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## CONFERENCE

### Calloway Methodist Preachers Attending at Brownsville.

#### Appointments Will Be Announced About Monday of Next Week.

The Memphis annual conference convened at Brownsville, Tenn., on November 13. Bishop Kilgo is presiding. In this conference there are 178 pastoral charges, representing 72,000 members. Several young preachers will be up for admission. The character of each pastor must be passed upon by the conference, before he can receive an appointment for another year. The most of the work of the conference is done through various committees. Business sessions are held each morning, and the committees work in the afternoons. The opening sermon and communion was on Tuesday night, November 12. Usually the presiding bishop opens each morning session with devotional service and a pointed talk on some vital Christian topic. On each afternoon at 3 o'clock there is a sermon delivered in the church where the conference is in session. At the evening hour, special anniversary services on the various connectional interests, are held. The conference will probably get through with its work on Monday, November 18, when the appointments will be announced for another year.

Rev. W. A. Russell, pastor of the Murray church, and who has been here the past two years, left Tuesday morning. Rev. J. G. Jones, who has served the West Murray charge the past year, will be retired from active service by the present conference and will continue to make this city his home, having rented the residence on Depot street at present occupied by T. M. Harrison.

Other pastors of the county are attending the conference and a number of delegates are also in attendance. J. G. Glasgow is representing the Murray church.

## TO LET CONTRACTS

### County Committee of Tobacco Association Will Meet in Murray Saturday.

Chairman, Lee Clark of the Planters Protective Association, has called a meeting of the county committee for Saturday, at which time pricing contracts for Calloway county will be granted. This meeting is looked forward to with eager interest not only by the growers, but by the processors. As soon as the contracts are awarded the growers can commence to make advances on association tobacco. Calloway has a total acreage of about 7,500 pledged to date with quite a number of pledges yet not returned to the county secretary which will swell the total to at least 8,000 acres.

At a meeting of the board of directors held in Clarksville, Tenn., last week, it was learned that the association would have the required acreage to maintain the association, more than 55 per cent, being reported up to this time and in many of the counties of the black patch hundreds of acres were being pledged each week. Just when the books will be closed was not determined, as this matter was placed in the hands of a committee at a meeting held the first of October. It is generally be-

lieved, however, that the books will remain open only a very short while longer, and if there are any Calloway growers who have not yet pledged and are anticipating placing their crops with the association it would be well for them to do so at the very first opportunity.

#### Great Gain Was Made.

New York, Nov. 11.—According to tabulations made by Socialists here, the Socialist vote in last Tuesday's election showed an increase of more than 100 per cent over the vote in the last Presidential election. The increase is not confined to any particular state or section, but it is general throughout the country. The party leaders, moreover, maintain that their total vote would have been much larger but for the Progressive movement which they declare attracted many voters from the ranks of Socialist sympathizers.

#### Dr. Curd Moves to Providence.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Curd have moved to their old home place near New Providence. The doctor and his good wife will be greatly missed from the society of their numerous friends in Hazel.

## FOUND DEAD

### Uncle Mike Reiser, for Years Resident of Murray, Found Dead.

Uncle Mike Reiser, for more than twenty years a resident of this city, was found dead on the river bank at Paducah last week. He had been dead for at least two days when found was the verdict of the coroner's jury and that he came to his death from an unknown cause. Rats had mutilated the body to some extent before it was discovered.

Uncle Mike came to Murray about twenty years ago with Lee Lucas, and since that time had made his home here with the exception of an occasional few months. He was widely known and had many friends among all the people of the town and county, and his death under such circumstances is very regrettable. He left Murray about the first of October and had not been heard of since he left here until the news of his death was telephoned here by Ziba Williams, who identified the dead man.

Uncle Mike was a German and served in the civil war between the states as a Confederate soldier. He has relatives in Cincinnati, a sister who is the wife of a wealthy brewer of that city. We did not hear what disposition was made of the body.

Paducah, Ky., Nov. 12.—The body of Michael Reiser, who was found dead in a cellar Thursday afternoon, with his eyeballs eaten out and otherwise disfigured by rats, was buried in the potter's field. He formerly resided in Murray. He was a cobbler by trade.

Helps a Judge in Bad Fix. Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and longed for a remedy. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25 cents at Dale & Stubblefield.

The Pottery is versatile and clever. Don't miss them Nov.

## COURT NEWS

### One Penitentiary Sentence for Trading Horse.

#### Several Important Cases Will Come up For Trial.

The regular November term of the Calloway County Circuit Court was convened last Monday morning by Judge J. T. Hanberry, of Hopkinsville, and a number of minor cases and a few of importance have been heard since court was convened. Hon. Denny P. Smith, of Cadiz, is here representing the interests of the commonwealth.

After empaneling the jury Monday morning and delivering the usual charge the business of the present term was entered into by the judge. The grand jury is composed of the following citizens: J. W. Taylor, Cooper Armstrong, R. L. Craig, E. L. Guerin, J. G. Wells, Amos Copeland, J. W. Jetton, B. B. Denham, C. C. Dunn, J. W. Richardson, O. W. Key, W. E. Billington, and M. O. Crouch.

The petit jury was empaneled Tuesday morning and is composed of the following citizens: J. W. Carlton, Nath G. Outland, Will Fisher, G. E. Robertson, Chas. C. Smith, Robert Clayton, Bun Nix, M. Carlton, J. E. Tucker, John T. Houston, W. P. Jones, John Anderson, Will Ward, W. F. Gilbert, James M. Carter, A. A. Jackson, Ed Farmer, E. Swift, John A. Carlton, P. A. Lomb, T. C. Wilkins, Jack Owen, Will Haley and South Overby.

The first case of importance that came to trial was the commonwealth vs. Onis Hale. This case grew out of a horse trade. It seems that Mr. Hale traded a defective mare to Ike Woodall and Mr. Woodall sued in the lower courts for damages and won his case. After this was done he indicted Hale under the new construction of the law for obtaining money under false pretense. This case was given a hearing at the last term of court and resulted in a hung jury, and at this term of court Hale was convicted and will be

sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of from two to ten years. We understand that the case will be appealed to the higher courts. The result of this trial is of importance to every man who trades in stock and means that the person guilty of trading a defective animal of any character can be indicted for the same offense charged against Hale.

Quite a number of smaller commonwealth cases have been disposed of up to this time.

The trial of Mansard Lovier for cutting B. B. Denham some several weeks ago is in progress at this hour.

Judge Hanberry was called to Madisonville Tuesday afternoon and was absent until Friday. Judge Henry Hughes, of Paducah, acted as judge of the court in his absence.

The building boom that has been in progress in Murray all summer continues without abatement. Mr. Lancaster, father of Circuit Clerk Lancaster, is building a new home on South Elkins. Willie Broagh and Noah Chambers have commenced the erection of new and handsome homes on West Institute and A. B. Beale & Son are about to complete one of the largest warehouses in the city, located on the site of the old Mills livery stable.

Wayland, editor and owner of the "Appeal to Reason," Socialists' paper, shot and killed himself at his home here last night. The dead man was to appear in federal court at Fort Scott, Kas., today in answer to charges preferred by the United States government for circulating through the mails defamatory matter concerning United States federal prisons.

His suicide, however, is attributed to the great grief over the death of his wife, which occurred recently.

Wayland was one of the best known Socialist leaders in the country. He founded at one time the Socialist colony at Russell, Tenn.

## BUMPER

### Present Corn Crop Sets New High Mark for World.

#### Productions Is Worth Millions This Year to American Farmer.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12. A corn crop of 3,169,137,000 bushels, or 281,921,000 bushels more than the greatest crop of corn ever grown in any country of the world, is the feature of the country's most remarkable agricultural year in history, according to the November crop report of the United States department of agriculture. The report completed the government's preliminary estimates of the nation's principal farm crops. This great crop of corn was worth on November 1 to farmers \$1,850,776,000.

The enormous sum of \$4,171,134,000 represented the farm value on November 1 of the United States crops of corn, hay, wheat, oats, potatoes, barley, flaxseed, rye and buckwheat. With the value of the growing cotton crop and the crops of tobacco, rice and apples, the aggregate value of these principal farm products will mount well beyond \$5,000,000,000.

Upon the preliminary estimates of production and prices announced today, the value of the crops figure out as follows: Corn, \$1,850,776,000; hay, \$854,615,000; wheat, \$3,021,029,000; oats, \$173,170,000; potatoes, \$135,990,000; barley, \$129,815,000; flaxseed, \$29,000,000; rye, \$24,370,000; buckwheat, \$12,521,000.

There was an increase in the total value of each of their crops excepting buckwheat, potatoes, barley and rye. The increase netted \$515,957,000 over the value of last year's crops.

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## SHERIFF FEES

### Department of Education May Sue to Recover—No Teachers Money

#### Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 9.—Suit

probably will be instituted against county sheriffs who have been taking fees out of school taxes collected by them. Inspectors have reported to the Department of Education that this practice is not uncommon and Superintendent Barksdale Hamlett said Thursday that he believed several thousands of dollars can be recovered for the use of the state school fund. The sheriff is entitled to 10 per cent of the first \$5,000 he collects and 4 per cent of the balance; but the Court of Appeals has held that none of this may come of the school tax, which must be turned in intact, and the sheriff must take his fee out of the county funds. It is reported that in some counties the school fund is being made the "goat" and the sheriffs are taking all of the first 10 per cent out of it, the county fund profiting thereby.

The second installment of the school fund distribution to the counties and cities for the payment of teachers' salaries falls due next Saturday, but there are not sufficient funds in the state treasury to the credit of the

fund to meet the warrant of the Department of Education and it probably will be several weeks, at least, before the department is in funds. Superintendent of Public Instruction Barksdale Hamlett has recommended to the local boards of education that they borrow the money where this is possible and pay the teachers promptly. The first installment of money for the cities has been sent out to the city boards, amounting to \$95,620.45. October 31 there was to the credit of the school fund \$246,287.95, and this payment reduces the fund as of that date to \$120,667.50.

Club Program. The Housekeepers Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Ed Owens, on Wednesday, November 27th, 2 o'clock, with the following program:

Paper—What is the Federation and What has it Accomplished?—Mrs. Warren Swann.

Paper—Contrast Housekeeping in the 20th Century, and in the Days of the Revolution.—Mrs. Hubbs.

Report on Federation Items.—Mrs. Ed Owens.

Answer Roll Call—"My Funniest Experience as a Housekeeper."

Exchange of Christmas ideas by the members.

A full attendance of the club is desired.

First Service. Linn and Waters Street Christian Church Opened For Services.

The new Christian church was thrown open for services for the first time last Sunday when the Sunday school was convened at 9:30 o'clock. Quite a large attendance was present to worship in the house for the first time. The new building is located on the corner of Linn and Waters streets, and the church will bear the name of these two thoroughfares and will be known as Linn and Waters street Church of Christ.

Regular preaching services were held at the usual morning hour and Rev. Ethridge preached to the congregation. While the building is not thoroughly completed it will be used in its present condition this winter. The congregation that erected this house was organized about four years ago with thirteen members and the membership today enrolls the names of fifty-nine. The completion of this house of worship gives Murray seven churches, including the three colored churches.

Wanted in Benton For Seduction. Benton, Ky., Nov. 11. Deputy Sheriff Sylvester Wade arrived home yesterday at noon from Columbus, Miss., with Charles Hust, who is wanted here upon a charge of seduction. The charge was preferred by Miss Mary Pace, of Gilbertsville. His examining trial will be held Friday before County Judge Joe L. Price. He gave bond in the sum of \$300 and was released. Mr. Hust was principal of the Gilbertsville graded school during the scholastic year of 1910-11, where he formed the acquaintance of Miss Pace. At present he is employed as a traveling salesman for a Paducah company.

Conn Linn Elected. In the recent November election, Conn Linn, formerly of this city, was elected county judge of Creek county, Okla. His majority was approximately

1,100 votes.

## REMEMBER NOV. 30th

After November 30th the law provides that a penalty be added to the unpaid tax receipts, so we ask those that have not paid to call at our office or see the deputy that is convenient to you and settle before this date and avoid these penalties and cost.

During the term of Circuit Court all the books will be in the office.

Don't let this penalty time find you unpaid. Write or phone us, and we will give you the amount tax.

Please look after your receipt now.

**C. L. JORDAN**  
SHERIFF CALLOWAY COUNTY



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Week's News

The great diamond, the largest in the world, which has just been discovered in Premier mine, may not prove to be so valuable as at first thought. It is now officially stated that the diamond, which weighs 1,649 carats, is of inferior quality.

Democrats here considered it very likely that President Wilson will call a special session of the new congress soon after his inauguration in March. Aviator Fowler, who started an attempt to lower the sustained flight record, fell several hundred feet at Sausalito, Cal. His machine was wrecked, but Fowler almost miraculously escaped serious injury.

Judge Henry B. Willis, presiding justice of the appellate court for the Twenty-first judicial district, died from injuries received when he was run down by a train while watching election returns.

The victorious Bulgarians made one swift, vicious assault on the fortifications of Tchaikaldia and won them. The disheartened Turks are now scattered.

Jack Johnson, champion heavy-weight prize fighter, was arrested by federal officers, accused of a violation of the Mann act. His arrest followed the return by the federal grand jury of an indictment against him.

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Lavert S. McCain, of Jonesboro, Ark., traveling salesman for the New York hosiery and underwear house, was shot and killed at Hotel Marion, Forest City, Ark.

Two more airmen were killed at Halberstadt, Germany. Lieut. Altlicher was making a flight in a bi-plane in which he carried an engineer named Meyer, as a passenger, when the motor suddenly stopped and the aeroplane plunged to the ground from a height of 60 feet.

President Taft will return to Cincinnati to live after the expiration of his term, according to a statement he made to friends in Cincinnati after he had conceded his defeat. The president will take up the practice of law upon his return here.

Gov. Wilson received the election returns at his home in Princeton, N. J., through the same telegraph instrument that ticked off victory to Grover Cleveland in 1892.

Stumbling over a hidden "set" gun, Stanley R. Curle, 22, principal of the Three Lakes, Wis., school, was killed. The powers notified Turkey that they could not open negotiations with the Balkans with a view to bringing about an armistice in the Balkans.

Ira Kringel, 35 years old, has obtained control of the Manhattan Life Insurance company, a \$2,000,000 corporation, it was learned, thus adding to Wall street another "boy wizard of finance."

The towns of Moctistlan and Quechultenango, near Tlaxcala, Mexico, were almost destroyed by a flood resulting from torrential rains. Refugees report that a quarter of the population perished.

The revolutionary spirit in the northern part of the state of Vera Cruz, Mexico, is on the increase. Many small bands are causing much damage in the rich oil district.

Diplomats in Paris regarded the Balkan situation with the deepest anxiety. Premier Poincare was in almost continuous conference with the ambassadors representing the various powers for several days.

The Nicaraguan national election passed off quietly. Adolfo Diaz, the provisional president, and Fernando Soto, who was elected vice-president by the national assembly a year ago, were elected President and vice-President.

In a suit filed against the Dupont Powder company in the United States court at Hartford, Conn., the Buckeye Powder company of Peoria, Ill., accuses the effect of monopoly and prices of manufacturing secrets, and claims damages of \$1,149,967.82.

Gov. Woodrow Wilson was injured by being thrown violently against the top of the touring car of Abram I. Elkur, in which he was returning to Princeton after his speech at Red Bank. One of the ribs of the auto top cut a gash nearly three inches long in the top of Mr. Wilson's head, and he was temporarily dazed by the force of the impact, although not rendered unconscious.

George Curry, member of congress and former governor of New Mexico, was fatally injured in an automobile accident near Alamo, N.M., in Otero county.

The supreme court again adjourned without announcing decisions in the hard coal trust, Union Pacific merger or state-rate cases.

Legislation for submission to the next session of congress bills for the formation of a national naval reserve to include all of the ex-naval sailors and other mariners whose service would be of value to the navy in case of war.

Andrew Carnegie will pay no personal property tax to the city of New York this year. The iron master's personal property was assessed at \$10,000,000, but he appeared before the president of the tax department and made affidavit that this was erroneous.

Following anonymous threats made against ministers leading a vice crusade at Canton, O., Calvary Presbyterian church, near the home of President McKinley, was dynamited. One corner of the structure was wrecked.

The first invitation to be extended to President-elect Woodrow Wilson to attend a social function was sent from the Troquois club of Chicago. The governor was asked to attend a Jefferson day banquet.

Abolition of the commerce court and a change in the political complexion of the interstate commerce commission will be important results of the election, it was pointed out by traffic experts.

Written with a lead pencil, the will of Miss Clara Barton, founder of the Red Cross, was filed in the probate court at Worcester, Mass. An estate valued at \$20,000 is to be divided among relatives. Miss Barton named a committee to write her biography.

A statement has been issued by the United Irish League of New York showing the subscriptions so far received by it for the Irish home rule fund. More than \$20,000 has been donated by New Yorkers.

The entire right of way for the Ashley & Monticello railroad has been cleared and several miles of grading completed. The line, when finished, will be thirty-four miles long, and extend from Monticello to Crockett, Ark. More than 400 men are now at work on the line.

A pension and retirement system for consuls of the United States is strongly recommended by Secretary George S. Atwood of the American Association of Commerce and Trade in Berlin. Mr. Atwood is in Washington, conferring with officials of the state department about the consular service, about American trade abroad and kindred matters.

Representative Kinkaid of Nebraska is preparing to present to congress when it convenes the case of Edward D. Cahota, a Chinese resident of Nebraska, who desires to be admitted to citizenship in spite of the Chinese exclusion law.

Gen. Huang Sing at one time commander in chief of the revolutionary forces in the recent Chinese rebellion, has been appointed military chief of Southern Fukien and ordered to proceed to Amoy, to suppress local disorders in the interior.

B. B. Sanders, 56 years old, mill owner of Pine Bluff, Ark., and Arthur Ray, 23, a fireman, were killed; W. S. Peacock, 40, and George Bradshaw, 35, seriously injured, and James Craig, 25, slightly hurt when Sanders' sawmill blew up.

"Red" Phillip Davidson, confessed murderer of the New York gang leader, "Big Jack" Selig, was sentenced by Justice Goff in the criminal branch of the supreme court to imprisonment in Sing Sing for not less than thirty years.

Martha Steinhuber, of Wandsworth, Germany, after being divorced from her husband, who had beaten her black and blue, blinded one eye, and half strangled her, has married him again.

Twenty-five persons were killed and many wounded in religious riots at Leiria, Portugal. Physicians were rushed to the scene and the city has been placed under martial law.

In a terrific gale off Cape Hatteras, the squadron of the Atlantic fleet abandoned practice to become a high seas life saving service, according to a radiogram received at the navy department from Admiral Oosterhaus.

Thirteen sailors lost their lives and many others were injured in a fire which destroyed John Baskin's dry goods store at Kensington, England. A number of girls are missing.

A permanent iceberg lookout ship in mid-Atlantic is suggested by the British board of trade as a sequel to the report of Lord Mersey on the Titanic disaster.

The Turkish army is in full retreat on Constantinople, and the Turkish government has asked the powers to intervene. An official bulletin was issued by the government at Constantinople admitting defeat at the hands of the Bulgarians in the great battle on the Thracian plains.

The prohibition movement has made such great strides in Denmark that during the coming elections, the prohibitionists are to make strong effort to obtain parliamentary representation.

John Watts, pilot of the balloon Busseldorf, one of the entrants in the international balloon race, which started from Stuttgart, Germany, landed at Pskov, Russia, a short distance from St. Petersburg.

Jack Johnson's Cafe de Champion in Chicago, was closed by the police. The order to close the place of the negro pugilist came from Capt. Max Nothard, who had received word from city collector Edward Cohen that no license had been issued to him.

Eight trans-Pacific steamship lines are engaged in a rate war over the transportation of raw and manufactured silk from Yokohama to New York.

Richardson and Backstrum, two of the convicts who escaped from the Wyoming penitentiary, were killed by a posse near Powder Springs, on the Colorado-Wyoming line.

A. L. Emerson, president of the Brotherhood of Timber Workers, and his eight associates, charged with murder as the result of the Grabow labor riot, July 7, were acquitted at Lake Charles, La.



NEARLY MILLION  
DRAWING PENSIONS

THIS INCLUDES 538,000 SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

RELICTS OF THREE WARS

321,935 Dependents and Widows and 362 Army Nurses Receive Annual Sums From the Treasury of the United States.

Washington.—There are now on the government's pension roll 538,000 soldiers and sailors, 321,935 dependents and widows and 362 army nurses, according to the annual report of the pension bureau. These include 497,263 survivors of the Civil War and 238 widows of the war of 1812. To provide for all of them this year \$151,558,141 has been appropriated, a decrease of \$3,276,096 from last year.

It is estimated that there were 2,213,365 individuals in the military and naval service of the United States during the Civil War, and that upwards of 75 per cent of them are now dead.

The report predicts that the abolishment of the pension agencies, effective January 31, 1913, will result in a more efficient and economical administration, avoiding duplication of work and saving expense.

The total number of pensioners under general pension laws is \$28,210, their pensions aggregating \$144,923,569, and under special acts of congress \$2,084, aggregating \$6,584,572 annually.

From foundation of the government to June 30 last the United States paid \$4,384,996,154 in pensions to soldiers, sailors and marines, their widows, minor children and dependent relatives on account of military and naval service in the various wars and in regular service.

WOULD BUY MONTICELLO

National Park Would Be Established at Jefferson's Home.

New York.—A renewal of the campaign for the purchase by the government of Monticello, the home and burial place of Thomas Jefferson, began when the Jefferson-Monticello Memorial Association sent out blank petitions for signatures of persons interested in the movement. The petitions, which will be circulated in every state, will be presented to the house next month, when the bill for the purchase of the Monticello estate comes up for final action. The bill already has passed the senate.

The estate, which is situated about three miles from Charlottesville, Va., contains only about 200 of the 370 acres owned by Thomas Jefferson when he was president.

MANY DEMOCRATS SEEK PIE

Primaries to Nominate Postmasters Will Be Urged Upon Wilson.

Washington.—Already the correspondence of Democratic congressmen shows signs of an enormous increase. Letters just received by congressmen show a sentiment for nominating candidates for postmaster by primary election, and it is said the proposition will be openly urged upon the next president.

The present administration is strongly inclined to place postmasters under the civil service, having already included fourth-class postmasters by executive order.

The suggestion of a primary election method of recommending candidates to line is working well.

Enoch Arden Again.

Washington.—Hugh Essey, once a policeman here and who strangely disappeared while en route for the Philippines, sixteen years ago, returned recently to his former home to find his wife had married, again, and that he was a grandfather.

Astor Infant Gets \$3,000,000.

New York.—John Jacob Astor, the infant son of Mrs. Madeline Force Astor, will have an allowance of \$3,333 a year for his support during the next three years. Surrogate Fowler has granted a petition filed by Mrs. Astor to this effect, and appointed Mrs. Astor as the child's guardian. In her petition Mrs. Astor said she wanted the income of her son's \$3,000,000 trust fund to accumulate until the child attained his majority, and that until then she intended to educate and support him. The boy was born last August.

PRESIDENT SETS  
THANKSGIVING DATE

NOV. 28 TO BE OBSERVED IN THE NATION.

1912 KIND TO AMERICANS

Bountiful Harvests and Prosperous Industries Without War or Internal Strife, Has Been Fortune of This Country.

Washington.—President Taft issued the Thanksgiving proclamation setting aside Nov. 28 for the observance of that day.

The proclamation follows: "A God-fearing nation like ours owes it to its unborn and sincere sense of moral duty to testify its devout gratitude to the All-giver for the countless benefits it has enjoyed. For many years it has been customary at the close of the year for the national executive to call upon his fellow-countrymen for expressions of their gratitude to God for the manifold blessings vouchsafed to them in the past; and to unite in earnest supplication for their continuance."

"The year now drawing to a close has been notably favorable to our fortunate land. At peace within and without, free from the perturbations and calamities that have afflicted other peoples, rich in harvests so abundant and the industries so productive that the overflow of our prosperity has advanced the whole world; strong in the steadfast conservation of the heritage of self-government bequeathed to us by our fathers, and firm in the resolve to transmit that heritage unimpaired, but rather improved by good use, to our children and our children's children for all time to come, the people of this country have abundant cause for contented gratitude."

"Wherefore, I, William Howard Taft, president of the United States of America, in pursuance of long established usage and in response to the wish of the American people, invite my countrymen, wherever they may sojourning, to join, on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of this month of November, in appropriate ascription of praise and thanks to God for the good gifts that have been our portion, and in humble prayer, that his great mercies toward us may endure."

MISSIONS NEEDED AT HOME

Starting Statement of Rapid Growth of Paganism in America.

Baltimore.—"There are 15,000 Americans today who worship the sun, and there is equally as large a number who are accepting the beliefs of Buddha and other Oriental deities."

This statement was made by the Rev. Dr. Paul S. Leinbach, of Easton, Pa., in an address at the reformed church gathering at the missionary exposition here. He declared that the work of the missionary was first at home in the slums of the great cities and afterwards in foreign lands.

The spread of Christianity abroad, especially in the Far East, among the heathen and Mohammedans, was commended, but Dr. Leinbach said that the evangelist now was being called upon to stem the tide of paganism creeping up among the American people.

WOMEN WIN FOUR STATES

Great Rejoicing at National Headquarters in New York.

New York.—There was great rejoicing at the national woman suffrage headquarters in Fifth avenue over the victories for the cause in Oregon, Kansas, Michigan and Arizona.

"Now suffrage in ten years by federal amendment as a result of our great victory," said Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the national association, as she scanned congratulatory telegrams.

Attacks Divine Sarah.

London.—Mrs. Sarah Bernhardt, the world-famous tragedienne, was attacked by a bear in Cross Museum and had a narrow escape. While Mrs. Bernhardt was viewing the animals the bear seized her and tore her fur garments.

Paying T. R. Insurance.

New York.—Accident insurance in the sum of \$12,500 a week has been paid to Col. Roosevelt since the attack upon him in Milwaukee by the New York jerk.

CORN CROP GREATEST  
IN WORLD'S HISTORY

LARGEST YIELD EVER PRODUCED BY ANY COUNTRY.

FEATURES BIG CROP YEAR

Estimated at 3,169,137,000 Bushels. Worth \$1,850,776,000. Other Crops Valued at \$5,000,000,000.

Washington.—A corn crop of 3,169,137,000 bushels, or 281,921,000 bushels more than the greatest crop of corn ever grown in any country of the world, is the feature of the country's most remarkable agricultural year in history, according to the November crop report of the United States department of agriculture. This great crop of corn was worth on November 1 to farmers \$1,850,776,000.

The enormous sum of \$4,173,344,000 represented the value of the crops of corn, wheat, oats, potatoes, flaxseed, rye and buckwheat. With the value of the growing cotton crop and the crop of tobacco, rice and apples, the aggregate value of these principal farm products will mount well beyond five billion dollars.

Upon the preliminary estimates of production and prices announced the value of the crops figure out as follows: Corn, \$1,850,776,000; hay, \$554,615,000; wheat, \$603,649,000; oats, \$176,109,000; potatoes, \$185,201,000; barley, \$109,845,000; flaxseed, \$10,790,000; rye, \$24,320,000; buckwheat, \$15,326,000.

CORPSES COVER BATTLEFIELD

Battle at Philp Resulted in 8,500 Casualties.

Eskup, Turkey. The battle which resulted in the capture of the Turkish city of Philp, on the Balkan peninsula, was one of the most severe that has been fought on this side of the Balkan peninsula. The Servians lost 2,500 killed and wounded, while the Turks suffered 4,000 casualties. The battlefield is still covered with corpses.

Owing to the broken nature of the country and the poor railroad communication, the members of the Red Cross society are encountering the greatest difficulty in dealing with the wounded.

FALLS DEAD IN GRAVE

Seventy-five-Year-Old Grave-Digger Dies Boasting of Strength.

Muskogee, Okla.—Joseph Turby, 75 years old, unwittingly dug his own grave near Haskell, Okla., and when it was finished, fell into the grave, dead. Turby and another man started to dig a grave for an old woman. They had just finished, and Turby, stooping over to gather up his tools, lost his physical strength for a man of his age when he fell into the grave.

He crept toward the edge of the hole, and got down in the grave to help him out, when he found that he was dead. Turby was buried in the grave that he dug himself, and another grave was dug for the aged woman.

U. C. V. INSIGNIA REMOVED

Leader of D. A. R. Organization Objects to Southerners.

Washington. Fighting the Civil War again, the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the Daughters of the American Revolution have become engaged in a bitter feud. Mrs. M. A. R., president-general of the D. A. R., has ordered Continental Hall to the Daughters of the Confederacy for their convention.

Mrs. Scott is a member of both organizations and saw no harm in admitting the Southern women to Continental Hall, but this view is not shared by other members of the D. A. R. Notably among these is Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, one of the founders of the D. A. R., who is up in arms against what she says is the invasion of the women who once followed a rebellion flag.

Mrs. Lockwood's protests have already borne fruit, as the Confederate insignia, in which Continental Hall was draped for the occasion, have been taken down.

Attack Monroe Doctrine.

Washington.—Diplomats are discussing the attack on the Monroe doctrine made by Dr. Manuel De Oliveira Lima, of the Brazilian legation. Dr. Lima declared that the countries of the Western Hemisphere were supposed to be the doctrine, and that they did not appreciate the protection of the United States, but they were resentful of the assumption by this country of the power of a protectorate. He offered as a substitute the communal opposition of the nations of the Western Hemisphere against encroachment on the principles laid down by Monroe.

18th Child Born to Man 73.

Marshalltown, Iowa.—What is believed to be the largest family of children in the state has just been augmented by the birth of a girl, which makes the eighteenth child of Capt. D. K. Ewalt, aged 73.

Bull Attacks Auto.

Sergeants Bluff, Ia.—A red bull came out victor in an encounter with a big red automobile on a country road near here. The bull was grazing in a pasture and was surprised at the humming color of the touring car. The animal charged through a fence and met the automobile head-on on the roadway, knocking it to one side. A second charge caught the machine amidst and sent it over the embankment. The passengers in the machine anticipated the intentions of the angered bull and escaped injury.

Most of our so-called good intentions are base limitations.

1734 Released in 30 Minutes. Woolford's Banister Lotion for all kinds of contagious skin. At Druggists. Adv.

If a newly wedded man has no secrets from his wife it is rather hard on the other women, he might have married, but didn't.

His Business. "See where Smith went to the wait." "How did that happen." "It's a bill poster."

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Foster*. In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

Paradoxical Misfortune. "There is nothing in this place but soft drinks." "Just my hard luck."

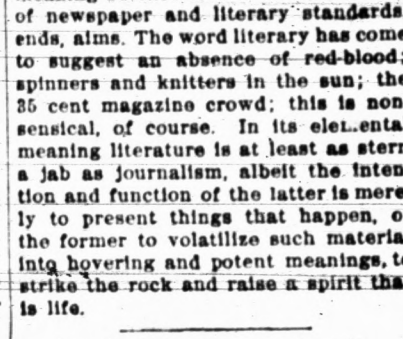
Really a Small Matter. "Have you anything against Tim?" "Nothing more than the fact that he makes 'him' a word of two syllables."

A Change. She—Mrs. Scraggington and his wife were riding in their auto yesterday when it skidded and they fell out. He—Well, that was a little variety for them. Usually their falling out takes place at home.

Hard to See Under Water. There is no scientific instrument of the "scope" character which enables one to see down to 50 or 60 feet under water. When the sun shines vertically over water, a box or bucket with a glass bottom is often used to look into the water. A cloth covering to exclude light from the box or bucket is sometimes employed. But without electric or some other light in the water these devices are not very satisfactory.

Newspapers and Literature. All this over emphasis of the unmeaning surface is due to a confusion of newspaper and literary standards, ends, aims. The word literary has come to suggest an absence of red-blood; 25 cent magazine crowd; this is nonsensical, of course. In its elemental meaning literature is at least as stern a job as journalism, albeit the intention and function of the latter is merely to present things that happen, of the former to voluteize such material into hovering and potent meanings, to strike the rock and raise a spirit that is life.

'TWOULDN'T BE LIKE HIM.



Mrs. Jones—What did you say to the janitor? Jones—I told him that he could make some warm friends if he would only turn on a little heat.

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# WILSON ELECTED BY IMMENSE VOTE

**Democratic Presidential Nominee Has 436 Electoral Votes**

**ROOSEVELT IS SECOND IN THE RUNNING**

**Lower House of Congress Overwhelmingly Democratic. New Senate Will Be Controlled by the Democrats. Ex-Speaker Cannon Defeated After Serving the Danville District for 24 Years.**

Washington.—The positive announcement of the success of Harry Lane, the Democratic candidate for the senate in Oregon, assures Democratic control of the upper house of congress and places both branches of the national legislature and the presidency in their hands, for the first time in eighteen years. The addition of Oregon to the Democratic list gives that party forty-nine senators, or a majority of 133.

In addition to the election of successors to Democratic senators now sitting, the Democrats will displace Republican senators from Oregon, New Jersey, Kansas, Colorado, Montana, Delaware and New

where further possibilities for Wilson are anticipated.

The vote for Cook county was: Roosevelt, 176,480; Wilson, 138,223; and Taft, 79,924. In the 2,658 precincts out of 2,788 outside of Cook, the result stood: Wilson, 261,205; Roosevelt, 213,511, and Taft, 119,973.

**SOCIALIST VOTE BIG.**

They polled 30,000 in the State of Kansas.

Topeka, Kas.—The Socialist vote in Kansas this morning, about 12,000, more than ever before. Ben Wilson, a



vada, and will fill the vacancy in Colorado with a man of their choosing.

The contests in Illinois, where two senators are to be chosen, and in Tennessee and Michigan remain to be decided. The Democrats make positive claims concerning some of the states, but whatever the result in any or all of them, Democratic control of the senate is assured, and the Democrats will be able to shape legislation.

**DISCUSS INAUGURATION.**

Democrats at Washington Already Are Making Plans.

Washington.—Local Democratic circles are already actively discussing plans for the inauguration parade, inauguration ball and inauguration ceremonies generally on March 4 next. Chairman McComb of the Democratic national committee will designate the chairman of the Washington committee to take charge of the arrangements, and the national chairman also usually selects the grand marshal of the inaugural parade.

The names of several army officers, active and retired, have been mentioned in connection with the post of grand marshal. It is not expected, however, that any plans will be matured for several weeks or more.

**ILLINOIS NOW WILSON'S.**

Leads the Colonel by More Than Ten Thousand Votes.

Chicago.—With all but 130 scattering precincts out of 4,288 in Illinois scattered, Gov. Wilson has a plurality of 9,437 over Col. Roosevelt and it is conceded that he has carried the state.

All of the precincts to be heard from are outside of Cook county and many of them in the southern part of the state.

**WILSON WILL CALL EXTRA SESSION.**

Washington.—There is no doubt here among Democrats reputed to be well informed as to their party's future policies that an extraordinary session of congress is as certain to follow soon after Woodrow Wilson's inauguration as president as the event itself. Indeed, while no public announcement has been made of such a purpose, it is well known to have been the understanding at national Democratic headquarters.

Mr. Underwood, chairman of the ways and means committee, during the campaign discussed with the Democratic candidates the tariff policy of the party, and his confidence in a Republican administration was entirely harmonious. As Mr. Underwood predicts an extra session, it is not doubtful that Gov. Wilson approved of the idea, nor that it was a subject of consideration by the two.

## POPULAR VOTE BY STATES

STATE	Wilson	Roosevelt	Taft	Debs	Chas.
Alabama	66,500	10,000	23,000	2,000	733
Arizona	18,453	11,353	4,733	180	76
Arkansas	66,200	37,550	30,400	7,500	1,350
California	310,815	332,850	3,085	5,300	1,250
Colorado	105,000	78,000	73,000	10,000	8,200
Connecticut	73,901	35,540	87,258	2,095	8,000
Delaware	37,000	10,000	12,000	475	1,000
Florida	38,000	7,000	9,000	4,250	1,134
Georgia	192,465	98,125	9,750	926	77
Idaho	38,000	38,000	47,000	7,000	2,420
Illinois	460,387	451,381	266,126	65,000	34,934
Indiana	232,000	145,000	112,000	21,000	18,250
Iowa	231,855	216,851	155,748	30,000	10,402
Kansas	170,000	140,152	153,255	19,807	6,307
Kentucky	191,467	93,056	93,138	5,806	6,409
Louisiana	65,000	13,750	4,000	3,500	1,650
Maine	50,916	48,987	24,643	2,891	3,684
Maryland	170,000	140,152	153,255	19,807	6,307
Massachusetts	210,000	250,000	100,000	17,745	18,250
Michigan	99,375	118,805	61,894	19,731	13,711
Minnesota	170,000	140,152	153,255	19,807	6,307
Mississippi	351,978	145,988	212,986	20,000	5,500
Missouri	44,920	22,640	37,760	12,507	4,502
Montana	109,000	7,400	38,000	5,777	6,882
Nebraska	85,511	61,117	7,205	2,107	107
Nevada	34,246	10,812	33,105	1,442	1,087
New Hampshire	168,000	133,000	110,000	17,000	5,000
New Jersey	27,000	23,000	13,000	1,000	504
New Mexico	64,000	13,000	47,274	41,000	26,650
New York	150,000	50,000	35,000	584	476
North Carolina	35,000	27,500	23,000	3,870	1,807
North Dakota	146,700	233,564	312,000	12,292	14,007
Oklahoma	130,000	24,800	90,000	27,504	2,754
Oregon	407,447	315,115	100,000	20,502	1,105
Pennsylvania	39,209	16,488	27,755	4,500	5,000
Rhode Island	60,000	12,000	7,000	1,000	503
South Carolina	60,000	60,000	3,407	4,602	503
South Dakota	121,000	78,500	55,000	2,312	541
Tennessee	220,000	47,500	35,000	11,500	18,500
Texas	35,000	7,000	40,000	6,700	305
Utah	15,207	2,207	23,217	1,771	972
Vermont	78,081	18,670	21,121	1,720	1,212
Virginia	91,130	126,205	75,114	5,000	5,000
Washington	111,549	35,000	17,500	60,000	13,540
West Virginia	16,200	3,000	14,000	6,000	94
Wyoming	16,200	3,000	14,000	6,000	94
Totals	6,510,829	4,370,482	3,741,059	718,581	224,121

## ELECTORAL COLLEGE AS IT WILL BE CONSTITUTED

State	Taft	Wilson	Roosevelt	Debs	Chas.
Alabama	12	12	12	1	1
Arizona	9	9	9	1	1
Arkansas	12	12	12	1	1
California	13	13	13	1	1
Colorado	6	6	6	1	1
Connecticut	7	7	7	1	1
Delaware	3	3	3	1	1
Florida	14	14	14	1	1
Georgia	12	12	12	1	1
Idaho	3	3	3	1	1
Illinois	22	22	22	4	4
Indiana	15	15	15	3	3
Iowa	13	13	13	3	3
Kansas	10	10	10	2	2
Kentucky	11	11	11	2	2
Louisiana	10	10	10	2	2
Maine	6	6	6	1	1
Maryland	8	8	8	1	1
Massachusetts	18	18	18	3	3
Michigan	12	12	12	3	3
Minnesota	10	10	10	3	3
Mississippi	12	12	12	2	2
Missouri	12	12	12	2	2
Montana	4	4	4	1	1
Nebraska	8	8	8	1	1
Nevada	3	3	3	1	1
New Hampshire	4	4	4	1	1
New Jersey	11	11	11	1	1
New Mexico	3	3	3	1	1
New York	45	45	45	12	12
North Carolina	12	12	12	1	1
North Dakota	5	5	5	1	1
Ohio	24	24	24	3	3
Oklahoma	5	5	5	1	1
Oregon	5	5	5	1	1
Pennsylvania	20	20	20	11	11
Rhode Island	5	5	5	1	1
South Carolina	9	9	9	1	1
South Dakota	12	12	12	1	1
Tennessee	12	12	12	2	2
Texas	20	20	20	18	18
Utah	4	4	4	1	1
Vermont	4	4	4	1	1
Virginia	12	12	12	3	3
Washington	8	8	8	5	5
West Virginia	13	13	13	1	1
Wisconsin	13	13	13	1	1
Wyoming	3	3	3	1	1
Totals	8	436	90	145	288

## GOVERNORS ELECTED

State	Wilson	Roosevelt	Taft	Debs	Chas.
Alabama	12	12	12	1	1
Arizona	9	9	9	1	1
Arkansas	12	12	12	1	1
California	13	13	13	1	1
Colorado	6	6	6	1	1
Connecticut	7	7	7	1	1
Delaware	3	3	3	1	1
Florida	14	14	14	1	1
Georgia	12	12	12	1	1
Idaho	3	3	3	1	1
Illinois	22	22	22	4	4
Indiana	15	15	15	3	3
Iowa	13	13	13	3	3
Kansas	10	10	10	2	2
Kentucky	11	11	11	2	2
Louisiana	10	10	10	2	2
Maine	6	6	6	1	1
Maryland	8	8	8	1	1
Massachusetts	18	18	18	3	3
Michigan	12	12	12	3	3
Minnesota	10	10	10	3	3
Mississippi	12	12	12	2	2
Missouri	12	12	12	2	2
Montana	4	4	4	1	1
Nebraska	8	8	8	1	1
Nevada	3	3	3	1	1
New Hampshire	4	4	4	1	1
New Jersey	11	11	11	1	1
New Mexico	3	3	3	1	1
New York	45	45	45	12	12
North Carolina	12	12	12	1	1
North Dakota	5	5	5	1	1
Ohio	24	24	24	3	3
Oklahoma	5	5	5	1	1
Oregon	5	5	5	1	1
Pennsylvania	20	20	20	11	11
Rhode Island	5	5	5	1	1
South Carolina	9	9	9	1	1
South Dakota	12	12	12	1	1
Tennessee	12	12	12	2	2
Texas	20	20	20	18	18
Utah	4	4	4	1	1
Vermont	4	4	4	1	1
Virginia	12	12	12	3	3
Washington	8	8	8	5	5
West Virginia	13	13	13	1	1
Wisconsin	13	13	13	1	1
Wyoming	3	3	3	1	1

## DIXON DEFEATED.

Roosevelt Manager Will Not Go Back to Senate From Montana.

Helena, Mont.—Returns from Montana did not disturb the lead of Wilson and Democratic state candidates.

On the face of returns from Montana, Roosevelt's manager, J. H. Dixon, has a lead of 7,000 over Wilson, Progressive, who, in turn, is well ahead of Smith, Republican, by more than 3,000, with Edwards, Progressive, third.

## OTHERS KNOW US TOO WELL

Easy to Deceive Ourselves, but the Rest of the World is Generally Too Wise.

Senator Pomerene has a happy knack of driving home a statement with an epigram.

At a luncheon Senator Pomerene described a would-be litterateur.

"Thanks to whisky and strong cigars," he said, "the poor fellow has failed to make good. He earns a precarious living by newspaper work, but though he is 50 now, none of the wondrous novels and thrilling stories that he used to prate about have appeared."

And yet, in his shabby apartment, over a bottle of cheap liquor and a box of cheap cigars, he will boast by the hour—poor, gray, wrinkled duffer—of his unfinished MS. Oh, the world will change yet! Yes, he will yet illumine the world with the light of his genius."

Senator Pomerene sighed and concluded:

"Ah, if we could deceive others as easily as we deceive ourselves, what reputations we'd all have to be sure!"



**NOT NEW.**

Daisy—By the way, Frank, that's a lovely waistcoat you have. New, isn't it?

Frank—No.

Daisy—Strange; I never saw it before.

Frank—That's because my brother never called on you.

**Built Her Own Home.**

Mrs. Frances Lyon of Westwood has the distinction of being the only woman in New England who has built a house literally built with her own hands. Mrs. Lyon belongs to a club whose members are practicing the doctrine of going back to the farm. The club is limited to 10 members and owns property to the amount of \$1,000 and about 20 acres of farming land not far from Westwood. Each member holds a deed to one acre and the balance of the land is held in common to be rented to any member who wishes to try farming on a larger scale.

**Just Like Other Men.**

Most surgeons simply go way up in the air when one of the world's great ones is stricken. When Sir Frederic Treves was called to operate on King Edward he split him open as nonchalantly as if the king had been an apple or a watermelon—New York Press.

**So Many Like Tribble.**

"Tribble is a discontented fellow. I don't believe he even knows what he wants."

"Oh, yes. He knows what he wants. What makes him discontented is the fact that he also knows he can't get it."

**Doing His Part.**

"What part are you taking in the war on flies?"

"I do sentry duty at the breakfast table over the milk-pitcher every morning."

## TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND BUILD UP THE SYSTEM

Take the W. L. Douglas's Kidney Pills. They are the only pills that are taking the place of the old-fashioned cathartics, showing it is simply genuine and from a safe source, and the most effective form for giving people and children, 10 cents. Adv.

**Another Investigation.**

"Daughter, I heard suspicious sounds on the veranda last evening."

"Yes, mother."

"Was that young man kissing you or swatting mosquitoes?"

## W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES

**\$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$4.50 AND \$5.00**

FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Boys wear W. L. Douglas's \$2.00, \$2.50 & \$3.00 School Shoes, because one pair will positively outwear two pairs of ordinary shoes, same as the men's shoes.

W. L. Douglas makes and sells more \$3.00, \$3.50 & \$4.00 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world.

**THE STANDARD OF QUALITY FOR OVER 30 YEARS.**

The workmanship which has made W. L. Douglas shoes famous the world over is maintained in every pair.

Ask your dealer to show you W. L. Douglas latest fashions for fall and winter wear, notice the **short ramps** which make the foot look smaller, points in a shoe particularly desired by young men.

Also the **conservative styles** which have made W. L. Douglas shoes a household word everywhere.

If you could visit W. L. Douglas large factories at Brockton, Mass., and see for yourself how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they are warranted to fit better, look better, hold their shape and wear longer than any other make for the price.

**CAUTION.**—To protect you against inferior shoes, W. L. Douglas stamps his name on the bottom of every shoe. Beware of substitutes. W. L. Douglas shoes are sold in 78 countries and shoe dealers everywhere. No matter where you live, they are within your reach. If your dealer cannot supply you, write direct to factory for catalog and price list.

**LOOK HERE!** We have chosen black and sturdy leathers for safety. If you are coming to town, be sure and investigate our productive and healthy country. An inspiring answer. LUTHER & POWELL, WILSON, TEXAS.

**DEFIANCE STARCH** asked to work with and search for stains.

## Scotch Query.

A bluff, consequential gentleman from the south, with more beef on his bones than brain in his head, riding along the Hamilton road, near to Blantyre, asked a herdboy on the roadside, in a tone and manner evidently meant to quiz, if he were "half-way to Hamilton?" "Man," replied the boy, "I had need to be, what ye has come frae, afore I could answer your question."—Exchange.

## House Plans Important.

The care in the home and all other forms of household work are greatly facilitated by right planning and the use of suitable materials for the construction and furnishing of the home. An adequate and convenient water supply and other conveniences are essential, not only for comfort and for saving labor, but also from the standpoint of home hygiene.

**OXIDINE**

Some of the best physicians prescribe OXIDINE in cases of malaria.

They can do so ethically, for Oxidine is a known remedy with a known result.

It cures either chronic or chronic malaria. Oxidine affords definite benefit and almost instant relief. Take it as a preventive, as well as a remedy.

It is a great tonic.

OXIDINE is sold by all druggists under the strictest supervision. If the first bottle does not benefit you, return the empty bottle to the druggist who sold it and receive the full purchase price.

**Lameness**

Sloan's Liniment is a quick and reliable remedy for lameness in horses and other farm animals.

"Sloan's Liniment surpasses anything on earth for lameness in horses and other farm animals. I would not sleep without it in my stable."

MARTIN DAVIS, 422 West 10th St., New York City.

Good for Swelling and Abscess.

Mr. H. M. Ginn, of Lawrence, Kan., writes: "I had a mare with an abscess on her neck and one on her hind leg. Sloan's Liniment entirely cured her. I kept it all the time for all small swellings and for everything about the stock."

**SLOAN'S LINIMENT**

is a quick and safe remedy for hog cholera.

Governor of Georgia uses Sloan's Liniment for Hog Cholera.

"I heard Gov. Brown (who is quite a farmer) say that he had never lost a hog from cholera and that his remedy always was a tablespoonful of Sloan's Liniment in a gallon of slops, decreasing the dose as the animal improves. Last month Gov. Brown and myself were at the Agricultural College building and in the discussion of the ravages of the disease, Gov. Brown gave the remedy named as 'unfailing'."

SAVANNAH DAILY NEWS.

At All Dealers. 25c., 50c. & \$1.00.

Sloan's Hog Cholera Cure. Sloan's Liniment and Poultry Cure.

Address Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Boston.

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Do, this paper desiring to buy anything advertised in its columns should insist upon having what they ask for, refusing a. substitutes or imitations.

**FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS**

For Backache, Rheumatism, Kidneys and Bladder.

THEY ARE RICHEST IN CURATIVE QUALITIES. CONTAIN NO HABIT FORMING DRUGS. ARE SAFE, SURE, AND SAVE YOU MONEY.

**W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES**



# THE MURRAY LEDGER,

O. J. JENNINGS, EDITOR.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1912

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Ledger is authorized to place before the voters of Calloway county as candidates for the various offices named below and subject to the action of the voters at the August, 1913, primary election.

**For Assessor.**  
C. R. Lee, Murray, Ky.

**For Jailor.**  
M. R. McDaniel.

## NEWS IN BRIEF

A commission of alienist to determine the mental condition of John Schrank, who shot Colonel Roosevelt at Milwaukee last month, has been appointed. Schrank yesterday pleaded guilty to attempted murder.

The United States pension roll includes 538,000 soldiers and sailors, 321,932 dependents and 362 army nurses, according to the report of the Pension Bureau.

Notification of the fact that Ohio had approved the income tax amendment to the United States Constitution was received by the State Department yesterday. Two more States must approve the amendment.

President Taft yesterday announced that he will fill all vacancies occurring between now and March 4 with Republicans and thus keep President-elect Wilson from having to fill the places.

The daughters of the Confederacy laid the cornerstone of a great Confederate monument at Arlington National Cemetery yesterday. Former Secretary of the Navy Herbert was master of ceremonies, and William J. Bryan pronounced a dedicatory oration. General Tamm made an appeal for the ultimate elimination of all militarism, and at the close of the ceremony, the national anthem was sung.

A Real Bargain in a Home.

As I am expecting to move from Murray soon, I offer at a sacrifice my home place in north Murray. This place besides six room residence and outbuildings has two good building lots on it. If sold in two weeks I will take \$1,425 cash for it. Well worth \$1,850. This offer is good for two weeks only. Call and see the place. Mrs. