentine and wife died Thursday morning at the home of its parents in North Murray after a three weeks illness of flux. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends. The funeral services will be held tomorrow after which the burial will take place in the City Cemetery.

Mrs. J. A. Wilkerson is confined to her bed with typhoid fever. B. B. Wear and wife were the guests of relatives and friends in Paducah the past week.

Mrs. Joanna Edwards, of Memphis, is the guest of relatives in the county this week.

Mrs. Willie Linn has returned home after an extended visit to relatives in Mayfield.

Sheriff Compton, of Paris, was here Wednesday transacting business.

P. H. Pitt and family returned this week from an extended visit to relatives in Springfield, Tenn.

Mrs. S. H. Dees left the first of the week for Hinton Springs, Tenn., where she will spend a few weeks.

Herbert Broach has accepted a position with the T. C. Nix restaurant, succeeding Marvin Fulton who will attend school this year.

Judge T. P. Cook, of Hopkinsville, came in last Saturday afternoon and will remain here attending court and visiting his family for the next two weeks.

Lost.—Open face watch, gun metal case, leather fob with large metal "W", lost between fair grounds and my home. Return to Brening Waters and receive reward.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer? All druggists sell it.

County Clerk Falwell has sufficiently recovered from the fever to enable him to dismiss the trained nurse who has been at his bedside the past few weeks. His wife is also doing nicely.

The nine months old girl baby of Rich Waters and wife died Wednesday of this week at the home of its parents in West Murray of bowel trouble. The burial took place today in the City Cemetery.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a peaceful sleep." —Mrs. Nancy M. Anson, Hamburg, N. Y.

Lost.—Stick pin, oak leaf, red and brown. Bracelet, two small gold bands with dragons head between, three chip diamonds in eyes and one in mouth. Return same to this office and be rewarded.

If your liver is sluggish and out of tone, and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets tonight before retiring and you will feel all right in the morning. Sold by all dealers.

Homer Taylor, of Puryear, and James Mohundro, of Crossland, last week enlisted as members of Uncle Sam's regular army says the Paducah Sun. They are assigned to the coast artillery and have been sent to Jefferson barracks.

Be sure to take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera Diarrhoea Remedy with you when starting on your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board the trains or steamers. Changes of water and climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhoea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by all dealers.

Homer Caldwell, colored, charged with petit larceny, was arrested the past week by Marshal Nix and after a preliminary hearing before Judge Simpson was turned over to Jailer Alderson for confinement in jail. When approaching the jail the negro broke and ran and succeeding in outrunning the jailer and gaining his liberty. Later he was tracked by Dowdy's blood hounds to a negro house in the northwest part of town and was caught and placed in jail.

Mrs. Mary H. Walton, of Newbern, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. John McElrath this week.

Joseph Waters, the young son of Mrs. Numa Waters, is confined to his bed with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Burgess Davis, of Memphis, Tenn., has been the guest of relatives in Murray and near Cherry the past several days.

Attorney Ralph Stanfield, of Mayfield, was here this week transacting business in circuit court and visiting the family of his wife's parents, Mrs. J. G. Hart.

Can't look well, get well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

The Union degree staff of Odd Fellows have been invited to Behton August 20 to confer the initiatory degree work upon a large class of candidates. About 30 people will go from Paducah and a special train will be chartered to bring them back. —Paducah News-Democrat.

In buying a cough medicine, don't be afraid to get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is sure to follow. Especially recommended for coughs, colds and whooping cough. Sold by all dealers.

H. W. Harding, of Martin, Tenn., a former well known resident of Calloway, spent several days here the past week the guest of his sister, Mrs. Graves, and other relatives.

Bud Gibson and family, of Paducah, were the guests of his sister, Mrs. B. G. Humphreys, and other relatives of Murray the past week. —Mr. Gibson is a member of the Paducah fire department.

When the digestion is all right the action of the bowels is regular, there is a natural craving and relish for food. When this is lacking you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They strengthen the digestive organs, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Sold by all dealers.

Miss Vera Miller, the beautiful young daughter of O. O. Miller and wife, of Hazel, and Bonnie Jones, one of the well known young men of the county, went to Tennessee last Sunday afternoon where they were joined in marriage. The happy young couple have many friends who wish them a successful and long life of usefulness.

If you sit in a cool draft when you are heated and get a stiff neck or a lame back, you will be looking for something that will ease the pain. Fix your mind on Ballard's Snow Liniment and don't be talked out of it because it is the best pain relieving liniment you can get anywhere. Price, 25c, 50c and one dollar per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Boone Reed, who has been in St. Louis for a week or more, under the treatment of an ear specialist, is reported as not doing well. It is sincerely hoped by his friends here that he will soon recover, and be able to return to his home, as he is regarded, by all who know him, as a christian gentleman of many noble qualities. —Benton Tribune.

59 of the \$1.00 buggy whips are all we have left. Now, as some who bought whips early are anxious to know who will get the \$80 buggy, and as we need the room, we will close out the small balance at 85c. This buggy we are giving away. The whip is more than worth \$1.00, and this is the only cut price we will offer, and some party, unknown to us, will get the buggy; come or send for one, as they go fast at this price, 85c. —MURRAY SADDLE & HARNESS CO.

## WHERE TO WORSHIP.

The Church of Christ, worshipping at the court house, is very fortunate in securing J. A. Harding, of Bowling Green, Ky., to conduct a series of meetings in a tent beginning Aug. 7. The tent will be situated on the west side of court square.

As an evangelist Bro. Harding has few equals. He has labored successfully in protracted meetings in many of our cities and prominent country places in different parts of the United States and Canada. He has preached more in Nashville, Tenn., and Detroit, Mich., than any other cities, having held meetings in different parts of Nashville covering a period of more than six months during which time more than three hundred souls were converted.

Song services will be conducted by Dr. L. K. Harding. The public is invited to unite in these services.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Scott, of Paducah, will occupy the pulpit both morning and night, and at the morning services the Communion will be observed. The night services will continue to be evangelistic. Special music for the morning will be:

Voluntary—Sounds of Spring—Wenzel—Miss Owen. Offertory—Anthem—Choir. Postlude—Selected—Mrs. Fulton.

We are looking and praying and planning for one of the greatest spiritual revivals in the history of Calloway County. Rev. Walt Holcomb one of our greatest evangelists will be with us beginning with the first week in September and we want to enlist the fullest co-operation on the part of all of our near by congregations within a radius of ten miles. Probably a hundred and fifty remained for the after service last Sunday night and we hope to see the time when all christians who can possibly do so will remain for the after service, for then more of the lost may be constrained to remain. Truly never before in the history of Murray and of Calloway County has the responsibility of Christian citizenship been so intense. Pray for every service and back up your prayers by your presence and co-operation.

Rev. Scott and wife, of Paducah, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Paul Jefferson and family. While here Rev. Scott will assist Rev. J. M. Hamill in a several days meeting at Goshen.

## Pain in Heart

"For two years I had pain in my heart, back and left side. Could not draw a deep breath or lie on left side, and any little exertion would cause palpitation. Under advice I took Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy and Nerveine. I took about thirteen bottles, and in better health than I ever was, and have gained 14 pounds."

MRS. LILLIE THOMAS, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

For many years Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy has been very successful in the treatment of heart troubles, because of its tonic effect upon the heart nerves and muscles. Even in severe cases of long standing it has frequently prolonged life for many years after doctors had given up all hope; as proven by thousands of letters we have received from grateful people.

Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy is sold by all druggists. If the first bottle fails to benefit, your druggist will return your money. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

## Murray Takes 'Em All.

Trenton, Tenn., sent what was purported to be a base ball team to Murray Tuesday of this week for a series of three games with the local team. The first game resulting in a victory for the home team by a score of 5 to 1. A double header was played Wednesday afternoon resulting in victory for the local team by scores of 0-4 and 3-8. The Dresden team will be here Friday and Saturday and two games are to be expected as the Dresden team is considered a strong bunch.

## Operated for Appendicitis.

Alex Roach was operated on for appendicitis at La Center Monday, by Dr. Bob Overby. Dr. Overby was assisted by Drs. Johnson and Rollins, and Mrs. R. B. Stewart, a former nurse at Riverside Hospital, Paducah. Mr. Roach is a son-in-law of the Rev. R. E. Brassfield, of Kevil. At the latest report he was progressing nicely on his way to recovery. Rev. Brassfield only recently returned home from Paducah, after having undergone an operation for the same trouble.

## Notice to Taxpayers.

All persons who have been exempted from the payment of poll taxes are notified that they must be supplied with a notice of exemption by Sept. 1st, at which time I will commence taking the lists of the county. Do not neglect this as I will be compelled to list you for poll taxes unless you have a notice instructing me otherwise. —HARDY ROGERS, Assessor.

## Commercial Club Dues.

At a meeting of the Murray Commercial Club held Monday night August 1st, 1910, the Secretary was ordered by the body to collect all dues of the Commercial Club at once. We find there is \$142.00 dues unpaid. Each member is urged to pay his dues within the next ten days to W. H. Finney or W. L. Fulton at the Farmers & Merchants Bank.

## Will Rebuild Church.

Mr. Dan Grinter, of Cadiz, was in Hopkinsville Thursday and closed a contract with the Forbes Mfg. Co. to rebuild the Christian church building in Cadiz, which was wrecked a month ago by the explosion of an acetylene gas lighting plant. The damage amounted to about \$4,000, and only \$500 of fire insurance was collected.

## Public Sale Notice.

I will offer my household and kitchen furniture, together with one mare and one milch cow, for sale at public auction at my residence on Price street Saturday, Aug. 13th, at 9:30 o'clock. Terms made known at sale. My residence also for sale at a bargain if sold at once. —J. K. MATHEWNEY.

## Looking For Bargains?

The time has come when everybody is looking for bargains and if you will step down to the big 5 and 10 cent store at Bray's Gallery you will find them. Large enamel dishpans, as long as they last, 15c each, large stew cups at 10c. Come quick. Such bargains will not last long. —2c.

## Free Tuition.

All eligible persons are entitled to free tuition in the Western Kentucky State Normal School. The Fall session begins Sept. 6th 1910. President Write H. H. Cherry, Bowling Green, Ky., for information.

Apply a cotton cloth wet with Ballard's Snow Liniment to all wounds, cuts, burns, sores or blisters, and note its wonderful healing power. It is prompt and very effective. Price 25c 50c \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.



