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MURRAY, KENTUCKY THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1914

FOR BECKHAM

Owensboro Messenger Makes Prediction that Ex-Gov. Will Receive More Vote than Opponents.

Owensboro, July 20.—Ex-Governor J. C. W. Beckham spoke here today to a crowd of more than 1,200 people and was given a most enthusiastic reception. He has always been strong in Owensboro but it is a remarkable fact that in this race the mayor and nearly every member of the city council, and practically all of the city officials, including twenty-one firemen, eighteen policemen and the street cleaning brigade, as well as many of the county officials, are earnestly supporting him.

Both of the newspapers seem friendly to his candidacy. In an editorial the Messenger tomorrow will say:

"The Messenger has not felt inclined to take a hand in the senatorial contest that has been on in Kentucky for months and which is now to close, so far as the nomination is concerned, in the next ten days. It owes none of these candidates anything. It has served all of them repeatedly in the past. It will give to the nominee of the Democratic party, when the primary votes have been counted, the best support at its command and will do its utmost to insure his election in November. The primary contest being now, however, virtually at an end and the leading candidates having both canvassed from 90 to 100 counties, it is not difficult, in view of the Messenger's opportunities for observation, to predict the result. It takes no great political prophet to do this. Mr. Beckham will win the nomination hands down. That was evident three months ago. Nothing has meanwhile transpired to change the situation. Mr. Stanley has made a most wonderful canvass; he is an indefatigable worker and a wonderful speaker but he seems to have made little headway.

"Gov. McCreary has made none at all and both of them have encountered a wave of public sentiment that it is impossible to brook. The people do not seem to have been impressed with perfunctory oratory on the part of any of these candidates. The one central idea with them is that a great wrong was done Beckham five years ago when as the Democratic nominee for senator he was slaughtered in the Democratic legislature; defeated by the lavish and corrupt use of money. The scandal of that Senatorial election was much greater than the Lorimer scandal; it warranted investigation and criminal prosecution but strange to say it was never investigated. The memory of it, however, has remained with the people and there is among them an irresistible determination to avenge that wrong and vindicate Beckham at the polls this year.

The Messenger has not been in hearty accord with Mr. Beckham for some years. It does not fully agree with him in some of the positions he is now taking. It does not find it possible to endorse over him any more than it does over Mr. Stanley. But as a newspaper it records faithfully what is going on in Kentucky today. Opposition to Beckham is useless. He will get more votes, many more votes, in the primary than Stanley and McCreary combined. His race for the nomination is won; further acrimonious speaking should be ended. It can only be destructive of party harmony and it is time to be looking forward to November.

Death of Mrs. Lundy Dale.

Tuesday at noon Mr. Charles F. Dale, of Murray, received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Hattie Haley Dale, wife of his brother, J. L. Dale, at their home in Alamogordo, New Mexico.

Several years ago Mr. Dale and family moved from his farm west of Murray to Macon, Tenn., and later to New Mexico, with the hope that the climate there might restore to health the devoted wife and mother.

Mrs. Dale had been ill of tuberculosis for three years, and though she well knew the dread white plague had marked her as a victim she bore her sufferings with Spartan-like fortitude and even when each day she anticipated the severance of earthly ties she maintained a cheerful spirit, a calmness and serenity that passeth human understanding, and at no time was she concerned so much about her own condition as for the comfort and well-being of those near and dear, whose heartstrings were wrung in agony as they saw her waste away to a shadow of her former self.

Mrs. Dale's maiden name was Hattie Haley. She was born in Tennessee and her father and mother dying when she was a child she came to Murray as a ward of the late N. T. Hale and made her home with Mrs. Catherine Dale. Her girlhood was spent in Murray where she was extremely popular, and throughout her entire life her lovable character and Christian graces endeared her to all with whom she became associated, whether in Tennessee, in Kentucky or in New Mexico. The many relatives and warm friends back home deeply sympathize with the stricken ones in their overwhelming sorrow.

Deceased is survived by her husband, two sons and four daughters. The funeral and burial took place at Alamogordo. Eld. Tant, of the Christian church, a life-long friend of the family conducted the last rites.

Has Your Child Worms?

Most children do. A Coated, Furred Tongue; Strong Breath; Stomach Pains; Cries under Eyes; Nervous, Fretful; Grinding of Teeth; Pale, Sallow Complexion; Tossing in Sleep; Peculiar Dreams—any one of these indicate Child has worms. Get a box of Kickapoo Worm Killer at once. It kills the worms—the cause of your child's condition. Is laxative and aids Nature to expel the worms. Supplied in candy form. Easy for children to take. 25c. at your druggist.

New Concord.

Raymond Fielder and Miss Duet McCuiston eloped to Tennessee Saturday and got married.

A few light showers of rain have fallen here but not enough to do any good for the crops. Cleve Kline and wife are the proud parents of twin boys.

Porter Elkins is sick of typhoid fever. Many crossties are being cut and hauled from this neighborhood.

Severe Attack of Colic Cured.

E. E. Cross, who travels in Virginia and other Southern states, was taken suddenly and severely ill with colic. At the first store he came to the merchant recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Two doses of it cured him. No one should leave home on a journey without a bottle of this preparation. For sale by all dealers.

HON. ROBERT H. SCOTT

Hon. Robt. Scott, of Paducah, candidate for the democratic nomination for congress from this district, spoke to a representative crowd of Calloway voters at the court house in this city last Saturday afternoon. He was given the very closest attention throughout and made a host of friends and supporters. His speech was a political innovation, replete with an array of facts and devoted to a masterly discussion of measures of importance to the people of this nation. But "Bob" Scott could make no other character of speech if he wanted to do so. He is one of the cleanest men morally in the state, a man of splendid character and superior ability and a legislator who has been tested and found true. His record as a member of the state legislature and state senate will bear the searchlight of honest investigation.

During the entire two hours devoted to speaking he never made uncomplimentary reference to a single opponent nor made a derogatory remark regarding any man opposing him in his present aspirations. He proved his ability as a man worthy of the confidence and support of the people and his hearers attested their faith in him by repeated applause and personal assurance of support in the August primary. Mr. Scott will receive a splendid vote in Calloway, and it is freely predicted that he will carry the county by a splendid majority over his leading opponent.

Mr. Barkley, the present congressman, has lost much of his strength in this county because of his appointment of the present postmaster in this city. The Ledger sees this fact and it would be useless for any supporter of the present congressman to deny the same. Let us review a little political history of the past. When W. J. Stone was congressman from this district and a candidate to succeed himself a number of Murray citizens were applicants for the postoffice. It was agreed by a majority of the applicants to leave the matter to the people in a preferential primary. All the candidates but one consented to the primary and Mr. K. Robertson, the present postmaster, received the largest number of votes, and under every rule of right was entitled to the endorsement of Mr. Stone. But Mr. Stone was not a servant of those who placed him in office but assumed the role of an absolute dictator, and disregarding the wishes of the democrats appointed the one applicant who refused to participate in the primary. Mr. Stone never went back to congress or to any other office within the gift of the people.

When Woodrow Wilson was elected president and Mr. Barkley was sent to congress quite a number of democrats made known the fact that they desired to serve the city of Murray in the capacity of postmaster. Each of the applicants circulated petitions and hundreds of democrats attached their names to the endorsement of favorites for the place. Finally Mr. W. O. Wear, Mr. Lee Lucas and the late Mr. Lemuel Lassiter agreed that they would submit the matter to a primary vote of the Murray magisterial district, and this fact was also made known to Mr. Robertson, the present appointee of Mr. Barkley. Mr. Robertson did not think so kindly of the primary this time as

he did before. The remaining applicants circulated a petition which was signed by nearly every democrat in the district, fully one thousand names being on the petition, asking of Mr. Barkley that they, the voters of the county who put Mr. Barkley in office, be permitted to select their local servant just like they selected Mr. Barkley to go to congress. Mr. Barkley said no, and Mr. K. Robertson, the only applicant who did not think kindly of the primary, was appointed postmaster. History often repeats. Captain Stone defied the people and was defeated. Mr. Barkley has defied the people, and we believe as one result Lemuel Lassiter rests beneath a sodded mound covered with "Fresh blown roses washed in dew."

Why not the people have the right to select the servant who must serve them every day as well as the right to select their representative in congress? If Mr. Barkley promised this appointment before his election he violated the Federal statute, and when he refused the people of this district the right of local self government he violated every principle of right, he defied the people. It is conceded upon every hand that had the matter been left where it rightfully belongs, in the hands of the people, that the present postmaster would have been badly worsted in the final result.

When the government of the United States takes out of the hands of congressmen and senators the spoils system and places within the keeping of the people the sovereign right to select ALL servants then corruption will largely cease and never until then.

"Bob" Scott is pledged to comply with the rights of the people, and if elected to the national congress no such overriding of the expressed wishes of the voters will occur while he is serving them at Washington. This is sufficient reason why every man who believes in the right of self government should vote for "Bob" Scott, and the Ledger is frank to state that it believes that this inalienable right will be exercised at the polls on the first Saturday in August.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the daytime you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. **BERBERINE** cures all disorders produced by an enactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Tobacco Sales.

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Sales place	This wk.	Season
Clarksville	682	7475
Springfield	1003	9573
Paducah	189	1951
Hopkinsville	207	1199

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Boys' Homecoming Celebrated.

Mr. E. M. (Tobe) Turner recently decided to celebrate the homecoming of his boys and his fifteenth birthday by giving a dinner to his many neighbors and friends, and as Mr. Turner is not a man who does things by halves the affair was a complete success.

At an early hour the guests began to assemble and continued to come until the yard was full. Mr. Turner being a man who is widely and favorably known, distant towns of Calloway and Graves counties were well represented.

The morning was spent in social chat and heartily partaking of cold drinks which had been abundantly provided. A long table was erected in the cool shade which was soon loaded with a great variety of viands, from the most substantial to a great profusion of dainties. Mrs. Turner and her assistants would be hard to excel in the culinary art, and also in making friends feel pleasant and at home.

To say that we all did ample justice to the bountiful repast would be putting it mildly.

Mr. Turner has not neglected the education of his children, having prepared them for any position in life. James is in Nashville while Cecil and Lester are in Louisville, all holding lucrative and responsible positions.

The day passed swiftly and pleasantly, and all went to their homes wishing that Mr. Turner and family might see many happy returns of the day.

Billie.

Cured of Indigestion.

Mrs. Sadie P. Clawson, Indiana, Pa., was bothered with indigestion. "My stomach pained me night and day," she writes. "I would feel bloated and have headache and belching after eating. I also suffered from constipation. My daughter had used Chamberlain's Tablets and they did her so much good that she gave me a few doses of them and insisted upon my trying them. They helped me as nothing else has done." For sale by all dealers.

Pension Ruling

Frankfort, Ky., July 18.—Capt. W. J. Stone, commissioner of pensions, today made a ruling in regard to applicants who qualify under the Confederate Pension Act, as amended by the last legislature. Capt. Stone holds that it is not only necessary for applicants to furnish evidence that they took the oath of allegiance in fear of starvation or death, but that they took the oath under duress.

To date 2,903 pensions have been allowed under the Confederate Pension Act, and of that number 200 pensioners have died. Commissioner Stone thinks the highest number of pensions to be allowed has been reached as the death rate will offset the number of new pensions. The annual outlay will reach \$348,360.

Best Diarrhoea Remedy.

If you have ever used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy you know that it is a success. Sam F. Guin, Whitley, Ala., writes: "I had measles and got caught out in the rain, and it settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not possibly have lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy, I am now well and strong." For sale by all dealers.

Geo. Cooper and Will Hume have purchased the Toye Lassiter restaurant and are now in charge of the business. Mr. Lassiter will be associated with W. B. Graham in the meat business and will open their market next Saturday.

WAS SHE NOT LIVE

by Lydia Able

Department.

Frankfort, Ky., July 23.—Kentucky has 238,084 men and women, according to the last report of the United States Census Bureau, who cannot read and write—valuable material going to waste—good people, but in a state of mental darkness. Calloway county has 1,297 of these unfortunates. A movement is on foot to give these people a chance like the grown people of Rowan county had in their Moonlight Schools. In that county, men and women past eighty years of age learned in a few weeks to read and write. Only twenty-three illiterates were left in that county, though there were 1152 when the Moonlight Schools began, three years ago. A number of Kentucky teachers have taken up the movement, and Moonlight Schools are being conducted in a number of counties in the State.

The Kentucky Illiteracy Commission has opened headquarters in the new State Capital at Frankfort, and will gladly give information or lend assistance to any who are interested in stamping out illiteracy from Kentucky either in Moonlight Schools or by instructing individuals in their homes. The Commission is composed of Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, President; Dr. J. G. Crabbe, Secretary and Treasurer, Hon. Barksdale Hamlett, President H. H. Cherry, and Miss Ella Lewis. None of these men or women are to be paid for their services. Can we not lend them a hand? It is our Kentucky as well as their Kentucky. Let us wipe illiteracy out of Kentucky by 1920, when the next census is taken.

Stops Neuralgia—Kills Pain.

Sloan's Liniment gives instant relief from Neuralgia or Sciatica. It goes straight to the painful part—Soothes the nerves and Stops the Pain. It is also good for Rheumatism, Sore Throat, Chest Pains and Sprains. You don't need to rub—it penetrates. Mr. J. R. Swinger, Louisville, Ky., writes: "I suffered with quite a severe Neuralgic Headache for four months without any relief. I used Sloan's Liniment for two or three nights and have not been bothered with my head since." Get a bottle today. Keep in the house all the time for pains and all hurts. 25c, 50c and \$1.00, at your druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all Sores.

Will Observe 60th Anniversary.

Temple Hill Lodge, F. & A. M., will celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of the foundation of the lodge Saturday night, August 1st. A barbecue will be served and a special program has been arranged for the occasion. The lodge will be convened at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for work in the E. A. degree. Seven candidates will be carried through the various degrees and a large attendance is expected. All Masons are invited to attend.

Speaking 4th Monday.

Hop. John W. Williams, candidate for Congress, will speak at the court house in Murray on the fourth Monday in July, the 27th. Everybody invited. Mr. Williams will discuss some matters of vital interest in the congressional race.

Get Your Clothes Cleaned

We are prepared to do anything that is done in a first class pressing shop. Clothes cleaned, pressed mended and altered; old hats made new. Special attention given Palm Beach suits, and ladies' work. Harry Maddox will be in charge in the future.

You give us the work and we guarantee satisfaction. Will call for and deliver your clothes.

We Have the Agency for the
Paducah Home Laundry

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Murray, Kentucky

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Boatwright
Crops are looking better since the recent showers.
Mrs. Mellie Hopson is ill at this writing.
Eura Wall is all smiles, it's a boy this time.
Olin Boatwright has been ill of typhoid fever for two weeks, but seems to be improving.
Tip Lovett and family, of near Redden, visited at Billie Tucker's a few days past.
Helen, little daughter of H. C. Lovett, is sick of typhoid fever and congestion.
Etta Bucy, of Buchanan, Tenn., has just returned home from a two week's visit with Ruby Boatwright.
School opened first Monday of this month at Russell's Chapel with Miss Gertrude Scott teacher. Also Center Ridge school opened with Miss Maude Grogan teacher.
Mrs. J. F. Boatwright has been confined to her bed for the past several weeks.
Sunday school at Russell's Chapel every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, interest is increasing, every one come out and do your part.
The protracted meeting begins at Russell's Chapel Thursday night before the fourth Sunday inst. Rev. J. Garland, of Smithland, Ky., will assist.
E. B.

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Coca-Cola
—it answers every beverage requirement—vim, vigor, refreshment, wholesomeness.
It will satisfy you.
Demand the genuine by full name—
nicknames encourage substitution.
THE COCA-COLA COMPANY
ATLANTA, GA.

QUIT TAKING

RISKY CALOMEL

Here is a vegetable tonic that is far better for you to take than the dangerous drug and poison called calomel. You never can tell when calomel is going to "get you." That's the worst thing about taking so uncertain and dangerous a drug for constipation and liver trouble. Calomel is liable to salivate you or "knock you out" for at least a day the very next time you try it.

Dale & Stubblefield have the mild vegetable remedy that successfully takes the place of calomel. This remedy is Dodson's Liver Tonic, a very pleasant tasting liquid that gives quick but gentle relief from constipation, torpid or "lazy" liver.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is fully guaranteed, and if you buy a large bottle for fifty cents and it does not entirely satisfy you, the drug store where you bought it will promptly give you your money back with a smile.

Dodson's is fine for both children and grown people.

Notice of Sale.

Calloway Circuit Court.
B. F. Schroeder, Plff.

vs.
R. W. Howard and Giles McCigston, Dfts.

By virtue of judgement and order of sale in the Calloway circuit court rendered at the April Term, 1914, for the purpose of satisfying a judgement of \$254.40 at the rate of 6 per cent interest from date till paid and the costs herein expended. In order to satisfy the said judgement I will sell the following described property at the court house door Calloway county, Ky., on the 27th day of July, 1914, at 1 o'clock p. m. to the highest and best bidder, or the credit of one-third in six months, one-third due in nine months and one-third due in twelve months, with 6 per cent interest from this date till paid with approved bond and good surety.

One Frick saw mill, including boiler and engine, saw rig and attachments and apparatus thereto, also one blue jack about 14 1/2 hands high, which is the property of Giles McCigston together with the grounds. Given under my hand as Sheriff Calloway county, Ky., this July 7th, 1914.

W. A. Patterson,
Sheriff Calloway County.

Guardians, Administrators and Fiduciaries:— I call your attention to the law requiring administrators, guardians and other fiduciaries to settle their accounts with the County Court once every two years. I find from the records now in the clerk's office that a number of such settlements are due and past due. Where settlements are due you will please report to this office within the next ten days for settlement or you will be summonsed and required to settle as the law directs. Please take notice and save cost to you.
—L. A. L. Langston Judge
Calloway County Court.

Public Sale.

I will on Saturday July 18 at 10 o'clock, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder at the home of the late J. M. Venable four miles west of Murray, the following property:

Three head cattle.
One buggy.
One wagon and farming implements.

Terms made known on day of sale.—A. A. Jones, administrator—J. M. Venable, deceased.

Increase in School Per Capita Assured

Frankfort, Ky., July 8.—An increase in the school per capita is assured this year, although the amount has not been fixed by State Superintendent Barksdale Hamlett, who is awaiting information as to the estimated revenues for the schools, which will be fourth coming in a few days. The per capita last year was \$4, which means that the state school fund was distributed among the counties and cities in the proportion of \$4 for each

child of school age.

The census reports for 1914, with two cities missing and two counties approximated, showed an increase over 1913 of 6,237, but does not come up to the highwater mark of 1912, when the returns showed a total scholastic population in the state of 730,359. This was cut down the next year by a careful supervision of the census to prevent names from going on the lists erroneously. The total census for 1914 contained 727,870 names of children of school age, of whom 590,113 live in rural districts and 137,757 in cities of the first four classes. There are 537,432 white children in the country and 52,581 colored. In the cities there are 111,546 white children and 26,211 colored.

The increase in the census is accounted for by the normal growth of the mining counties both in Eastern and Western Kentucky.

You're Billious and Costive!

Sick Headache, Bad Breath, Sour Stomach, Furred Tongue and Indigestion, Mean Liver and Bad Bowels clogged. Clean up tonight. Get a 25c box of Dr. King's New Life Pills today and empty the stomach and bowels of fermenting fatty foods and waste. A full bowel movement gives a satisfied, thankful feeling—makes you feel fine. Effective, yet mild. Don't gripe. 25c at your druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for burns.

Notice, Parents and Guardians

Owing to the excessive drouth and shortage in crops this season the county board of education says, the compulsory attendance law will be enforced this year, and notice is hereby given to every parent and guardian to see that children under their care are kept in school regularly. Also, teachers are required to investigate the cause of absence of any child or children in their respective districts and report same to the county superintendent. (Signed)

Calloway County Board of Education.

Mrs. C. H. Bradley, accompanied by her children, left the first of the week for Pembroke and Princeton where they will spend several days the guests of friends. They made the trip in an auto in charge of Chas. Bradley Jr.

TO MAMMOTH CAVE

JULY 28

Round trip, railroad fare \$4.90 Board at Cave Hotel including the several routes in the Cave for \$6.50. Making total cost for three days trip \$11.40, going on regular train. Humboldt 3:33 p. m. Milan 3:56 p. m. McKenzie 4:45 p. m. Paris 5:15 p. m. Limit on tickets 10 days. Write for telephone L. & N. Agent. 723

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SPLIT HICKORY AXLES, Hickory Double Trees, and Neckyoke, Spokes, Hickory and Oak; Hubs and Fellos, Best Oak.

Wheels are boiled in Linseed Oil and are proof against moisture. Dust-proof Hubs and same of them.

All made in the "John Deere Works," which is a guarantee that you get the BEST ONLY.

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BAKER & GLASGOW

ALL WRONG

The Mistake is Made by Many Murray Citizens.

Look for the cause of backache.

To be cured you must know the cause.

If it's weak kidneys You must set the kidneys working right.

A resident of this vicinity shows you how.

Mrs. T. Brown, 515 Adams St., Paducah, Ky., says: "For years I suffered with a weak back and pains across my kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills were highly recommended to me for such troubles that I began using them. They acted just as represented and since then whenever I have used them, they have never failed to give immediate relief. You still can use my endorsement."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Brown had. Foster—Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Hopkinsville	136	992

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If too much fruit has been eaten in hot weather take five drops of oil of cinnamon in a teaspoonful of water and almost instant relief will be accorded.

Stings or bites of insects that are followed by swellings, pain or itching should be treated promptly as they are poisonous. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT counteracts the poison. It is both antiseptic and healing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

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By virtue of judgement and order of a sale of the Calloway Circuit Court at the April Term, 1914, for the purpose of satisfying the said judgement, in favor of the Bank of Hazel for the sum of \$322.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent from date till paid and the costs herein expended.

It is further adjudged by the court that the Bank of Murray recover of the defendant J. A. Edwards \$353.52 with 6 per cent interest thereon from date till paid and its costs herein expended.

In order to satisfy the said judgement I will sell on the 27th day of July at 1 o'clock p. m. at the court house door in Murray Calloway county, Ky., the same being county court day, on the credit of six months, the purchase of the property to give bond and good surety approved by the sheriff of Calloway county, the following described property to wit: Beginning at the point west corner of Laura P. Pool's lot in the center of the Murray and Washington road thence north 6 2/3 poles, to a rock thence east 13 poles to a stake, thence south 6 2/3 poles to the north-east corner of Laura P. Pool's north line thence west with the said line to the beginning, containing one-half acre and being the same lot decided to by T. F. Martin then decided to J. A. Edwards by T. F. Martin December 14, 1887, deed recorded in deed book No. 1 page 206 in Calloway county clerk's office. Alice Edwards, wife of J. A. Edwards, joins her husband herein relinquishing all rights to the homestead or dower in and to the said land herein mortgaged. This being the same place I now live on.

Given under my hand as Sheriff Calloway county, Ky., this July 7th, 1914.

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Certificate.

I certify that I have this day tested all of the cows in the Melton & Waggoner dairy of Murray, Ky., for tuberculosis, and I find them free of any trace of the disease. This June 20, 1914. Dr. C. N. Tyree, Inspector for Calloway.

Try an ad in the Ledger.

\$2.25 ROUND TRIP

MURRAY To
NASHVILLE

THURSDAY, JULY 23rd.

TRAIN WILL LEAVE MURRAY AT 8:58 A. M.

Tickets will be good returning until train leaving Nashville at 2:15 p. m., Friday, July 24, 1914.

O. L. BOREN, Agt. N. C. & St. L. Ry., Murray, Ky.
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Both of the newspapers seem friendly to his candidacy. In an editorial the Messenger tomorrow will say:

"The Messenger has not felt inclined to take a hand in the senatorial contest that has been on in Kentucky for months and which is now to close, so far as the nomination is concerned, in the next ten days. It owes none of these candidates anything. It has served all of them repeatedly in the past. It will give to the nominee of the Democratic party, when the primary votes have been counted, the best support at its command and will do its utmost to insure his election in November. The primary contest, being now, however, virtually at an end and the leading candidates having both canvassed from 90 to 100 counties, it is not difficult, in view of the Messenger's opportunities for observation, to predict the result. It takes no great political prophet to do this. Mr. Beckham will win the nomination hands down. That was evident three months ago. Nothing has meanwhile transpired to change the situation. Mr. Stanley has made a most wonderful canvass; he is an indefatigable worker and a wonderful speaker but he seems to have made little headway.

"Gov. McCreary has made none at all and both of them have encountered a wave of public sentiment that it is impossible to brook. The people do not seem to have been impressed with perfunctory oratory on the part of any of these candidates. The one central idea with them is that a great wrong was done Beckham five years ago when as the Democratic nominee for senator he was slaughtered in the Democratic legislature; defeated by the lavish and corrupt use of money. The scandal of that Senatorial election was much greater than the Lorimer scandal; it warranted investigation and criminal prosecution but strange to say it was never investigated. The memory of it, however, has remained with the people and there is among them an irresistible determination to avenge that wrong and vindicate Beckham at the polls this year.

The Messenger has not been in hearty accord with Mr. Beckham for some years. It does not fully agree with him in some of the positions he is now taking. It does not find it possible to enthrone over him any more than it does over Mr. Stanley. But as a newspaper it records faithfully what is going on in Kentucky today. Opposition to Beckham is useless. He will get more votes, many more votes, in the primary than Stanley and McCreary combined. His race for the nomination is won; further acrimonious speaking should be ended. It can only be destructive of party harmony and it is time to be looking forward to November."

Death of Mrs. Lundy Dale.

Tuesday at noon Mr. Charles F. Dale, of Murray, received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Hattie Haley Dale, wife of his brother, J. L. Dale, at their home in Alamogordo, New Mexico.

Several years ago Mr. Dale and family moved from his farm west of Murray to Macon, Tenn. and later to New Mexico, with the hope that the climate there might restore to health the devoted wife and mother.

Mrs. Dale had been ill of tuberculosis for three years, and though she well knew the dread white plague had marked her as a victim she bore her sufferings with Spartan-like fortitude and even when each day she anticipated the severance of earthly ties she maintained a cheerful spirit, a calmness and serenity that passeth human understanding, and at no time was she concerned so much about her own condition as for the comfort and well-being of those near and dear, whose heartstrings were wrung in agony as they saw her waste away to a shadow of her former self.

Mrs. Dale's maiden name was Hattie Haley. She was born in Tennessee and her father and mother dying when she was a child she came to Murray as a ward of the late N. T. Hale and made her home with Mrs. Catherine Dale. Her girlhood was spent in Murray where she was extremely popular, and throughout her entire life her lovable character and Christian graces endeared her to all with whom she became associated, whether in Tennessee, in Kentucky or in New Mexico. The many relatives and warm friends back home deeply sympathize with the stricken ones in their overwhelming sorrow.

Deceased is survived by her husband, two sons and four daughters. The funeral and burial took place at Alamogordo, El Paso, Tex., of the Christian church, a life-long friend of the family conducted the last rites.

Has Your Child Worms?

Most children do. A Coated, Furred Tongue; Strong Breath; Stomach Pains; Circles under Eyes; Nervous, Fretful; Grinding of Teeth; Pale, Sallow Complexion; Tossing in Sleep; Peculiar Dreams—any one of these indicate Child has worms. Get a box of Kickapoo Worm Killer at once. It kills the worms—the cause of your child's condition. Is laxative and aids Nature to expel the worms. Supplied in candy form. Easy for children to take. 25c. at your druggist.

New Concord.

Raymond Fielder and Miss Duesy McCuiston eloped to Tennessee Saturday and got married.

A few light showers of rain have fallen here but not enough to do any good for the crops.

Cleve Kline and wife are the proud parents of twin boys.

Porter Elkins is sick of typhoid fever.

Many crossbodies are being cut and hauled from this neighborhood.

Severe Attack of Colic Cured.

E. E. Cross, who travels in Virginia and other Southern states, was taken suddenly and severely ill with colic. At the first store he came to the merchant recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Two doses of it cured him. No one should leave home on a journey without a bottle of this preparation. For sale by all dealers.

HON. ROBERT H. SCOTT

Hon. Robt. Scott, of Paducah, candidate for the democratic nomination for congress from this district, spoke to a representative crowd of Calloway voters at the court house in this city last Saturday afternoon. He was given the very closest attention throughout and made a host of friends and supporters. His speech was a political innovation, replete with an array of facts and devoted to a masterly discussion of measures of importance to the people of this nation. But "Bob" Scott could make no other character of speech if he wanted to do so. He is one of the cleanest morally in the state, a man of splendid character and superior ability and a legislator who has been tested and found true. His record as a member of the state legislature and state senate will bear the searchlight of honest investigation.

During the entire two hours devoted to speaking he never made uncomplimentary reference to a single opponent nor made a derogatory remark regarding any man opposing him in his present aspirations. He proved his ability as a man worthy of the confidence and support of the people and his hearers attested their faith in him by repeated applause and personal assurance of support in the August primary. Mr. Scott will receive a splendid vote in Calloway, and it is freely predicted that he will carry the county by a splendid majority over his leading opponent.

Mr. Barkley, the present congressman, has lost much of his strength in this county because of his appointment of the present postmaster in this city. The Ledger sees this fact and it would be useless for any supporter of the present congressman to deny the same. Let us review a little political history of the past. When W. J. Stone was congressman from this district and a candidate to succeed himself a number of Murray citizens were applicants for the postoffice. It was agreed by a majority of the applicants to leave the matter to the people in a preferential primary. All the candidates but one consented to the primary and Mr. K. Robertson, the present postmaster, received the largest number of votes, and under every rule of right was entitled to the endorsement of Mr. Stone. But Mr. Stone was not a servant of those who placed him in office but assumed the role of an absolute dictator, and disregarding the wishes of the democrats appointed the one applicant who refused to participate in the primary. Mr. Stone never went back to congress or to any other office within the gift of the people.

When Woodrow Wilson was elected president and Mr. Barkley was sent to congress quite a number of democrats made known the fact that they desired to serve the city of Murray in the capacity of postmaster. Each of the applicants circulated petitions and hundreds of democrats attached their names to the endorsement of favorites for the place. Finally Mr. W. O. Wear, Mr. Lee Lucas and the late Mr. Lemuel Lassiter agreed that they would submit the matter to a primary vote of the Murray magisterial district, and this fact was also made known to Mr. Robertson, the present appointee of Mr. Barkley. Mr. Robertson did not think so kindly of the primary this time as

he did before. The remaining applicants circulated a petition which was signed by nearly every democrat in the district, fully one thousand names being on the petition, asking of Mr. Barkley that they, the voters of the county who put Mr. Barkley in office, be permitted to select their local servant just like they selected Mr. Barkley to go to congress. Mr. Barkley said no, and Mr. K. Robertson, the only applicant who did not think kindly of the primary, was appointed postmaster. History of ten repeats. Captain Stone defied the people and was defeated. Mr. Barkley has defied the people, and we believe as one result Lemuel Lassiter rests beneath a sodded mound covered with "Fresh blown roses washed in dew."

Why not the people have the right to select the servant who must serve them every day as well as the right to select their representative in congress? If Mr. Barkley promised this appointment before his election he violated the Federal statute, and when he refused the people of this district the right of local self government he violated every principle of right, he defied the people. It is conceded upon every hand that had the matter been left where it rightfully belongs, in the hands of the people, that the present postmaster would have been badly worsted in the final result.

When the government of the United States takes out of the hands of congressmen and senators the spoils system and places within the keeping of the people the sovereign right to select ALL servants then corruption will largely cease and never until then.

"Bob" Scott is pledged to comply with the rights of the people, and if elected to the national congress no such overriding of the expressed wishes of the voters will occur while he is serving them at Washington. This is sufficient reason why every man who believes in the right of self government should vote for "Bob" Scott, and the Ledger is frank to state that it believes that this inalienable right will be exercised at the polls on the first Saturday in August.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the daytime you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. BERRILL'S cures all disorders produced by an enactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Tobacco Sales.

Report of sales by the Planter's Protective Association Inc., of Kentucky and Tennessee for the week ending July 11, 1914, and for the season to date:

Sales place	This wk.	Season
Clarksville	682	7475
Springfield	1003	9573
Paducah	189	1951
Hopkinsville	207	1199
	2081	20198

Boys' Homecoming Celebrated.

Mr. E. M. (Tobe) Turner recently decided to celebrate the homecoming of his boys and the fiftieth birthday by giving a dinner to his many neighbors and friends, and as Mr. Turner is not a man who does things by

halves the affair was a complete success.

At an early hour the guests began to assemble and continued to come until the yard was full. Mr. Turner being a man who is widely and favorably known, distant towns of Calloway and Graves counties were well represented.

The morning was spent in social chat and heartily partaking of cold drinks which had been abundantly provided. A long table was erected in the cool shade which was soon loaded with a great variety of viands, from the most substantial to a great profusion of dainties. Mrs. Turner and her assistants would be hard to excel in the culinary art, and also in making friends feel pleasant and at home.

To say that we all did ample justice to the bountiful repast would be putting it mildly.

Mr. Turner has not neglected the education of his children, having prepared them for any position in life. James is in Nashville while Cecil and Lester are in Louisville, all holding lucrative and responsible positions.

The day passed swiftly and pleasantly, and all went to their homes wishing that Mr. Turner and family might see many happy returns of the day.

Cured of Indigestion.

Mrs. Sadie P. Clawson, Indiana, Pa., was bothered with indigestion. "My stomach pained me night and day," she writes. "I would feel bloated and have headache and belching after eating. I also suffered from constipation. My daughter had used Chamberlain's Tablets and they did her so much good that she gave me a few doses of them and insisted upon my trying them. They helped me as nothing else has done." For sale by all dealers.

Pension Ruling.

Frankfort, Ky., July 18. — Capt. W. J. Stone, commissioner of pensions, today made a ruling in regard to applicants who qualify under the Confederate Pension Act, as amended by the last legislature. Capt. Stone holds that it is not only necessary for applicants to furnish evidence that they took the oath of allegiance in fear of starvation or death, but that they took the oath under duress.

To date 2,903 pensions have been allowed under the Confederate Pension Act, and of that number 200 pensioners have died. Commissioner Stone thinks the highest number of pensions to be allowed has been reached as the death rate will offset the number of new pensions. The annual outlay will reach \$348,360.

Best Diarrhoea Remedy.

If you have ever used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy you know that it is a success. Sam F. Guin, Whatley, Ala., writes, "I had measles and got caught out in the rain, and it settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not possibly have lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy, I am now well and strong." For sale by all dealers.

Geo. Cooper and Will Huie have purchased the Toy Lassiter restaurant and are now in charge of the business. Mr. Lassiter will be associated with W. B. Graham in the meat business and will open their market next Saturday.

ILLITERACY

Movement to Establish Moonlight Schools Advocated by State Department.

Frankfort, Ky., July 23. — Kentucky has 238,084 men and women, according to the last report of the United States Census Bureau, who cannot read and write—valuable material going to waste—good people, but in a state of mental darkness. Calloway county has 1,297 of these unfortunates. A movement is on foot to give these people a chance like the grown people of Rowan county had in their Moonlight Schools. In that county, men and women past eighty years of age learned in a few weeks to read and write. Only twenty-three illiterates were left in that county, though there were 1152 when the Moonlight Schools began, three years ago. A number of Kentucky teachers have taken up the movement, and Moonlight Schools are being conducted in a number of counties in the State.

The Kentucky Illiteracy Commission has opened headquarters in the new State Capital at Frankfort, and will gladly give information or lend assistance to any who are interested in stamping out illiteracy from Kentucky either in Moonlight Schools or by instructing individuals in their homes. The Commission is composed of Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, President; Dr. J. G. Crabbe, Secretary and Treasurer, Hon. Barkdale Hamlett, President H. H. Cherry, and Miss Ella Lewis. None of these men or women are to be paid for their services. Can we not lend them a hand? It is our Kentucky as well as their Kentucky. Let us wipe illiteracy out of Kentucky by 1920, when the next census is taken.

Stops Neuralgia—Kills Pain.

Sloan's Liniment gives instant relief from Neuralgia or Sciatica. It goes straight to the painful part—Soothes the nerves and Stops the Pain. It is also good for Rheumatism, Sore Throat, Chest Pains and Sprains. You don't need to rub—it penetrates. Mr. J. R. Swinger, Louisville, Ky., writes: "I suffered with quite a severe Neuralgic Headache for four months without any relief. I used Sloan's Liniment for two or three nights and have not been bothered with my head since." Get a bottle today. Keep in the house all the time for pains and all hurts. 25c. 50c and \$1.00, at your druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all Sores.

Will Observe 60th Anniversary.

Temple Hill Lodge, F. & A. M., will celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of the foundation of the lodge Saturday night, August 1st. A barbecue will be served and a special program has been arranged for the occasion. The lodge will be convened at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for work in the E. A. degree. Seven candidates will be carried through the various degrees and a large attendance is expected. All Masons are invited to attend.

Speaking 4th Monday.

Hon. John W. Williams, candidate for Congress, will speak at the court house in Murray on the fourth Monday in July, the 27th. Everybody invited. Mr. Williams will discuss some matters of vital interest in the congressional race.



The VALIANTS of VIRGINIA

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SYNOPSIS.

John Valiant, a rich society favorite, suddenly discovers that the Valiant corporation, which he founded and which was the principal source of his wealth, had failed. He voluntarily turns over his private fortune to the receiver for the corporation. His entire remaining fortune consists of an old motor car, a white bull dog and Damory court, a neglected estate in Virginia. On the way to Damory court he meets Shirley Dandridge, an au revoir beauty and decides that he is going to like Virginia immensely. Shirley's mother, Mrs. Dandridge, and Major Dandridge exchange reminiscences during which it is revealed that the major, Valiant's father, and a man named Dandridge were rivals for the hand of Mrs. Dandridge in her youth. Dandridge and Valiant fought a duel over her. Valiant finds Damory court overgrown with weeds and creepers and decides to rehabilitate the place. Valiant saves Shirley from the bite of a snake, which saves him. Knowing the poison from the wound and saving his life, Valiant leaves. Shirley meets the poison from the wound and saving his life, Valiant leaves. Shirley meets the poison from the wound and saving his life, Valiant leaves.

CHAPTER XXVIII.—Continued.

"Young man," he said to Aunt Daphne. "He woke up as glad as if he done 'fessed 'ligion las' night. Well, all de folks cert'n'y 'joyed themselves. Ol' Mafiah Fargo done 'fessed forty uh dem jumbies. Ah heah him talkin' ter Mrs. John. 'Reck'n yo' name' hab er crackjack cook down heah,' he say. 'Hyuh, hyuh!'"

"G'way wid yo' blackyardin'!" scolded Aunt Daphne, delighted. "Don't need ter come aroun' 'honny-caddidin'!"

"Dah, what he say," insisted Uncle Jefferson; "he did 'er fact!"

She drew her hands from the suds and looked at him anxiously. "Jefferson," she said, "John gwine ter fetch dat Yankee 'oman heah ter Damory Court, ter be ouh mistis?"

"Humph!" scoffed her spouse. "Dat 'hichfuldin' gal what dese swaller de 'sunderd? No suh-re-bob-bah! De 'sunderd yo' gis, de mo' foolishah yo' 'ellations is! Don' yo' tek no mo' trouble on yo' back den yo' kin keek at'n yo' heels! She ain't gwine ter run dis place, er ol' Devil-John tuh ovah ter he grave!"

Uncle found Valiant sitting in the music-room before the old square piano. In the shadowy chamber the boys of mother-of-pearl gleamed with dull colors under his fingers. He struck at first only broken chords, that became finally the haunting barcarole of "Tales of Hoffmann." It was the air that had drifted across the garden when he had stood with Shirley by the sun-dial, in the moment of their first kiss. Over and over he played the approving dreamy variations, till the tender melody seemed the dear breath of that embrace. At length he



Far an Instant He Stared Unbelievingly.

went into the library and in the crimson light sat down at the desk, and began to write.

"Dear Bluebird of Mine:

"I can't wait any longer to talk to you. Less than a day has passed since we were together, but it might have been eons, if one measured time by heartbeats. What have you been doing and thinking, I wonder? I have spent those eons in the garden, just wondering about, dreaming over those wonderful, wonderful moments by the sun-dial. Ah, dear little wild heart born of the flowers, with the soul of a bird (ye, you are woman, too)! That old disk is marking happy hours now for me! Have I deserved this thing that has come to me?—a blunder that I have been! Sometimes it seems too good and sweet, and I am suddenly desperately afraid I shall wake to find myself facing another dull morning as that old useless, empty life of mine. I am very humble, dear, before your love.

"Shall I tell you when it began with me? Not last night—nor the day we planted the ramblers. (Do you know, when your little muddy boot went tramping down the earth about their roots, I wanted to stoop down and kiss it?) So dear everything about you was! Not that evening at Rosewood, with the arbor fragrance about us. (I think I shall always picture you with roses all about you. Red roses the color of your lips!) No, it was not then that it began—nor that dreadful hour when you fought with me to save my life—nor the morning you sat your horse in the box-rows in that yellow-green habit that made your hair look like molten copper. No, it began the first afternoon, when I sat in my motor with your rose in my hand! It has never left me since, by day or by night. And yet there are people in this age of airships and honking highways and typewriters who think love-at-first-sight is an out-of-date or little grandmother's hope rusting in the garret. Ah, sweetheart, I, for one, know better!"

"Suppose I had not come to Virginia—and known you! My heart jumps when I think of it. It makes one believe in fate. Here at the Court I found an old leaf-calendar—it sits at my elbow now, just as I came on it. The date it shows is May 14th, and its motto is: Every man carries his fate upon a ribbon about his neck. I like that."

"That first Sunday at St. Andrew's, I thought of a day—may it be soon!—when you and I might stand before that altar, with your people (my people, too, now) around us, and I shall hear you say, 'I, Shirley, take thee, John.' And to think it is really to come true! Do you remember the text the minister preached from? It was 'But all men perceive that they have riches, and that their faces shine as the faces of angels.' I think I shall go about henceforth with my face shining, so that all men will see that I have riches—your love for me, dear."

"I am so happy I can hardly see the words—or perhaps it is that the sun has set. I am sending this over by Uncle Jefferson. Send me back just a word by him, sweetheart, to say I may come to you tonight. And add the three short words I am so thirsty to hear over and over—one verb between two pronouns—so that I can kiss them all at once!"

He raised his head, a little flushed and with eyes brilliant, lighted a candle, sealed the letter with the ring he wore and dispatched it. Thereafter he sat looking into the growing dusk, watching the pale lamps of the constellations deepen to green glint against the lapis-lazuli of the sky, and listening to the insect noises duelling into the woven chorus of evening. Uncle Jefferson was long in returning, and he grew impatient finally and began to prow through the dusty corridors like a leopard, then to the front porch and finally to the driveway. Listening at every turn for the familiar sloshing step.

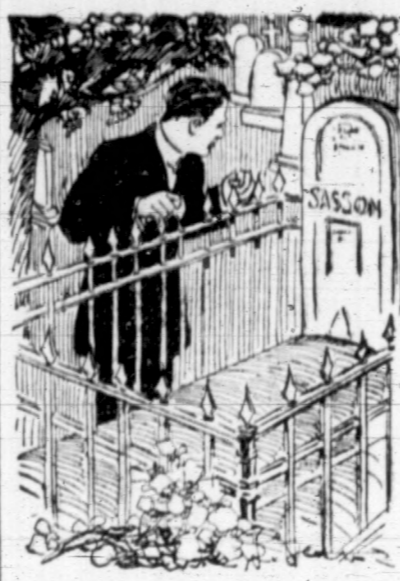
When at length the old negro appeared, Valiant took the note he brought, his heart beating rapidly, and carried it hastily to the candle-light. He did not open it at once, but for a full minute gazed at it between his palms as though to extract from the delicate paper the beloved thrill of her touch. His hand shook slightly as he drew the folded leaves from the envelope. How would it begin? "My Knight of the Crimson Rose?" or "Dear Gardener?" (She had called him Gardener the day they had set out the roses) or perhaps even "Sweetheart?" It would not be long, only a mere "yes" or "come to me," perhaps; yet even the shortest message had its beginning and its ending.

He opened and read.

For an instant he stared unbelievably. Then the paper crackled to a ball in his clutched hand, and he made a hoarse sound which was half cry, then sat perfectly still, his whole face shuddering. What he craved in his hand was no note of tender love-phrases; it was an abrupt dismissal. The stinging counterstroke struck the color from his face and left every nerve raw and quivering. To be "nothing" to her, as she could be nothing to him? He felt a ghastly inclination to laugh. Nothing to her?

thought that Shirley was suffering, too. It seemed incredible that he should now be raging along a country road at nightfall to find something that so horribly hurt them both.

It was almost dark—save for the starlight—when he saw the shadow of the square-tye grown spire-reefing stark from its huddle of foliage against the barred background. He pushed open the gate and went slowly up the worn path toward the great iron-bound and hooded door. Under the larches on either hand the outlines of the gravestones loomed pallidly, from the bell tower came the faint inquiring cry of a small owl. Valiant stood looking about him. What could he learn here? He read no answer to the riddle. A little to one side of the path something showed snow-like on the ground, and he went toward it. Nearer, he saw that it was a mass of flowers, staring up whitely from the



He Bent Over, Suddenly Noting the Scent; It Was Cape Jessamine.

semi-obscure from within an iron railing. He bent over, suddenly noting the scent; it was Cape Jessamine.

With the curious sensation of almost presence plucking at him, he took a box of vestas from his pocket and struck one. It flared up illuminating a flat granite slab in which was cut a name and inscription.

EDWARD SASSOON.

"Forgive us our trespasses."

The silence seemed to crash to earth like a great looking-glass and shiver into a million pieces. The wax dropped from his fingers and in the superlunary darkness a numb fright gripped him by the throat. Shirley had laid these here, on the grave of the man his father had killed—the Cape Jessamine she had wanted that day, for her mother! He understood.

It came to him at last that there was a chill mist groping among the trees and the cold breath of the wind. He went back along the Red Road stumbingly. Was this to be the end of the dream, which he had fancied would last forever? Could it be that she was not for him? Was it no hoary lie that the sins of the fathers were visited upon the third and fourth generation?

When he re-entered the library the candle was guttering in the burned wings of a night-moth. The place looked all at once gaunt and desolate and despoiled. What could Virginia, what could Damory Court, be to him without her? The wrinkled note lay on the desk and he bent suddenly with a sharp catching breath and kissed it. There welled over him a wave of rebellious longing. The candle spread to a hazy yellow-blur. The walls felt away. He stood under the moonlight, with his arms about her, his lips on hers and his heart beating to the soot of the violin he had heard.

CHAPTER XXIX.

The Coming of Grief King.

It was Sunday afternoon, and under the hemlocks, Rickett Snyder gathered her minions—a dozen children from the nearby houses with the usual sprinkling of little blacks from the kitchens. There were parents, of course, to whom this mingling of color and degree was a matter of conventional prohibition, but since the advent of Rickett, in whose soul lay a Napoleonic instinct of leadership, this was more honored in the breach than in the observance.

"My! Ain't it scrumptious yer 'pow!" said Cozy Cabell, hanging yelow fady-slippers over her ears. "I wish we could play here always."

"Mr. Valiant will let us," said Rickett. "I asked him."

"Oh, he will!" responded Cozy gleefully. "But he'll probably go and marry somebody who'll be mean about it."

"Everybody doesn't get married," said one of the twelve twins, with masculine assurance. "Maybe he won't."

"Nufus a lay laws about it!" retorted Cozy scornfully. "Women have to, and some one of them will make

him. (Greenville Female Seminary Bimbo, if you slap that little nigger again, I'll slap you!)"

Greenie rolled over on the grass and uttered. "Miss Mattie Sue didn't," she said. "Ah heah hah say de yuddah day at was er moughly good feelin' ter go ter-bald Miste on git up Mafiah!"

"Well," said Cozy, tossing her head till the flower earrings danced. "I'm going to get married if the man hasn't got anything but a character and a red mustache. Married women don't have to prove they could have got a husband if they had wanted to."

"Let's play something," proposed Rosebud Meredith, on whom the discussion paled. "Let's play King Katiko."

"It's Sunday!"—this from her smaller and more righteous sister. "We're forbidden to play anything but Bible games on Sunday, and if Rosebud does, I'll tell."

"Jay-bird tattle-tale!" sang Rosebud derisively. "Don't care if you do!"

"Well," decreed Rickett. "We'll play Sunday school then. It would take a saint to object to that. I'm superstitious and this stump's my desk. All you children sit down under that tree."

They ranged themselves in two rows, the white children, in clean Sabbath pinafores and go-to-meeting kickeebuckers, in front and the colored ones, in gingham and cotton prints, in the rear—the habitual expression of a differing social station. "Oh!" shrieked Miss Cabell. "I'll be Mrs. Merryweather, Mason and teach the little ones' class."

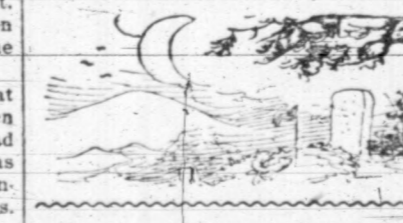
"There isn't any infant class," said Rickett. "How could there be when there aren't any infants? The lesson is over and I've just rung the bell for silence. Children, this is Missionary Sunday, and I'm glad to see so many happy faces here today. Cozy, she said rebuking, 'you can be the organist if you want to.'"

"I won't," said Cozy sullenly. "If I can't be tablecloth I won't be dish-rag."

"All right, you needn't," retorted Rickett freely. "Sit up, Greenie. People don't lie on their backs in Sunday school."

The clear voices in the quiet air startled the fluttering birds and sent a squirrel to the tip-top of an oak, from which he looked down, stirring his brush. They roused a man, too, who had lain in a sodden sleep under a bush at Rickett's disposal. He was ragged and soiled and his heavy brutal face, covered with a dark stubble of some days' growth, had an ugly sear slanting back from cheek to hair. Without getting up, he rolled over to command a better view, and set his eyes, blinking from their slumber, on the children.

"We will now take up the collection," said Rickett. ("You can do it, Jim, use a flat piece of bark.") Remember that what we give today is for the poor heathen in—in Alabama. The bark-slave made its rounds, receiving leaves, acorns, and an occasional pin. Midway, however, there arose a shrill shriek from the rear and the collection was scattered broad-



QUESTION RIGHT TO SWORD

Historic Relic Now in Possession of University of Pennsylvania Has Evoked Discussion.

The gold sword that Lewis XVI presented to John Paul Jones in recognition of the fight he made with the Bon Homme Richard against the Serapis has been presented to the University of Pennsylvania by Edward C. Dale, son of the late Richard C. Dale, a former president of the Society of Cincinnati. The sword has been in the possession of the Dale family for more than a century.

This is the sword which Charles Henry Hart, a local historian, declares now should be in possession of Admiral Dewey. It had been generally accepted that the sword passed by will of Commodore Jones to Commodore Dale, a forerunner of Richard C. Dale. Mr. Hart denied this. He declared that the sword was in possession of John Paul Jones when he died in Paris, in 1792, and that Jane Taylor of Dumfries, Scotland, a sister of Jones, went to Paris and took possession of everything left by the sea-

fight. Later the sword was sent to Robert Morris.

According to Mr. Hart Mr. Morris later presented the sword to Commodore John Barry, senior officer of the American navy in 1795, but the presentation was "only a life legacy, and that it should have been handed down to Barry's successor, a senior officer, eventually reaching the possession of Admiral Dewey," Philadelphia Press.

Bird Man Has Arrived.

On the day that Christmas flew a new machine of his own making for hours, carrying ten passengers in addition to a heavy load of ballast. This establishes the aeroplane as a safe adjunct of modern transportation, including passengers and freight.

A few days before this great feat of the successful use of the flying machine by the French army operating in Morocco, which puts this new mode of warfare among the arms of military operations of our day, and heretofore when was the expression "flying machine" we shall have to include the flying machine.

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Cleanliness is next to Godliness—change clothes frequently—big wash of course—not much trouble though. Use RUB-NO-MORE CARBO NAPHA SOAP. No rubbing—clothes soon on line—sweet and clean.

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THE MURRAY LEDGER

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THE BARD OF LYON.

The Lyon County Herald in urging its readers to support McCreary, calls attention to his various appointments in THAT county, which appear to be about four times more than were appointed in Calloway, though Calloway's Democratic vote exceeds that of Lyon in nearly the same proportion. The Herald waxes eloquent on our "indebtedness to Grandpa"—even draps into poetry, "quoting" as follows from Bobbie Burns:

"Man's humanity to man makes countless millions mourn!"

As the Herald only makes two errors in a sentence of eight words, it is fair to assume that it is possible for the editor to be mistaken when he declares that the people are due McCreary something. Anyway, when the race is over the Herald bard will have opportunity, just as the evening shadows of the administration building of the Eddyville penitentiary envelop the valleys byant the beautiful Cumberland on Aug. 1, nineteen fourteen, to again show his familiarity with the classics by handing us this one, which will in its somberness be quite appropriate for Foxy Grandpa's political funeral:

"Of all sorrowful words of my sad pen,
The mightiest are them, it should have been but it weren't—my kingdom for a boss, Alas! poor Yorick!"

THE 'MAINEST' REASON.

Brother Beale, of the state board of equalization, has taken up "twenty-one reasons satisfactory to himself, why Grandpa should be nominated." His main reason may be found hidden in the one which says McCreary sends money into Calloway, and Bro. Beale, being a salaried official, very promptly gets h's. If Bro. Beale had failed to get that place it is barely possible that his natural rest would have been undisturbed by mental convolutions in figuring out reasons why anybody should be elected. Perhaps you can never tell—if Bro. Beale had been turned down he might at this time be grinding out some reasons why Grandpa should NOT be nominated. But this campaign is not pitched on a money basis. If it were then only those to whom the McCreary administration sends or gives money is indebted to our amiable old governor. Nobody else "owes" him anything. The case of McCreary vs The People, claiming indebtedness, with Bro. Beale as special attorney, will be marked dismissed, settled, in the Court of Last Resort on Saturday August 1, 1914. So mote it be. Amen and amen!

Jim Davy Watson, of Mayfield, has always been one of the strongest advocates of prohibition Graves county ever had. He introduced the whisky trust candidate to a courthouse filled with his friends last Monday, and did so in his most fetching and touching manner, did Jim Davy, but when Stanley reared back and made his open declaration that he stood for community unit (as opposed to the county unit) against statewide prohibition and against nationwide prohibition and would vote against the Holson resolution, Jim Davy looked like a poll parrot with an overfeed of crackers in its mouth. Folks just couldn't do otherwise than feel sorry for the Graves temperance advocate when they saw him entangled in the web of the whisky trust candidate.

"I am in favor of community unit (as opposed to county unit) and I am opposed to statewide prohibition: I am opposed to nationwide prohibition and I will vote against the Holson resolution," declares the whisky trust candidate for the Senate. Say, Brother Billie Wear, of the Calloway Times, Cross of Honor ex-Confederate soldier and member of the First Christian church, of Murray, Ky., mix that with a little sugar and mint and gulp it down.

The report that Alben Barkley will LOOSE McCracken county is absurd.—Lyon County Herald.

Sure! In course not. McCracken county by reason of its capital city is already "loose." The candidates for Congress are merely trying to bribe the gay young thing. As Bob Scott has it by the foretop, with Alben holding on to its mane and a local option election swinging to its tail, it would seem that the loose disposition of McCracken is in a fair way to be curbed.

In his speech at Mayfield the whisky trust candidate referred to his Calloway henchmen as "K Lancaster and Joe Robbins, of Murray county." L. G. W. Aycock, was there also, but dad blame it, Stanley evidently overlooked the fact because he never once mentioned his name. Fact is, Stanley isn't so far wrong after all. All you got to do to call the bunch is merely to say, "Chick! chick! chick! Chickiey! That gets 'em all."

As an election on the whisky question in Paducah has been called for Sept. 21, we are wondering what position the two newspapers of that city will take, as it has been charged that they are both largely controlled by the whisky interests.—Calloway Times.

About the same position that a lot of professed church-going prohibitionists of this place are taking in the Senatorial race. Goin' to stay with the whisky trust.

Joe Lancaster, K. Robertson, G. W. Aycock and possibly others, went to Mayfield Monday to hear Stanley speak.—Calloway Times.

Does appear to us that Billie Wear could get things right at least once in a while. The whisky trust candidate said it was "K. Lancaster and Joe Robinson, of Murray county," and never said nary a word about L. G. W.

And he didn't appoint Bennett H. Young, and so the Commander-in Chief of ALL the Confederate veterans is now running against the appointee, who is worth ten million dollars and whose income is a THOUSAND DOLLARS A DAY! See any mention of that in the 21 "reasons?"

"G. A. Huerta off for Jamaica." Let's see. Isn't that where the rum is made?—Courier Journal.

No, Mutt; ginger. The ignorance of citified people is appalling, while it is a liberal education perse to reside in a dry town.

Stanley devotes most of his speeches of late to Ryan, Belmont and Wall street. Don't see why in thunder he don't keep on telling us about K. Lancaster, Joe Robbins and L. G. W. Aycock of Murray county?

Rev. W. J. Beale is in a meeting at Ledbetter this week.—Calloway Times.

Now, that's better.

SEASON'S END SALE

Regardless of these drastic reductions, we pay fares to out-of-town shoppers.

LOWENTHAL'S

LADIES GARMENT SHOP

323 Broadway, Paducah, Ky.

Sale Starts Monday, July 27, 1914

In the future we shall carry Ladies' Garments exclusively. All children's Dresses, Hosiery, Neckwear, Shopping Bags at Cost.

While our prices are always equal, to the so called cut rates, these reductions are radical. No half way measures here. Neither cost, nor value, considered. Our Policy is to sell out clean and show only the newest styles the following season. An excellent opportunity to buy new and up-to-date garments at half price and less.

Suits, only 14 left, were \$25.00, 20.00, and \$15.00; now \$10.00, \$8.50 and \$5.75.	Separate Skirts, Wool or Silk, prices were \$12.50, \$10.00, \$7.50, \$5.00 and \$4.00; now \$7.50, \$6.75, \$5.25, \$3.45 and \$2.75.
Silk Dresses, only 12 left, prices were \$25.00, \$20.00, \$15.00 and \$12.50; now \$10.00, \$8.50, \$6.75 and \$5.75.	Waists and Blouses, prices were \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50; now \$3.00, \$2.75, \$2.50, \$1.75, \$1.60.
Wash Dresses, prices were \$20.00, \$15.00, \$10.00, \$7.50, \$6.50 and \$5.00; now \$10.00, \$8.25, \$5.25, \$4.50, \$3.95 and \$2.65.	Muslin Underwear, prices were \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c, 50c; now \$1.45, 95c, 83c, 63c, 55c, 34c.

WHY WEAK LUNGS?

The toll of tuberculosis is claiming more than 350 victims every day in the United States, yet few realize their grave condition until the critical period arrives. Overwork, worry, weakness after sickness, catarrh, bronchitis, tender throats—all exert the weakening influence that invites consumption. To guard against consumption, thousands of people take Scott's Emulsion after meals because its rich medicinal nourishment strengthens the lungs, puts vigor in the blood, and upholds strength to resist tuberculosis. Scott's Emulsion is nature's strength-builder. Refuse substitutes.

Primary election Saturday, August 1. Candidates for U. S. Senator and Congress are to be nominated.

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St. Paul, Minn., July 22.—The city of St. Paul, Minn., has elected Frank J. Cheney as its senior partner or the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio, and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS to each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1886.
(Seal)
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Chicken Thieves Jailed.

Rube and Sylvester Martin, colored, wanted in this place upon a charge of stealing chickens were arrested in Paducah last week and brought back to Murray by Deputy Sheriff Langston and lodged in jail.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve For Cuts, Burns, Sores.

Mrs. B. S. Loper, Marilla, N. Y., writes, "I have never had a cut burn, wound or sore it would not heal." Get a box of Arnica Salve today. Keep handy at all times for Burns, Sores, Cuts, wounds. Prevents Lockjaw. 25c at your druggist.

Lynn Grove

Senator Robert H. Scott, a candidate for Congress has been through this vicinity and has made a very favorable impression on the people as an honor-

ble upright gentleman, well qualified to fill the position he aspires to. His record in the legislature and senate has demonstrated to the public that he is for the farmer and his interest to get him on a higher plain, we feel if the voters of the first Congressional District should see fit to nominate him they would have a man that they could depend on.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for Kentucky testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

Teachers Institute Aug. 3rd.

The Calloway County Teachers Institute will be convened at the Murray school building August 3rd. Dr. A. J. Kinnaman, one of the most widely known educators in the state, will be in charge of the work and one of the most successful institutes in the history of the county is expected.

Doing hard work in a bent or stooping position puts a stitch in the back that is painful. If the muscles have become strained, you can't get rid of it without help. The great penetrating power of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT will appeal to you most strongly at such times, because it is the very thing you need. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubbsfield.

Stray Books.—I beg to ask those who have borrowed books from my library to please return same. Quite a large number are out and I am compelled to take this method to ask for their return.—Mrs. Numa Waters.

Announcements

The Ledger is authorized to announce
JOHN W. WILLIAMS, of HAZEL, KY., as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Congress from the first District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the democratic primary, August, 1914.

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A. W. BARKLEY, of Paducah, Ky., as a candidate for the democratic nomination for re-election for Congress from the first District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the democratic primary, August, 1914.

T. B. HOUSE


PHYSICIAN
AND
OSTEOPATH

Office: McDaniel House. Cumberland Phone No. 102.

The J. N. Williams chapter U. D. C. was out in a body Thursday afternoon to hear Gen. Bennett H. Young, Commander-in-chief of U. C. V., and if it were in their power to do so, would elect him to the United States Senate.

If you are in the market for a Perfection OR Stove See E. S. Diuguid & Son. They have the right prices.

Man's Drink—
Woman's Drink—
Everybody's Drink



Coca-Cola

Vigorously good—and keenly delicious. Thirst-quenching and refreshing.

The national beverage—and yours.

Demand the genuine by full name—
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Atlanta, Ga.

Whenever you see an Arrow think of Coca-Cola.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Low in Price, but High in Quality at the Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co.

Dr. Walter Johnson and family, of Bud Waterfield and family, are spending the week on an outing at Sulphur Spring.

Give your laundry to Harris & Robertson, satisfaction guaranteed.

Rilla Osburn and Miss Edna Hill, of Hazel, were married Wednesday. They are of prominent families and have many friends.

Don't fail to price Ice Boxes at Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co.

Mrs. E. H. Haley and children, of Memphis, arrived here the past week and were the guests of her parents, Jas. Farley and wife, north of the city.

Ring 44 independent telephone if the boys failed to get your laundry.

Dr. Dick Keys was in the county the past week the guest of his parents, J. H. Keys and wife, of near Almo. Mr. Keys returned Wednesday to his home in Scottsville, Ky.

A big line of Queensware at extra low prices at E. S. Diuguid & Son.

Mrs. Tom McGregor and children, of Frankfort, were in the city the past week the guests of Mrs. S. Higgins and family.

Just a little cheaper at the Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co., than anywhere, try them.

Stanley Pullen and wife, of Richmond, Ky., arrived here the past week with their baby who is now under treatment at the Murray Surgical Hospital.

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Rev. S. A. Harris, assisted by his son, has just closed a meeting at Independence resulting in 22 conversions and 20 additions to the church. He will commence a meeting at Temple Hill church Sunday, Aug. 2.

Quilting—I am prepared to do quilting and will finish quilts for 75 cents, or quilting alone for 50 cents. Mrs. J. B. Farmer.

The Almo band has postponed indefinitely the picnic at Almo park advertised for the 25th. If the picnic is held this year at a later date due notice will be given.

Mules Wanted.

I will be in Murray 4th Monday to buy small mules, 12 to 18 hands high, 5 to 9 years old. Geo. G. Clark, Mayfield, Ky.

CONCRETE SUPPLIES

I make Well Tile, Building Block, Pillars, Tops, Tubs, etc., and make the very best on the market. Compare my goods with the other makes and see. My best recommendation is the fact that I have sold 500 joints of well tile and not a broken one in the lot. My goods are guaranteed to be satisfactory. My plant is one mile west of Murray. It will pay you to see me. I will sell 24 inch Well Tile at

\$1.00 PER JOINT.

other supplies accordingly low. Please don't compare my make with stuff made of soap-stone and dirt. See me before buying and I will thank you.

O. W. Harrison

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Our boys will call each Monday morning for your laundry, and will deliver same promptly on Friday.—Harris & Robertson.

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For Sale.—Good family horse, gentle and sound, together with a good two seat trap. Will sell at a bargain. J. H. Coleman.

BUGGIES—On account of the drought I have my horse stacked full of good buggies at prices never before made in this county. Come on if you want the BARGAIN OF YOUR LIFE.

J. W. Danham, Hazel, 7-16 4

When baby suffers with eczema or some itching skin trouble use Doan's Ointment. A little of it goes a long way and it is safe for children. 50c a box at all stores.

Headache and Nervousness Cured

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the family system tonic. Price \$1.00.

The election of N. G. Hale to be first lieutenant and Harry Walker second lieutenant of Company L, Third Regiment, K. N. G., Murray, was approved yesterday by Col. J. Tandy Ellis, acting Adjutant General.—State Journal.

For Sale. Two lots on the south side of the McClathrath, just west of the Hughes residence. Front 75 ft. each and 200 feet deep. Very desirable building lots and will sell at a bargain. See Virgil Wilson at his store west of the city on State road. 6258

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Thousands rely on Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Your drug-gist sells it. 25c and 50c.

S. H. Dees and wife left the past week for a several weeks trip through the north and east. They will make the trip by river from Cairo, Ill., to St. Paul, Minn. From that city they will go to Niagara and will also visit Canada before returning home.

A son was born the past week to Prentice Holland and wife. The happy dad and proud mother have been the recipients of many congratulations, and here is the Ledger's hope that the youngster will live long, grow strong and be just as splendid citizen as his father.

We have a big stock of Queensware and Glassware that we must get out of our way. We are making the prices right so that we may move this line of goods. Come in and see us.—E. S. Diuguid & Son.

FOR SALE—One pace cart and one bike wheel show ring buggy. Will be sold in Murray fourth Monday at public auction. Persons in need of such vehicles would do well to attend this sale. Both are the property of E. H. Haley.

Stings or bites of insects that are followed by swellings, pain or itching should be treated promptly as they are poisonous. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT counteracts the poison. It is both antiseptic and healing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

The Monument committee is pushing their work vigorously. They were busy last week collecting amounts that had been promised sometime ago, among other liberal donations received was a check for \$50 from E. S. Diuguid & Son, the fund is steadily growing and has already reached the thousand dollar mark.

Vapor Treatments for Cold Troubles

Are now used in all hospitals. The vapors carry the medication to the lungs and air passages without disturbing the stomach. When Vick's "Vapo-Rub" group and Pneumonia Salvo are applied over the throat and chest, these vapors of Menthol, Thymol, Eucalyptol, Camphor, and Pine Scent are released by the heat of the body, and the worst colds go in one night—coming in fifteen minutes. Vick's is fine for head colds, catarrh, and is absolutely harmless. Three sizes—from 25c up.

VICK'S Group and SALVE

Ocie Bynum and family, of Alexandria, La., is in the city the guests of his parents, Will Bynum and wife. Mr. Bynum is district manager of the Cumberland Telephone Co., for that section and has seventeen exchanges under his charge.

What about your Furniture, Rugs, Mattings, and Stoves? We have all of these and more to. We also have the lowest prices on every thing in this line. Come and see us and be convinced.—E. S. Diuguid & Son.

If you feel "blue," "no account," lazy, you need a good cleaning out. HERBINE is the right thing for that purpose. It stimulates the liver, tones up the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

FOR SALE—Good all-purpose horse, about eight years of age, and sound and suitable for any character of work. Not afraid of auto. Will sell horse and good phaeton, harness and gear at a bargain. It is the horse Mr. Harry Maddox has been driving while over the county collecting for the Ledger. See O. J. Jennings about him.

Chamberlain's Tablets are entitled to all the praise I can give them," writes Mrs. Richard Old, Spencerport, N. Y. They have cured me of headache and nervousness and restored me to my normal health. For sale by all dealers.

Uncle Billie Grogan, of the Shiloh section, and one of the oldest citizens of that part of the county, a splendid christian gentleman, died last Thursday night after a lingering illness of the infirmities of age. He was 70 years of age and is survived by many relatives and friends. The burial took place at the Old Salem graveyard Friday and was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends and relatives.

In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach, wind colic, diarrhoea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Price 25 and 50c per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Miss Verna Robertson was hostess to the J. N. Williams Chapter, U. D. C. on Friday evening the 10th in their regular July meeting. There being very little business on hand, the meeting was really a "social hour" with the hostess and her mother, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Col. Bennett H. Young, commandant of U. D. C. was the honor guest of the reception Thursday afternoon given by Mrs. W. S. Swann, from 3 to 5 o'clock. The J. N. Williams Chapter and a few other friends were entertained, Mesdames W. P. Gatlin and Chas. Smith and Miss Eunice Oury received with Mrs. Swann, Miss Amanda Oury Wear presided. Musical program was rendered during the afternoon, the piano numbers by Misses Cutchen, Conner, Thornton, Diuguid and Mrs. Randolph, and the beautiful song program by Mrs. Cornelius Hughes, Mrs. Zeph Conner, Jr., Dr. Hugh McElrath and Jno. R. Oury.

THE BELLS GO RINGING

SENSATIONAL NEWS

REGARDING

Mid-Summer Cut Cash Prices

Clean 'em up, is the word. The Boss says do it, and that means to get busy, starting on

SATURDAY MORNING, NEXT, THE 25th DAY OF THIS MONTH

and stopping when we get ready. The opportunity is yours. Take hold and do it with a vim, for it means good hard coin in your pocket. It's all for money down. No approval or telephone business in it.

THE CUT PRICES NEXT:

12 1/2 cent yard wide China Matting at 10c per yd.
15 cent yard wide China Matting, 12c.
25 cent Cotton Warp Jap Matting, best carpet patterns, 18c.
9x11-8 Jap Matting Druggets, from \$2.50 to \$1.85.
9x12 L-ream reversible China Druggets \$2.75 to \$2.10.
9x12 fine Jan Reversible Druggets, \$3.00 to \$2.20.
9x12 Heavy Reversible Ingrain Druggets, from \$5.50 to \$4.00.
All Brussels and Axminster 9x12 Druggets at reduced prices, also all Rugs; not time to specify—see about them.
Best quality Fancy Oil Table Cloth at 15c per yd.
25 cent Bleached Table Damask, 20c.
Best quality 8 1/2 cent Staple Checked Gingham at 6c.
10 cent Amoskeag Dress Gingham, "Utility," at 8c.
10 cent Heavy Shirting at 8 1/2c.
On a purchase of \$3.50 or more we will sell 15 yards good yard-wide Brown Domestic for 70c 15 yard limit.
Lot assorted 25 cent Cotton Dress Goods, styles not the best, at 10c.
10 4 Bleached Sheeting from 30 to 24c.
Lot Woolen Dress Goods, 35 to 50 cent values, at 25c.

65 cent, 45 inch wide Embroidery gross at 40c per yd.
75 cent quality of same goods, 48c.
85 cent and \$1.00 quality of same goods, deep and heavy work, at 65c.
Extra fine \$2.00 per yard quality in Voile, at \$1.25 per yd.
Narrow widths in Embroidery in big assortment at deep cut reductions see for yourself.
All \$1.00 Ladies' White Waists at 75c.
All 50 cent Waists at 35c.
Ladies' fine bran new \$3.00 Slippers, at \$2.25.
Ladies Velvet Slippers, \$2.00 and 2 25 quality, at \$1.45.
Ladies' \$1.50 Velvet Slippers, at \$1.10.
Ladies' \$1.50 White Canvas Slippers, \$1.00.
One lot Ladies' Fine Custom Made Slippers, \$2.00 to \$3.00 values, all carried stock and styles not the best, choice 95c; sizes small, a few 6 and 7, no 4 to 5 1/2.
Lot Misses and Childrens' Slippers, sizes 8 1/2 to 2 1/2 all carried stock and styles not up to date, values up to \$2.00; your pick of the lot for 85c.
Too hurried to tell it all, you come, the goods easy to locate, all with RED TAGS, and marked in powerfully plain figures.

IN THIS LET US TELL ABOUT OUR CLOTHING DEPARTMENT ON THE CORNER

No time to get up two separate ads. In full suits we offer cuts to the extent of 50 per cent or ONE-HALF OFF; from that on to smaller reductions. See our windows for the big cuts. They will tell the tale.

200 pair \$3.00 Mayfield Pants, all this season's stuff, at \$1.50.
Lot of "Ox Breeches" pants, in best style new worsteds, cheap at \$2.50, but now \$1.75.
Lot Mens' Straw Hats, 25c to \$1.50 quality, 10 to 25c. Carried stock.

Mens' bran new fine \$4.00 Slippers, at \$3.35.
Mens' fine \$3.50 Slippers, at \$2.75.
A big lot Odds and ends in Shirts, Underwear, Shoes, Hats, etc., at prices to move them out quick.

The goods all put in easy reach, and designated by Red Tags and marked in mighty plain figures. These prices made to close out Merchandise; some lots small. Don't waste time, if interested come right on.

RYAN & SONS COMPANY

INCORPORATED

RYAN'S CLOTHING STORE

HUERTA ARRIVES SAFELY AT COAST

Fallen Dictator Makes Leisurely Trip From Capital to Puerto Mexico.

TRIP WAS WITHOUT INCIDENTS

British Consul Gemmill Meets Huerta and Offers Him Refuge on Board the Cruiser Bristol—Germans Offer to Help Huerta.

Puerto Mexico.—Gen. Victoriano Huerta, who recently resigned as provisional president of Mexico, arrived here, accompanied by Gen. Blanquet, his minister of war.

When he expects to leave his country and share the exile of Gen. Porfirio Diaz, whom he escorted to the coast three years ago, is yet unknown. He will return to his ship, "for any use he cared to make of her," but Gen. Huerta merely thanked him, adding that he would return to his ship.

The trip to this port was without incident or unpleasantness other than that occasioned by the terrible heat of the tropical lowlands. With Huerta and Blanquet were the general staff. The party occupied a train of nine sleeping cars, four of which were given over to troops. Two other trains loaded with nothing but troops preceded Gen. Huerta's train and arrived here an hour before the Huerta train. Behind him came another train, also loaded with soldiers.

Capt. Kohler and staff, in formal dress uniform, were at the station and were officially presented to Gen. Huerta. Answering inquiries as to his health, Gen. Huerta assured the officers he felt very well, although somewhat tired from the heat.

British Vice-Consul Gemmill also officially called on Huerta and presented him a message, presumably an offer of refuge, on the British cruiser Bristol. Huerta read it and expressed pleasure at the consideration being shown him.

Local officials calling on Gen. Huerta were few in number, the only one of importance being Gen. Rincon, commander of the local garrison. Commander Gabriel A. Carrasco of the Mexican gunboat Zaragoza with his staff also called, but Huerta asked to be excused.

All arrangements were made for the reception of Huerta and Blanquet and the stage was so set that they could board the Dresden or Bristol and put out to sea as quickly and quietly as to rob their flight of all dramatic elements. Tracks were laid so that the special train could be pulled along the wharf.

\$5,000,000 FOR NEW REVOLT

Men Whose Fortunes Are Menaced by Carranza Are Reported to Back Movement in Mexico.

El Paso, Tex.—Five million dollars in money and 5,000 men with arms and ammunition available, it is claimed, only await a leader for a new revolution in Mexico against the constitutional government. Men on the border who claim to know the details of the new movement say it is being fostered by men whose fortunes in Mexico are menaced by the demands which the constitutionalists are making.

Extraordinary precautions are being taken to prevent its being known just who is back of the movement and care is being taken to prevent the new revolt from being launched prematurely. It is not planned to openly take the field against Carranza until the constitutionalists have established their government in place of the provisional government of Carranza. To make the Carranza government permanent is the hope of some of the men who are said to be connected with the new revolt, but the majority of those opposing Carranza will retire in favor of an elected president who necessarily will be a constitutionalist, and they are urging haste in planning for the opposition to that government.

It is claimed that Gen. Pascual Orozco has fully 4,000 men under arms and already is moving from the vicinity of Aguas Calientes. Gen. Francisco Cardenas has almost as many on the border of Michoacan. Both have repudiated the Carranza government and have declared their intention of opposing Carranza's rule.

Fears About Zapata.

Washington.—While government officials here feel the Mexican problem is shaping itself for solution, apprehension is manifest over the possible operations of the Zapatista forces.

Rebels Take Rosario.

On board U. S. S. La Paz. Eight hundred constitutionalists were landed at Rosario, near La Paz, lower California. The Carranzista governor of lower California demanded the surrender of the city, and on being refused began a successful attack.

Lind Will Not Talk.

Duluth, Minn.—Events and results will show the administration and for the nation, said John Lind when asked what he thought of Huerta's resignation.

HUERTA QUILTS PRESIDENCY

Mexican Congress Accepts Resignation of Dictator—Carranza Made President by Congress.

Mexico City.—General Victoriano Huerta resigned from the provisional presidency of the Mexican republic, and his resignation was accepted by the senate and chamber of deputies by a vote of 121 to 17.

Francisco Carranza then was appointed president and took the oath of office at the joint session of the deputies and senators.

Huerta's resignation was submitted through the department of foreign relations. It was read in the house and was greeted with cries of "Viva Huerta." It then was referred to the joint committee of government. After brief consideration the committee reported, accepting the resignation in the following terms:

"Article 1. We accept the resignation presented by General Victoriano Huerta as president of the Mexican United States.

"Article 2. We call Licentiate Francisco Carranza, minister of foreign relations, to assume the presidency."

A ballot was taken and the joint session approved the report.

President Carranza proceeded to the national palace under an escort of presidential guards, and all along the way was greeted with tumultuous cheering.

The text of General Huerta's resignation follows:

"Deputies and Senators: Public necessity admitted by the chamber of deputies, by the senate and by the supreme court called me to the supreme magistracy of the republic. Later when in this same hall I had the honor of addressing you in compliance with the constitutional precept I promised at all costs to bring about peace.

"Seventeen months have passed, and in that brief period of time I have formed an army with which to carry out that solemn promise. You all know the immense difficulties which my government has encountered, owing to a scarcity of funds, as well as to the manifest and decided protection which a great power of this continent has afforded to the rebels—that when the revolution has been broken up, seeing that its chief leaders were and continued to be divided, the power in question sought a pretext to intervene directly in the conflict, and the result of this was the outrage committed at Vera Cruz by the American fleet.

"Success was had, as you know, in adjusting honorably through our delegates at Niagara Falls the petty quarrel of the United States and Mexico, but the revolution continued, with the support of whom we all know.

"Yet after the highly patriotic work achieved by our delegates at Niagara Falls, there still are some petty quarrels, some what may be called personal interest and not that of the republic. And as I need to rebuild this nation, I need to rebuild its government, and with the latest entire good faith and with the labor of entire good faith, I have succeeded in doing away with the party which in the United States has dealt death blows to an unjust power. Later on, stronger workers will come, using implements that undoubtedly will end that power which has done so much harm and committed so many outrages on this continent.

"In conclusion, I will say that I abandon the presidency of the republic, carrying with me the highest sum of human wealth, for I declare that I have arranged at the bar of universal conscience the honor of a partisan, whom I, as a great man, challenge to 'wrest from me that possession.'

"May God bless you and me."

The galleries of the chamber of deputies were packed before the beginning of the session. Intense excitement characterized the gathering, and at the close of the reading of Huerta's resignation the deputies and spectators broke into loud and continued applause.

After the acceptance of Huerta's resignation a commission was appointed by the president of the chamber to escort Senor Carranza to the floor of the house. Senor Carranza soon appeared in front of the chamber, passing through files of soldiers. He entered and as he walked to the platform the deputies stood administered the oath.

Two deputies spoke vigorously against the acceptance of Huerta's resignation, one calling it "weak submission to the United States."

Huerta's Resignation. "General Carranza will not recognize the validity of the debts of Huerta after he enters Mexico City and establishes a Constitutional government there," was the statement made late by high constitutionalist officials.

Huerta Sees French Pets.

Mexico City.—President Huerta attended the French Pets in celebration of the 125th anniversary of the fall of the Bastille. He was accompanied by his daughters and son.

Huerta Debts Invalid.

Monterey, Mex.—General Carranza will not recognize the validity of the debts of Huerta after he enters Mexico City and establishes a Constitutional government there.

Cincinnati.—At a special election Cincinnati citizens declined to adopt a new charter. The charter called for a smaller council and sought to give the mayor more power.

Power Explodes.

Charleston, W. Va.—Thirteen men were burned, three probably fatally, when a keg of powder exploded in a coal mine at Dungriff. Matthew Holstein, Alexander Owensby and Jesse Barlow have small chances for recovery.

Turn Down Charter.

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THE MURRAY LEDGER, MURRAY, KY.

MME. CLAUSE



Mme. Clause, wife of the new consul of the French embassy, is considered a distinct addition to the foreign colony in Washington, and is likely to be one of the most popular hostesses in the capital city.

WILL BUILD BRIDGE AT CAIRO

Mobile & Ohio Has Big Fund With Which to Build Structure.

Cairo, 12.—The announcement of Vice-President R. V. Taylor of the Mobile & Ohio, that his company has set aside \$5,000,000 to build a bridge across the Ohio river at Cairo, marks a split between the Mobile & Ohio and the Illinois Central, whose bridge the M. & O. used to cross the river here.

Under the existing contract the M. & O. pays the Illinois Central a cent a hundred for all freight crossing the bridge. The M. & O. has always interpreted this contract to mean revenue producing freight and not to include company freight, which they termed supplies. The Illinois Central learned of the practice, it is said, through a discharge clerk of the M. & O. and presented the claim for \$500,000 back pay. The Mobile & Ohio refused to pay the claim, and resorted to the arbitration agreement in the contract. The matter was submitted to E. Johnson of the Norfolk & Western, President F. A. Delano of the Rock Island, who heard testimony and decided for the M. & O. holding, however, that the wording of the contract was not clear and that the Illinois Central could collect bridge tolls on Mobile & Ohio freight after notifying them of its intention to do so. The Illinois Central immediately advised the Mobile & Ohio of this effect. For the past seven years it is said that the money paid the Illinois Central by the Mobile & Ohio for the use of the bridge would pay 6 per cent interest on their whole investment. The M. & O. and Ohio recently made soundings of the river here to determine if a suitable crossing could be found.

THAW GETS A BIG INCOME

Awarded Income From Estate of Father After Legal Battle—Trust Company Beaten.

Pittsburgh.—After a six months' legal battle, Harry K. Thaw, in court decision was awarded the income from his father's estate, denied him by the trustees since he was adjudged insane for slaying Stanford White.

By the decision Thaw gets \$100,773. Judge James W. Over held that Thaw is entitled to the income, despite the fact that alienists declare Thaw is suffering from an exaggerated sense of self, which would make it unsafe to commit any large sums of money into his personal charge.

The fight for the income began last January, when Thaw filed a petition asking for \$20,000 to defray legal expenses. The Fidelity Title & Trust company of Pittsburgh, trustees, took exception. The court allowed the petition. The trust company then was permitted to send alienists to examine Thaw, claiming he was insane. Thaw refused to submit to an examination. It is said. The trust company then asked that Thaw be compelled to submit. The demurrer to this motion, filed by Thaw's attorneys, was sustained.

SIX ARE KILLED IN WRECK

Nineteen Also Hurt When Electric Train Ran Into Coal Train Near Norfolk, Va.

Norfolk, Va.—A checking up of the dead and injured in the collision at a crossing near this city between an electric train on the Virginia Railway and Power company's lines and a coal train on the Virginia railroad, showed that six persons were killed and 19 injured. The dead, four men and two women, were all residents of Norfolk.

BOAT ROCKED—FIVE DROWN

Attempt of Woman to Get Into Boat Was Cause of Disaster at Naticook, Lake.

Manchester, N. H.—The attempt of Miss Annie Burrans while in swimming to climb into a rowboat, in which were her sister, Mrs. Minnie Mills of South Merrimack, the latter's two small children, and her young niece, Dorothy Burrans, caused the drowning of all five in Naticook Lake, South Merrimack.

INDICT MRS. CARMAN ON MURDER CHARGE

Wife of Freeport Physician Accused of Manslaughter. Trial Set for Fall.

SHE PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Weeps Hysterically After She Had Been Arraigned—Great Crowd of Curious Throng Courtroom to Hear Jury's Report.

Freeport, N. Y.—Mrs. Florence Conklin-Carman, a woman as remarkable as the tragedy in which she was involved, was released from Nassau county jail under \$20,000 bond to appear in court some time this fall and answer to the charge of killing Mrs. Louise Duryea Bailey.

A tense woman Mrs. Carman was when she faced Justice Van Sylen in the supreme court in Mineola and was told that the grand jury had decided that she had killed Mrs. Bailey "in the heat of passion," and was therefore indicted for manslaughter in the first degree.

She strode into the courtroom like a woman walking to her death. She was very pale, as pale as the soft moon in a twilight. Her hands were clenched so tightly that her knuckles protruded, sharp and white.

Her lips were clamped until her mouth was nothing but a scratch across an absolutely colorless face. Directly after she had been informed that the indictment had been found and her attorney had agreed with District Attorney Smith that \$20,000 was all-right as bail, Mrs. Carman retired into the ante-room where Smith Cox, her lawyer, and her wealthy neighbors, signed the bond. With Cox and Randall back of her she strode into the courtroom with the same swaying stride and clenched hands. She raised her hand and was sworn with her husband.

She retired to the rear room to surrender to the irrepressible desire to collapse. She fell into a chair and began to weep hysterically. Ten minutes later in a curtained limousine she was taken on a trip over the hard, sun-baked roads of Long Island.

SEEK RETURN OF FORTUNE

Appointment of Some One to Push the New Haven Claims Asked.

Boston.—The appointment of a receiver, special master or other official to prosecute claims aggregating \$300,000 against defendant directors and estates of directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad was asked in a suit filed in the supreme court. The action is brought by Whipple, Sears & Ogden, representing minority stockholders of the company.

The suit in which the attorneys recently demanded that the directors be held responsible for funds alleged to have been illegally expended in building up the New Haven system.

Judge Brady issued an order of notice returnable next week to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed and why an injunction against the disposition of the defendants' stock should not be issued.

CHAFIN COMPANY WINS SUIT

Shelby Loses Contention Against Co.—Deposit Based on Credit Which Was Accepted.

New York.—The contention that the H. B. Chafin company illegally engaged in a banking business in accepting deposits and paying interest thereon was disposed of in favor of the Chafin company by Judge Hand in federal district court. This hand was ruled in a suit brought by Emmanuel Shelby of Aberdeen, Miss., to compel the Chafin receivers to return to him the balance of \$10,000 deposited with the firm last January and drawing interest at 4 1/2 per cent.

The court held that the transaction was based on the credit of the Chafin company, which Shelby accepted when he made the deposit.

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THREE ARE DROWNED

Easton, Pa.—Two girls and a boy who tried to save them drowned in a flooded quarry hole near here when a raft upset. The victims were Pearl Wagner, 13; Arlington Ackerman, 11; and his sister, Ethel Ackerman, 14.

Strikers in Riot.

Stenbock, Ohio.—Two of three hundred striking miners marched down from the hills, where they had camped, to the mines at Bradley, Ohio, and attempted to drive off the hummers.



Capt. Harry Haff is the veteran yachtsman who has succeeded Capt. Bill Dennis as skipper of the Vanitie, one of the trio of yachts that are striving for the honor of defending the America's cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock IV.

DEBATE ON FUTURES BILL

Acceptance of House Measure Now a Possibility, According to Rumor. Opposition Weakens.

Washington.—The conference on the cotton futures bill made what is believed to be good progress toward an acceptance of the House measure, the one that imposes a nominal tax on contracts made in accordance with the terms of the proposed law and a prohibitory tax upon other kinds.

The committee had before it experts from the Department of Agriculture, explaining the technical part of the measure and their reasons for the parts of it that were inserted upon the suggestion of the department so as to assure the growers of cotton that the largest possible percentage of the crop will be delivered in contracts.

Senator Smith of Georgia, who is regarded as the keystone in the arch of opposition on the subject, said that he was becoming more favorably impressed by the arguments in favor of the Senate receding than it seemed possible for him to be when the conference committee was appointed. It would not be at all surprising if within a short time he would be recommending the substitution of the House bill for the Senate measure, which is something that is seldom done in the clashes between the two houses.

MEDIATION PLAN IS REFUSED

Western Trainmen Accuse Roads of Prolonging Negotiations to Gain Their Point.

Chicago.—Representatives of the engineers and trainmen of the western railroads who have voted to strike unless their demands for wage increases are granted refused a request of the general managers' committee that the United States government be asked to mediate. The men charged the committee with seeking to defeat the purpose of the men by prolonging negotiations.

"As we have stated to you on several occasions," the letter of refusal also says, "we will not accept arbitration because in our past arbitration the railroads have refused to place the awards into effect."

MME. CAILLAUX TO BE TRIED

Paris.—The first steps in the trial of Mme. Henri Caillaux, wife of Joseph Caillaux, ex-minister of finance, on the charge of murdering Gaston Calmette, editor of Le Figaro, were taken when President Albaladeu of the Siege Assizes made a drawing of the jury which will hear the evidence.

Would Sue Exchange.

St. Louis.—Demand that he institute suit against the Merchants' exchange of St. Louis on a charge of violating the anti-trust law was made on Attorney General Barker of Missouri by Edward M. Fiesh, member of a commission firm that holds a membership in the exchange.

Resignation as Provisional President of Mexico was halted by official Washington as the first practical step toward a quick solution of the Mexican problem.

Waiting on Lever.

Washington.—Final action by the senate and house conferees upon the bill regulating dealings in cotton futures will be taken up on the return of Representative Lever, one of the conferees, from South Carolina.

Street Corner Sermons.

Philadelphia.—The Presbyterian Evangelical alliance of this city will hereafter send out half a dozen automobiles each night loaded with ordained preachers, who will deliver street corner sermons at every prominent point in the city.

Eyes on Congress.

Washington.—The executive council of the American Federation of Labor, following a week's discussion of issues affecting organized labor, adjourned to meet at the call of President Gompers.

HINDUS IN BATTLE WITH POLICEMEN

OVER 20 REPORTED SHOT IN FIGHT AT VANCOUVER—COAL AND HATCHETS USED.

WERE DENIED ADMITTANCE

Hindus Would Not Allow Immigration Officials to Board Japanese Vessel, and They Retire—Canadian Government Firm.

Vancouver, B. C.—Scores among a party of 175 policemen and constables were injured, several seriously, in a battle with several hundred infuriated Hindus on board the Japanese steamer Komatara Maru in the harbor here.

Showers of coal and other missiles rained from the ship on the official force which attempted to board the steamer from a tug. In the face of the fire, the attacking party retreated and the attempt to board the steamer temporarily was abandoned. The Hindus braved the stream from a big hose the tug turned on them and mercilessly pelted the officers with lumps of coal, bricks and pieces of iron from which is believed to have been the wreckage of the engine room on the steamer followed.

The battle grew out of an attempt to rid the harbor of the Japanese steamer on which 150 Hindus came to this port three months ago, only to have the Canadian immigration officials refuse them admission to the country. Their claim of a right of hand as British subjects was overruled by the courts and the steamer was ordered to sail with them on board.

The Hindus had been rebellious and several times attempted to land, but were prevented.

SHIP BURNS IN N. Y. HARBOR

100,000 Persons See Spectacular Battle Against Flames—200 Aboard.

New York.—More than 100,000 persons gathered on the Battery and the Brooklyn and Manhattan bridges and watched the most spectacular steamship burning of the Gen. Slocum in the East river in 1904, with its record of 1,000 deaths.

The passenger steamer Massachusetts, with 700 passengers and a crew of more than 200, an oil-burner, had cleared from her pier in the North river and swung into New York bay shortly after 5 o'clock, when there came a sudden burst of flames through the upper works amidships, where the after funnel rose from the oil tank room in the hold.

The passengers, frightened nearly into hysterics, were kept from panic only by heroic work of the squads detailed to look after them, but as the smoke grew denser and settled about the decks, it became apparent it would be unable to control them for any great length of time. At last the steamer crawled into the Wallabout Market, directly between the Manhattan and Brooklyn bridges, and made fast. The smoke soon died down, and when the fire boat crews had joined their efforts to those of the scum on the Massachusetts the blaze was extinguished.

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CROP CONDITIONS ONLY FAIR

Improvement in Carolinas and Oklahoma—Many Sections Dry—Damage in Texas.

Washington.—Cotton crop conditions over the belt are decidedly spotted, according to the scattered nature of the rains of the past fortnight. In the west the weather has been decidedly hot and dry, except that good rains have fallen in Louisiana and portions of Arkansas. In Louisiana the crop improves normal progress was made in Oklahoma, Arkansas showed very irregular conditions, by reason of the scattered rains, and in Texas there was some loss, due largely to damage done to young cotton by the dry weather and high temperatures.

Boll weevils are still numerous in infested areas, but damage to date is small.

Wilson on Street.

Washington.—President Wilson took a short walk through the business section of the city and attended to some business at his bank. His appearance, following his recent slight illness, attracted much attention.

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BECKHAM OF KENTUCKY

Personal Characteristics and Remarkable Career of the Most Popular Man in Kentucky—The Candidate Most Likely To Succeed the Late Senator Bradley, As the Choice of the Democrats At the Primaries To Be Held August 1st

(By C. P. Connolly, Staff Writer Harper's Weekly.)



J. C. W. Beckham, of Kentucky, the man of the hour in this crucial year in Kentucky politics.

This remarkable sketch concerning J. C. W. Beckham is reprinted from Harper's Weekly, the national weekly publication that is supporting President Woodrow Wilson and his policies in the present administration at Washington.

THE candidate most likely to succeed the late Senator Bradley as the choice of the Democrats at the primaries to be held August 1st, is J. C. W. Beckham. Beckham was the choice of the Democratic party six years ago, when a Democratic legislature elected the late William O'Connell Bradley, a Republican. There was a majority of eight Democrats in the legislature, but the Whiskey Ring controlled enough of these to defeat Beckham, and Bradley was elected.

Kentucky is replete with romance and tragedy, political and other. If there is anything native about literature, it may account for the professional success of James Lane Allen and of John Fox, Jr., who have both largely drawn on Kentucky for their material.

In business, adventure there was James B. Haggin, the mining magnate, who, peevish because of his failure of election to some petty office when a young man, emigrated to California; became fabulously rich, and returning in his old age to his old home at Lexington, established a great stock farm which is one of the show places of Kentucky. At Frankfort, thirty miles from Lexington, Henry Clay appeared as the attorney for Aaron Burr in his first trial for treason, much to Clay's subsequent chagrin. Here, too, at Lebanon, lived Proctor Knott, one-time governor of Kentucky, who delivered in Congress his famous parody on Duluth. Mountaineers and valley-men have their feuds and wars, but at bottom there was usually some elemental instinct of justice. At Frankfort, the capital, in 1900, William Goebel was shot from ambush as he was about to be declared the duly elected governor of the state. Out of this last drama issued the career of J. C. W. Beckham, a meteoric rising at the time, just past the age of eligibility for the governorship.

The assassination of Goebel was the climax of a great political contest. Not in modern American history anywhere was there a more heroic or tragic struggle. That it left its sting is evidenced by the fact that it is difficult to wear a Kentuckian from his duelling of the subject.

Every one will remember how Goebel fought so valiantly against the bitterly entrenched Louisville & Nashville Railroad, of which he was a stockholder, and how he was shot down by an assassin on the death-bed, and

died with words of pardon for his enemies on his lips. Goebel, who was the pioneer progressive of the South—he was the pioneer of railroad rate regulation in the country—was the most maligned and misunderstood character in American history. He fought his way blithely through prejudices strong enough to deter most men, and waged war against the old aristocracy of Kentucky and the Louisville & Nashville railroad ring at the same time.

It was left to Beckham, as the successor of Goebel, to smooth out the wrinkled front of this issue. He followed the even tenor of his path, neither compromising nor building, but doing all things with an even-tempered justice which won the people of Kentucky, and reconciled the enemies of Goebel.

Beckham comes of gentle stock. His mother has occupied the Executive Mansion at Frankfort both as daughter and mother of a governor. An uncle, Senator Yule, of Florida, entered Beckham in the Central University at Richmond, Ky.; but Senator Yule, shortly afterwards dying, young Beckham, then seventeen, was compelled to leave college to look after the farm of his widowed mother. Meanwhile he taught school.

Beckham did not flinch in the policies for which Goebel was assassinated. He got through the law advocated by Goebel, allowing the State Railroad Commission to regulate rates. Under his administration Kentucky's new capitol was built. He showed courage in this. Others had recommended a new capitol, but no governor cared to put the power of his administration behind it, because Louisville, on the one side, and Lexington, on the other, both coveted the honor of the capitol.

He collected from the Federal Government an old war debt of \$1,200,000. He secured legislation fixing a maximum price for school books. He established two normal schools, and he lengthened the school term in the country districts from five to six months.

But it was in a bitter struggle for the supremacy of the law that Beckham ran against Judge Ben Lindsey's "Boss." He believes that the law should keep pace with the growth of public sentiment, and that when enacted it should be enforced.

The South, topographically the most beautiful section of the country, has had its hells and its heart-aches, which it has borne without sentimental appeal; and with heroic soul. Its people are grappling with everything that stands in the present way of its welfare. One of these evils is the liquor traffic, which has been permitted to flourish and flourish in its effects on the South.

sweeping over the South. Yet it was not in any spirit of crusading that Beckham locked horns with the liquor interests of Kentucky. It was rather the thing that fell in his way as a public duty.

The constitution of Kentucky, adopted some twenty-five years ago, contained a provision that required the legislature to enact a law giving each county of the state the right to vote itself "wet" or "dry." This constitutional provision, like the one that prohibits railroad passes, was honored in the breach. Indeed, Kentucky legislators have been prone, in matters of reform, to adopt the policy of the Vermont Fathers, who resolved "that the laws of God and Connecticut be adopted until we have time to frame better."

Beckham obeyed the Constitution and recommended the enactment of a law in conformity with it; but the liquor interests succeeded in having exempted the larger cities.

Then there was a Sunday closing law on the statute books, which was openly violated in the cities, notably in Louisville. Beckham was appealed to, but he had no power to remove derelict city officials and could make only a ritual appeal to the mayor of Louisville to enforce the law, which was unsuccessful.

It so happened that shortly after this the Kentucky Court of Appeals decided that the election of all of Louisville's officials had been procured by fraud. The officers were by this court declared vacant, and the governor was empowered to fill them by appointment. Beckham went over the heads of the party machine and appointed a mayor, with the understanding that the Sunday closing law would be enforced. It was enforced and is enforced today.

The "rectifiers" of Kentucky make a product that is sold as whiskey, but which is made up of various excise ingredients. They were doing an immense business in Kentucky, and paying very little in taxes. Beckham secured a law that taxed these "rectifiers" a cent and a quarter a gallon on their product. Also, he secured the passage of a law prohibiting the shipping of liquor into "dry" territory; but the Supreme Court of the United States held that this was unconstitutional, so far as it affected interstate shipments.

The Louisville man, therefore, could take his whiskey across the river to Jeffersonville, Ind., and from there ship it to any point in Kentucky, wet or dry. The Webb law, later passed by Congress, is intended to remove these illicit accommodations and stop the traffic.

Beckham had time to formulate his policies, after Goebel's death. When he was obliged to stand for another election. The politicians were against him, but the people were with him, and he received the votes of 700 out of the 900 delegates.

It was in the policy days of Mark Hanna, and that astute leader, under whose auspices Kentucky had gone Republican in 1896, believed Beckham could be beaten. The Republicans, therefore, put up their best man and their stoutest purse, but Beckham, by a narrow margin, won. Three years later there was no opposition to his nomination, and he carried the State by 27,000 plurality.

Towards the end of his second term as governor, Beckham, in 1906, became a candidate for the United States Senate. His candidacy aroused intense feeling in the camp of the liquor interests. In the primary election for the senatorship, in 1907, with the combined opposition of the party machine and the daily newspapers in Louisville, Lexington, Covington and Newport, the four largest cities in the State, Beckham carried 91 counties out of 119 in the State, with the liquor interests furnishing a plethoric purse toward his defeat. Beaten at the polls, the liquor interests retreated to the legislature, and four Democratic legislators voted at the back of the whiskey ring for a Republican.

By agreeing to abandon the temperance cause for which he had stood, Beckham could have won; but he refused to trade—once more showing his courage and his devotion to principle.

In my opinion, gained after a journey last summer through Kentucky, that sacrifice of Beckham for a principle will make him the next United States senator from Kentucky as sure as Yule defeated him there. If there is anything in political justice, if there is any atonement for political wrongs, if a people are not ungrateful or indifferent, Beckham will be rewarded. Not that he looks for reward. Victory is not always the true test of an honest and righteous cause, he said in a public speech after his defeat in 1908: "Success may have its pleasures, but failure may have its honors."

And let me add that, whether you believe in prohibition, or in the enforcement of the law, or whether you side with the liquor interests in Kentucky, the whiskey ring of that state has exercised more political power of late years in the state than all other corporations put together, and it is far more violent and autocratic.

If he should go to the senate, he will add to the dignity and the worth of that body. He is one whom the country at large will welcome to the councils of the nation. No man in Kentucky is hardy enough to question his integrity. The charge has been made that Beckham has turned to the practice of law; his law firm has acted as local attorneys for the Louisville & Nashville railroad. Whoever his client, he is of that type of lawyer whose convictions are not for sale with his sword. His popularity is based largely on his integrity, and he is the most popular man in Kentucky.

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Notice of Sale.

Calloway Circuit Court, B. F. Schroeder, Piff.

VS. R. W. Howard and Giles McCuiston, Dfts.

By virtue of judgement and order of sale of the Calloway circuit court rendered at the April term, 1914, for the purpose of satisfying a judgement of \$254.40 at the rate of 6 per cent interest from date till paid and the costs herein expended. In order to satisfy the said judgement I will sell the following described property at the court house door Calloway county, Ky., on the 27th day of July 1914, at 1 o'clock p.m. to the highest and best bidder, on the credit of one-third in six months, one-third due in nine months and one-third due in twelve months, with 6 per cent interest from this date till paid with approved bond and good surety.

One Frick saw mill, including boiler and engine, saw rig and attachments and apparatus thereto, also one blue jack about 14 1/2 hands high, which is the property of Giles McCuiston together with the grounds. Given under my hand as Sheriff Calloway county, Ky., this July 7th, 1914.

W. A. Patterson, Sheriff Calloway County.

Guardians, Administrators and Fiduciaries:—I call your attention to the law requiring administrators, guardians and other fiduciaries to settle their accounts with the County Court once every two years. I find from the records now in the clerk's office that a number of such settlements are due and past due. Where settlements are due you will please report to this office within the next ten days for settlement or you will be summoned and required to settle as the law directs. Please take notice and save cost to you. L. A. L. Langston, Judge Calloway County Court.

Certificate.

I certify that I have this day tested all of the cows in the Melton & Waggoner dairy of Murray, Ky., for tuberculosis, and I find them free of any trace of the disease. This June 20, 1914. Dr. C. N. Tyree, Inspector for Calloway.

Notice of Sale.

Calloway Circuit Court, Bank of Hazel, Piff.

VS. J. A. Edwards et al, Dfts.

By virtue of judgement and order of sale of the Calloway Circuit Court at the April Term, 1914, for the purpose of satisfying the said judgement, in favor of the Bank of Hazel for the sum of \$332.90 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent from date till paid and the costs herein expended.

It is further adjudged by the court that the Bank of Murray recover of the defendant J. A. Edwards, \$503.82 with 6 per cent interest thereon from date till paid and its costs herein expended. In order to satisfy the said judgement I will sell on the 27th day of July at 1 o'clock p.m. at the court house door in Murray Calloway county, Ky., the same being county court day, on the credit of six months, the purchaser of the property to give bond and good surety approved by the sheriff of Calloway county, the following described property, to wit: Beginning at the north west corner of Laura P. Pool's lot in the center of the Murray and Wadesboro road, thence north 2 1/2 poles to a post, thence east 1/2 pole to a stake, thence south 6 1/2 poles to the north-east corner of Laura P. Pool's lot, thence west with the said line to the beginning, containing one-half acre and being the same lot decided to T. F. Martin then decided to J. A. Edwards by T. F. Martin December 14, 1887, deed recorded in deed book No. 1 page 206 in Calloway county clerk's office. Alice Edwards, wife of J. A. Edwards, joins her husband herein relinquishing all rights to the homestead or dower in and to the said land herein mortgaged. This being the same place I now live on. Given under my hand as Sheriff Calloway county, Ky., this July 7th, 1914.

W. A. Patterson, Sheriff Calloway County.

Settlement Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of J. M. Venable, and all persons indebted to said estate either by note or account are hereby notified to come forward with said claims and make settlement on or before November 1st, 1914.—A. A. Jones, Admr. 7233

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Wednesday, July 29th.

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