## For Hot Days



JUST the newest and loveliest things in millinery for the all too brief midsummer have been placed before the fascinated eyes of the devotee to outdoors and fashion. Black and white or the coldest of colors, lace and more lace, these are the paramount ideas that the modistes have put into triumph of execution. Nothing was ever imagined for the dog days, lovelier than the hat of white chip in which the contour of the brim is outlined with two rolled folds of black velvet placed on the under side. About the crown are set large roses made of fine princess lace and set in dark green foliage. These flowers of lace are exquisite. So far the lily and rose have been made and no other blossoms can be more beautiful than they. Wide Val edging for the roses and all-over patterns for the lilies are destined to be the favorite, but if one possesses a long purse or has some yards of old lace, please imagine roses made of a duchess lace! The finest of silk covered wire has to be sewed in to hold the petals or simulated petals in place. For the roses, a wreath can be managed without cutting the lace but for lilies the petals

must be shaped, unless each is made separately by a lacemaker. No one will be so foolish as to cut up fine hand made laces. Lilies, therefore, are destined to be made of the best machine made lace. But, as this season will not see the last of the lace flowers, it is worth while to make separate petals of rennaissance of other fine lace, for those who know how.

Numbers of hats in hair braid or hemp or fine chipware overlaid with wide chintilly lace. Black over white chip or white over black, is all there is to tell. Plumes, pompoms and aigrettes finish them; these, too, in black or white.

The small drooping brim round hat continues the favorite for motoring and general wear when the matter of protection claims the first attention. Black and white striped ribbon and button roses, made of straw like that in the hat, leave nothing to be desired for such a model. In the picture the hat is of silver-blue straw, the flowers of the same, and a long adjustable veil of white chiffon is an accessory to be put on and off at pleasure.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

### LINEN DRESS



A simple semi-princess dress is shown here, that is a style specially suited to linen. The panel front that extends the whole length is attached to the sides by wide wrapped seams. The back is not a panel, but the bodice and skirt have slight fullness at waist. The turn-over collar and cuffs are of embroidered lawn.

Materials required: 6 yards 40 inches wide.

**Bracelets Over Gloves.**  
Few women seem to realize that bracelets over gloves are almost or quite as bad as rings over gloves. If one wears a bracelet with long gloves, at all it should be worn under them; but if possible it should not be worn.

### GLOVES MATCH THE COSTUME.

No More White Ones Are Worn, and Where They Seem Necessary Cream Color Is Used.

No more white gloves! Gloves match the costume, or, where they ought to be white, according to all social canons, they are cream. Suede slippers, too, match the costume, and the stockings with them are—flesh colored!

Vanity bags of gold clasp now like a flat purse. The meshed bags are no longer plain, but are in two metals—gold and gunmetal, or oxidized silver and copper—interwoven in a quaint pattern.

Tortoise-shell is made up into everything, from powder cases to umbrella handles; and there is a great deal of gunmetal and jet seen, owing to the king's death and the public mourning that Paris seems to have assumed with England.

For the same reason, orchids, real and artificial, are on view everywhere; since they were Edward's favorite flower.

Finally, wooden beads. The fad has become a craze, and wooden beads, in black and colors, are as thick as locusts during the plague in Egypt.

**Silk Fishnet.**  
If in your shopping tours you are fortunate enough to see a piece of silk fishnet, buy it.

The coars mesh offers little covering, but much decoration, when used over a contrasting shade of supple material.

In gray or the favorite wine color it allows almost any combination. For entire turbans, for huge bows or for transparent scarfs to be thrown over gorgeous evening costumes, fishnet is a valuable asset in the up-to-date woman's wardrobe.

**A Cushion Edge.**  
Scallops—large shallow scallops done in coarse buttonhole stitch with linen floss or heavy cotton—form the attractive edge of a cretonne sofa pillow.

It is advisable to use the natural linen color of the background, as it will be found more effective than the more brilliant colors of the flowers.

## MADE TO DECEIVE

VITAL TRUTH ABOUT THE TARIFF SCHEDULES.

Manipulation by Senator Aldrich Will Add Millions to the Profits of the Rubber Trust Within a Short Time.

Governor Marshall's statement that tariff schedules were put forward for the purpose of deception finds apt illustration in the case of the change made in the duty on rubber, to which Senator Aldrich, in his recent speech, called attention. The duty on manufactured rubber was raised from 30 to 35 per cent. (although Senator Aldrich made the mistake, as the New York Post points out, of saying that it was raised from 25 to 30). Now here is the harmless way in which this appears in the schedule:

"Manufactures of bone, chip, grass, horn, India rubber, palm leaf, straw, weeds or whalebone."

The house had made no change in the rubber duty. But Senator Aldrich's committee added the 5 per cent. to manufactured rubber, while the raw material comes in free. Two or three large rubber companies consolidated, the arrangement going into effect last November. Here is the board of directors of the consolidation:

"E. B. Aldrich, Nelson W. Aldrich, Herman B. Haruch, Henry A. Blingham, Daniel Guggenheim, S. R. Guggenheim, Paul Morton, Allen A. Ryan, William Sprague."

A month later another company was absorbed and the first named director (the whole board remaining), was made vice-president and executive head of the consolidation. He is a son of the senator. Verily, the tariff schedules are made to deceive, as Governor Marshall said, but they do not deceive the men that make them. These know exactly what they are for and how to use them.

While a difference of 5 per cent. may not seem great it will aggregate an enormous sum to the rubber trust.

If not, what purpose was there in the change? Our imports of manufactured rubber are insignificant, while our imports of raw rubber amount to more than a hundred millions of dollars annually. Since the manufactured imports are a negligible quantity, what was to be gained for revenue by a 5 per cent. advance? Nothing worth speaking of. But the advance would enable the rubber trust to raise the prices. Speaking to this point the New York Evening Post says:

"No amount of statistical demonstration that the tariff has been revised downward will avail" against particular instances of deliberate outrage, such as those contained in the changes of the cotton schedule and the retention of the intolerable woolen schedule of the Dingley act. This rubber business is not so serious as those, from the point of view of the burden it places on the people; but it is like every bit as insidious a specimen of the fine art of tariff graft."

This touches again the further statement of Governor Marshall's that the tariff had taught us how to make graft legal. Could there be sharper illustration of it than this? The tariff raises of 5 per cent., which the senate added to the house's bill and which was for the direct benefit of a combine whose board of directors is given above, or could there be given a clearer illustration of the direct connection between protection and monopoly, or the connection of both with the powers that thus have ordered and controlled the Republican party?—Indianapolis News.

### The Policy of Obstruction.

If we are to compete with European countries in supplying the markets of South America, or Asia or any country that does not manufacture for itself, with manufactured goods, it is certain that we must produce and sell them as cheaply as our competitors do. We can not do this with high prices and high costs of living for our own producers, and unless we do it in some way it is useless to talk about promoting trade by subsidizing ships or establishing banks or expediting mails. It is the cost of the goods that determine the trade. If we are to reduce that cost without lowering our "standard of living," which is a different thing from cost of living as determined by prices, we must remove taxes from materials and obstacles from the interchange of products with other nations. We must abandon the policy of obstruction. New York Journal of Commerce.

### The Tariff in Your Home.

Two hundred and fifty Chicagoans in one day appeared before the board of review and secured the annulment of their assessments on the plea that if they paid taxes they would be unable to pay ordinary living expenses.

Thus the tariff invades the American household and robs the wife and children of the necessities of life by increasing their cost beyond the purse of the average man.

Is it any wonder that American voters are up in arms against the Aldrich-Taft law, which taxes the American home to roll up enormous unearned profits for eastern rail bosses?—Chicago Journal.

Inasmuch as the president will devote his attention to the tariff, it is not surprising that the Republican party has kept its campaign promises. It is assumed that he has finally accepted the theory that there was no promise of revision downward.

## GREATER MONROE DOCTRINE

Obligations and Limitations of the United States Must Alike Be Recognized.

It fell to the lot of President Cleveland, essentially a man of peace and in no view a jingo, to revive and vitalize the Monroe doctrine. Possibly it may be the duty of President Taft to enlarge the understanding of the world-regarding the significance and scope of this broadened principle of American independence.

The cabled announcement that the delegations of Chile and Brazil, supported also by the Argentine delegation, contemplate introducing a resolution for the consideration of the Latin-American conference declaring Monroeism a Pan-American and not merely a North American doctrine is an illustration of the way world politics moves. Such action might readily lead to an expression on the part of the United States that would modify or widen the concrete definition of our national policy which came so forcibly during the Cleveland administration.

However this may be, it is altogether certain public sentiment of the United States will not approve or support any movement intended to associate the United States with any other country in anything partaking of the character of an offensive and defensive alliance. We shall not object, of course, to the spread of Monroeism so far as it involves the acceptance of our doctrine that no European power will be permitted to acquire territory not already held on the American continent. But that is as far as the United States will be willing to go.

When it comes to the enforcement of the doctrine the United States will proceed on its own initiative and in its own way. We can accept supporters, but we cannot consent to partners. We are not ready for the part of the world power obligated by treaty to make war if necessary upon the call of its ally.—St. Louis Republic.

### Makes Way for a Younger Man.

Col. John Singleton Mosby, once the brilliant and daring leader of Mosby's Partisan Rangers, which played havoc with the wagon trains of the Army of the Potomac and had an unpleasant habit of going right into the Union camps at dead of night and carrying off the officers, has lost his government job. Colonel Mosby makes no complaint. In fact, he has no foundation for one, although he has been a patriotic supporter of the Union ever since he laid down his command in the Confederate army, and a Republican in politics ever since he became the intimate friend of General Grant. He was consul at Hong Kong from 1878 to 1885, special agent of the General land office for Colorado from 1891 to 1894, and assistant attorney of the department of justice since 1894. At the age of 73, although still hale and hearty, he is considered a little too old and perhaps a little too conservative for his job. With yard-long knotty questions concerning the rights of land grabbers, and the opposition of the conservationists, with the friar lands scandal, resulting from the sale, contrary to law, of the best lands to agents of the sugar trust in 20,000 acre lots, and at about one-tenth of the price the government paid for them, the department of justice needs younger men who are likely of foot, pliable of wit and with a good punch in either hand. We could not expect Colonel Mosby to execute all the quick shift, sidesteps and ducks that the pending cases would seem to require.

### The Friar Lands.

There seems to be something queer about the sale of the friar lands in the Philippines. Congressman Martin charged that a vast tract was sold for the benefit of the sugar trust—or it came to that. He denounced the sale as against the spirit of the law of 1902, which restricted the sale of public lands to small tracts and for the benefit of the people at large. Our government meant that public lands should not fall into the hands of a few individuals or corporations as has happened so often in our own country. Our government meant to take opportunity by the forelock in this case and the public lands were to be saved to the Philippines. But there came this application for more than 50,000 acres of the friar lands and the question arose: Did the friar lands come within the public land law? We think most people will agree that there is no question about it, as there is no moral one. The Philippines are of limited area; we started in to preserve the public lands thereof free from monopoly and then we have sold the hands of a few individuals and corporations as has happened so often in our own country. Our government meant to take opportunity by the forelock in this case and the public lands were to be saved to the Philippines. But there came this application for more than 50,000 acres of the friar lands and the question arose: Did the friar lands come within the public land law? We think most people will agree that there is no question about it, as there is no moral one. The Philippines are of limited area; we started in to preserve the public lands thereof free from monopoly and then we have sold the hands of a few individuals and corporations as has happened so often in our own country. Our government meant to take opportunity by the forelock in this case and the public lands were to be saved to the Philippines. 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## HEROIC MEASURES

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Same parlor—same young lady—  
same young man.

Same—subject—same—argument—  
same failure to agree. Same silence  
for ten long minutes. Then:

"Adele, it is the most foolish  
thing I ever heard of."

"You have said that before."

"And I shall keep on saying so."

"But it will do no good if father  
consents."

"He never will."

"I am sure he will."

Miss Adele Sargent, daughter of  
the lumber baron, who had been a  
widower for three or four years, was  
engaged to Mr. Horace Willets, her  
father's secretary. It was with her  
father's consent. The course of true  
love and of all the brooks and rivers  
in the country was running smoothly  
when the blow fell without an in-  
stant's warning.

Mr. Willets had escorted Miss  
Adele to the theater. The play was  
emotional, and the audience had  
been deeply moved. The curtain had  
just gone down on the second act  
when the young lady turned and an-  
nounced:

"I shall have a play written and  
go on the stage."

Mr. Willets smiled indulgently—  
indulgently and a little fatherly for  
a young man of twenty-three.

Nothing further was said until he  
called the next evening. Five min-  
utes after he had entered the parlor  
Miss Adele was saying:

"I want you to find time to go  
with me to some playhouse to see  
about a play. It must be an emo-

gated to her. He could give wine  
suppers to the critics.

When the lover had argued to the  
quarreling point he stopped arguing.  
Few young men have the sense to do  
that. He had a little talk with her  
father. Any man who has made  
three millions out of pine boards is a  
wise man. Mr. Sargent was wise.

"My boy," he said to Horace, "ar-  
gument seldom convinces anybody.  
Action is the thing."

"But you can't mean that you will  
consent to let Adele go on the stage?"

"I shall not argue with her about  
it. She will ask for an interview in  
a day or two. Keep mum until after  
that."

"But, you see—"

"Keep mum. How did I cut half  
my lumber from government land  
except by keeping mum?"

The interview took place. Miss  
Adele at first declared that she wanted  
to be an actress that she might  
move the world to tears, but later  
on confessed that a desire to see her  
name in the papers had something to  
do with it.

"You know, papa, you are a dear  
old thing," she argued, "just a dear  
old thing and worth a lot of money,  
but you are never mentioned in the  
papers. The public doesn't know  
you. We'll try to bring it about."

"And I am to see about having a  
play written?"

"Very soon. Just as soon as my  
present rush is over. Run away,  
now, and continue to be good."

A day or two later the lumber  
baron said to his secretary:

"Horace, can you swim?"

"I used to be good at it, but I'm  
a little out of practice now."

"Get in practice at once."

"Yes, sir."

"Do you know any newspaper  
men?"

"About a dozen. You know the  
press used to be anxious to find out  
where the other half of your pine  
was cut."

"Give the men boxes of cigars as  
fast as you run across them, and say  
that cases of champagne may fol-  
low."

"Yes, sir."

"And if you know where Adele  
got her past photos go and order a  
hundred sent to me personally. And  
argue with her no more."

A week later the lumber baron's  
steam yacht started for Albany with  
just a little family party aboard.  
Beautiful day. Beautiful Hudson.  
Happy occasion. Business and pleas-  
ure combined. Sing Sing prison  
had just been passed when the bar-  
on, the lover and the young lady  
rushed to the bow to look at some  
floating object. Too much rush.  
Miss Adele goes overboard uttering  
a long-drawn scream. Horace fol-  
lows, uttering a heroic yell. Yacht  
is stopped—couple rescued—yacht  
returns home.

Six interviewers on the front steps  
more coming. Great demand  
for photographs. Great and insis-  
tent demand to know how Miss Adele  
felt when dropping overboard—when  
in the water—when she realized that  
death was at hand—when the noble  
young man reached her and held her  
head above the water.

Six column articles in the morn-  
ing papers, accompanied by six pic-  
tures.

Seven two-column articles in the  
afternoon papers, accompanied by  
seven pictures.

Eight more reporters during the  
day. They were shown down cellar  
and up into the garret. They inter-  
viewed the cook and butler as well.  
They carried away the tinsy of  
Miss Adele's great-grandmother.

Eight more articles in the morn-  
ing papers. Nine in the afternoon  
journals. Heroine described from  
her head to her toes. Also her  
wardrobe. Also the front and back  
yards.

"Adele, I think you and Horace  
had better go today and see about  
that play," remarked the baron after  
ten days of interviewing.

"And I don't!" was the reply.

"Horace thinks we ought to get mar-  
ried next month, and so do I!"

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one, even in Norway, are they?

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over her face and body, also on her  
head. She scratched so that she could  
not sleep nights. I used Cuticura  
Soap to wash her with and then ap-  
plied Cuticura Ointment. I did not  
use quite half the Cuticura Soap and  
Ointment, together with Cuticura Re-  
solvant, when you could see a change  
and they cured her nicely. Now she  
is eleven years old and has never been  
bothered with eczema since. My  
friends think it is just great the way  
the baby was cured by Cuticura. I  
send you a picture taken when she was  
about 18 months old.

"She was taken with the eczema  
when two years old. She was covered  
with big sores and her mother had all  
the best doctors and tried all kinds of  
salves and medicines without effect  
until we used Cuticura Remedies. Mrs.  
H. Kieran, 663 Quincy St., Brooklyn,  
N. Y., Sept. 27, 1909."

## Clever Joke of Kind King.

King Edward's great nature was il-  
lustrated the other night by a London  
correspondent at the Press club in  
New York.

"The king," said the correspondent,  
"was visiting Rufford Abbey, and one  
morning, in company with his host,  
Lord Arthur Savile, he took a walk  
over the preserves."

"Suddenly Lord Arthur, a big burly  
man, rushed forward and seized a  
shabby fellow with a dead pheasant  
protruding from the breast of his coat."

"This fellow is a bad egg. This is the  
second time I've caught him poisoning."

"But the king's handsome face  
beamed, and he laughed his gay and  
tolerant laugh."

"Oh, let him go," he said. "If he  
really were a bad egg, you know, he  
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annoyance are we preparing our-  
selves gradually for the discipline of  
trials.—R. M. Goulburn.

## A woman's idea of an intelligent man is one who can talk whether or not he has in his soul.

## THE REASON.

"Pop, why do people in Wall  
street put water in their stocks?"

"To be in the financial swim, my  
son."—Baltimore American.

## WHERE HE SAW RESEMBLANCE

Apt Remark of Small Boy Embar-  
rassed Toper and Filled Car  
With Merriment.

Jimmie, who is a very small boy  
living in the East end, accompanied  
his mother downtown several days  
ago. Nearly everything he saw was  
quite new to him, so he was not spar-  
ing in his comments and opinions and  
questions.

Seated opposite Jimmie and his  
mother on the car homebound was an  
individual who, judging by the "blos-  
som" on his nose, had partaken freely  
of joy water. None of Jimmie's neigh-  
bors possessed an appendage that  
could compare with the one across the  
nose.

In silence Jimmie took in the situ-  
ation and the "blossom." His thoughts  
must have grown so curious that they  
could not be withheld any longer and  
he finally blurted out in a loud voice:

"Mamma, is that Santa Claus?"  
pointing to the man with the red nose.

Embarrassed, Jimmie's mother tried  
to silence her son, but it was no use.  
In an audible whisper the connection  
between the man and Santa Claus was  
disclosed much to the discomfort of  
the man.

"Why, mamma, didn't I say in that  
story about Santa Claus that Santa  
had a 'nose like a cherry'?" he asked,  
and the car was in an uproar.—Pitts-  
burg Times-Gazette.

## There Should.

Fritz the gardener was a stolid Ger-  
man who was rarely moved to ex-  
traordinary language. Even the most  
provocative occasions only caused him  
to remark mildly on his ill-luck. Not  
long ago he came back from the city  
in the late evening after a hard day  
in the market place. He was sleepy,  
and the train being crowded, the bag-  
gageman gave him a chair in his  
roomy car.

Finally the train reached Bloom-  
field. Fritz still slept as it pulled in  
and his friend had to shake him and  
tell him where he was.

"I thank you," said Fritz, as he rose  
slowly to his feet. The open door of  
the car was directly in front of him.  
He walked straight out of it.

The baggageman sprang to look after  
him. Fritz slowly picked himself up  
from the sand by the side of the  
track, looked up at the door, and said  
with no wrath in his voice:

"There should here be some steps."  
—St. Paul Dispatch.

## Merely a Prevaricator.

A doctor relates the following story:  
"I had a patient who was very ill and  
who ought to have gone to a warmer  
climate so I resolved to try what hypo-  
notism would do for him. I had a  
large sun mounted on the ceiling of his  
room and by suggestion induced him  
to think it was the sun which would  
cure him. The ruse succeeded, and  
he was getting better rapidly when  
one-day on my arrival I found he was  
dead."

"Did it fail, after all, then?" asked  
one of the doctor's hearers.

"No," replied the doctor, "he died  
of sunstroke."

## The Dentist's Joke.

At a recent dinner of the Authors'  
club in London to Mr. Owen Seaman,  
the editor of Punch, Mr. Walter  
Emanuel, another member of the staff  
of Punch, referred to the fact that the  
man with the largest sense of humor  
he had ever struck was an Englishman  
—a dentist. He went to him after suf-  
fering long with a toothache. He re-  
fused to have his teeth, and the dentist  
pulled out a tooth, leaving him writ-  
ing in pain, and took the tooth to the  
window, where he laughed quite heart-  
ily. He groaned: "What's the joke?"  
"Wrong tooth," said the dentist.

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## Wife and Country.

Paul D. Cavath, the noted New  
York lawyer, said at a luncheon at the  
Lawyers' club: "Vacation time is  
here, and already that dreadful song  
about the wife gone to the country  
is being resurrected. But a variant  
to the song was furnished by a con-  
versation I overheard the other night.  
"Hello, Smith," said one man to  
another. "I'm glad to see you back  
at the club again, old fellow. Wife  
off to the country eh?"  
"No," growled Smith. "She's got  
back."

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## WELL QUALIFIED.

Squillbob—That fellow over there  
would make a splendid magazine poet.  
Squilligan—A genius, eh?  
Squillbob—No, but he has dyspepsia  
so bad that he wouldn't get so hungry  
living.

## ANNUAL LOSS IS ENORMOUS

Two Hundred Million Dollars a Year  
Might Be Added to Wealth  
of Country.

Computing that there are in the  
United States at least 300,000 indigent  
consumptives who should be cared for  
in charitable or semi-charitable san-  
atoria and hospitals, the National As-  
sociation for the Study and Preven-  
tion of Tuberculosis estimates that  
the annual cost to the country for the  
treatment of these persons would be  
\$50,000,000 at the rate of \$1500 per  
day per patient. At the lowest pos-  
sible estimate the country loses \$200,  
000,000 a year from the incapacity of  
these indigent victims of tuberculo-  
sis. This would mean a net saving of  
\$150,000,000 a year to the United  
States if all victims of consumption  
who are too poor to afford proper  
treatment in expensive sanatoria were  
cared for at the expense of the munici-  
pality, county or state. And this an-  
nual gain does not include the enor-  
mous saving that would accrue from  
the lessened infection due to the seg-  
regation of the dangerous consump-  
tives in institutions.

## The Ready Theorist.

"You see," explained the scientist,  
"house flies are dangerous because  
they carry germs on their feet."

"Ah!" exclaimed the ready theorist;  
"then the remedy is simple. All you  
need to do is to make them wear over-  
shoes and leave them on the porch  
when they come in."

She is not the only thing that  
reaches the home base when the ques-  
tion of championship is about to be  
settled.

## The Fountain Head of Life Is The Stomach

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**AUGUST.**  
Last year,  
Alack and als!  
Beverly, Mass.,  
And Bill on the flat  
Of his back in the grass  
Sounding the depths  
Of the opaline sky  
And watching the cloud  
Floating dreamily by.  
Last year,  
Alack and als!  
Beverly, Mass.,  
This year,  
Sagamore Hill,  
Strenuous still,  
And no one complaining  
For want of a thrill,  
Slindy and ease,  
Just as certain as fate—  
Beverly, Mass.,  
Can dream early or late,  
Snore as it pleases,  
And snore as it will—  
This year,  
Sagamore Hill.

Of August it may first be said, its name is from Augustus, whom men have likened unto Ted, perhaps without injustice. He made the world go round about as many times a minute, and the news was always dull without the great Augustus in it.

He had his Ananias Club for liars and for faders, and he loved to sail his little tub among the Roman breakers. He counted peace a sort of plague, and never did pursue it, but let it rally at The Hague, and you couldn't beat him to it.

He preached about the same old things that Teddy has been preaching, and most of Rome's awakenings resulted from his teaching. He battled hotly for the right, and valiently imbued it, and the stork could not attempt to light but what he up and shooed it.

There was, however, one affair to tell which is to tattle, and that was where this Roman bear was coming in from battle. He had, of course, put everything opposing him to slumber, and Rome awaited him to sing some laudatory number.

But here the parallel desists. Augustus said them, No, sir! and when he entered with his lists it might have been the grocer for all the greeting that he got from that admiring chorus, the which desire, of course, was not a bit like Theodoros.

But however, when he died the month that loves to grill us was being written far and wide the season of Sextilus. The wanted to commemorate the hot time he presented the nation with, at any rate, so August was invented.

The dog days will resume again, And the man who voted water With the weather down to eight or ten

Below will grow the hotter With wishing that he had foreseen

The season hot and stewing, And nothing but a choice between Pink lemons and blueing.

It will not strike him, we're afraid, as when the cold was stinging, and up and down the wide-swept street the icicles were clinging. There's nothing like a dry parade, the shouts of Halleluiah, and the children skillfully arrayed for what you went to fool you.

It's very easy to forget there's such a thing as Summer, or such a quantity as sweat, what time the busy drummer is rub-a-dubbing up the street a million bumps a minute, and the line sweeps by with rhythmic feet and the little shavers in it.

It somehow makes it seem that booze is only fit for moters, and in the scuffle that ensues not very many voters bethink them that a chance remains that milk won't give them gristle to last when August boils their brains and their ears begin to whistle.

A crafty temperance is that contriving its elections when Boreas is at the bat in these disputed sections. There is a time for everything, to labor and to potter, and one is to sit away back and sing inaudibly for water.

At any rate the world will spin With very small pretension, And the Fall elections will begin To clamor for attention. The next few weeks will fire the gun Repeatedly and aftly, And a lot of folks begin to run For office very softly.

The bold insurgent will have polled the principal chautauquas, and will by that time have been told how far discreet his balk was, or if to follow his attack with further demonstration, or quietly to tip-toe back upon the reservation.

The hopeful Democrat will tool this way and that way training, and hope to have us as a rule have none of their explaining. He'll carefully trim up his wicks and get his pump pulsation, and pass the grand stand every six or seven seconds waiting.

There'll be some dust put up, it seems, when this event gets going, and some things starting at the seams that wanted proper sewing. No wonder Roosevelt came back, and nowadays his gun is rusting in the shooting rack, when here is where the fun is.

The time of green and growing things will near its termination, and the song the thrasher sweetly sings will come with moderation. We'll sort o' think of autumn time, the hunter and the nutter, and the fishing hole will wear a slime as thick as apple butter.

And then September will return In good autumnal fashion, And the poet fall upon his harp In something of a passion.

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## FATAL SHOOTING IN LYON LAST WEEK.

(Continued from Page One.)

ed over to Sheriff T. L. Cash tonight.

Axiom Cooper was shot in an affray at a barbecue near Sinaldo in Lyon county, Saturday, and died last night. During the fight between Cooper and several other participants many shots were fired, Cooper being the only person injured. The fatal wound was through the groin.

Friends of the men under arrest argue that they are innocent and that Cooper was the victim of an unknown enemy. However, the general sentiment is that he suffered at the hands of riders. Cooper was buried today near Trigg Furnace.

Previous to his death Cooper made a dying statement, which is in the hands of the commonwealth's attorney. He stoutly refuses to make it public, but intimation is to the effect that he has told friends that it indicts night riders, many of whom he named. There were several witnesses to the shooting, but none of them will talk.

Lyon practically is the only county in the state now that is suffering notoriety at the hands of night riders. For many months they have been in oblivion, but a few months ago they broke out there again, and the whole county is wrought up. The riders have many sympathizers, while there are equally as many citizens who demand that justice be meted out to them in the severest form.

Preliminary trials are expected to take place the latter part of the week at Eddyville.

The Best Hour of Life

is when you do some great deed or discover some wonderful fact. This hour came to J. R. Pitt, of Rocky Mt., N. C., when he was suffering intensely, as he says, "from the worst cold I ever had." I then proved to my great satisfaction, what a wonderful Cold and Cough cure Dr. King's New Discovery is. For after taking one bottle, I was entirely cured. You can't say anything too good of a medicine like that. It's the surest and best remedy for diseased lungs, hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hay Fever, sore Throat or Lung Trouble, 50c. \$1.00 Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Dale & Stubblefield.

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The Western Kentucky State Normal School offers a practical course of study in Elementary Agriculture, demonstration and actual work done on the school farm. Teachers will have an opportunity to prepare for teaching the subject. Great opportunities for young men who expect to make farming a life work. Course begins Sept. 6, 1910. Write for information. Address H. H. Cherry, President, Bowling Green, Ky.

Notice.

This is to certify that I have this day set my son, John Roberts, free to sue and be sued, to contract and be contracted with as if of age, and I will not be responsible for any of his acts in the future. This July 6th, 1910.—JAS. J. ROBERTS. 4t

Popular Citizen is Dead.

Willie Styles, aged about 28 years, died at his home last Thursday afternoon after a short illness of typhoid fever. He was a son of W. B. Styles of this place and was a young man of splendid reputation and worth. He is survived by a wife and one child. The funeral services were largely attended after which the burial took place in the Martins Chapel grave yard.

Big reduction in prices of ladies dress skirts and petticoats at E. B. Holland & Co.'s

## AUCTION SALE TOWN LOTS THURSDAY, AUGUST 18th, 1910, at 2 O'clock, P. M.

On the above date we are going to sell the most desirable residence property that has ever been offered to the people of Calloway county at public sale. In few instances have we ever been able to secure quite so nice a tract of land as we have in Murray, located as it is directly between the Institute and Fair Grounds, and is the most available residence property in Murray. One the extreme easy terms on which this property will be sold places it within the reach of everyone to secure a nice building site without paying a middleman's profit. You will find it much easier than you now think to own your own home if you will attend our sale on August 18 and make the start.

### Two Free Lots and \$10 in Gold to be Given Away It will Cost You Nothing for a Ticket.

What is your experience in handling real estate? Do you know of a man who has lost money on real estate? On the other hand don't you know a great many people who owe their success directly to purchases made in real estate? Look about you and see how many people with money invest.

We will appreciate your presence at our sale on August 18 whether you are a lot buyer or a spectator. We know our proposition is a good one and we want you to come and bring your wife and friends to our sale on August 18. Remember you get a chance at all the prizes whether you are a buyer or not.

**FREE BAND CONCERT.** Be with us on August 18. We are going to try to make it pleasant for every one who attends this sale.

**TERMS:** The terms that will prevail at this sale is One-third Cash, balance in Six and Twelve Months of equal installments with 6 per cent interest. Two per cent off deferred payments for all cash.

## HENRY REALTY CO. Office: New Murray Hotel.

### ATTRACTIVE RATES FOR VACATION TRIPS

August 13th and 20th. The Passenger Department of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway has issued a small leaflet giving full particulars as to Excursion rates available on dates as above. A good chance to take your vacation with little expense. Ask your home agent for a copy, or write to W. L. Danley, General Passenger Agent, Nashville, Tenn.

### Gasoline Ferry.

In going to Linton or Tobaccoport cross at Murray Landing. Ferry leaves Murray and Pine Bluff road at Brandon's Mill. New boats, good roads. Satisfaction guaranteed.—J. W. BARRETT. 3 mos\*

### Notice.

All parties indebted to Dr. Will Mason, Jr., for season of stock prior to 1910 are urgently requested to settle at once. If no call card and get your note, these matters must be settled. Yours truly, D. E. REDDEN.

Mr. R. A. Edwards passed through the city Monday from Lynnville to Bedford, where he has accepted the principalship of the Bedford county High School. —Paducah News-Democrat.

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### EACH COUNTY MUST ESTABLISH HIGH SCHOOL.

Judge Settle of the Court of Appeals hands down a decision that the school law providing for at least one high school in every county of the State, is mandatory, which is to say it is left neither to the sweet will of the county board of education nor the uncertain voice of the people, but MUST be established. In the same opinion it is held that it is not madatory that such high school be located at the county seat.

### Struck A Rich Mine.

S. W. Bonds, of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills for they cured him of Liver and Kidney Trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for Constipation, Malaria, Headaches, Dyspepsia, Debility, 25c at Dale & Stubblefield.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 15th, 1910,  
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Tickets good returning on any regular train up to and including train leaving NASHVILLE at 2:15 p. m., AUGUST 17, 1910.  
H. W. HILLS, Agent, Murray, Kentucky.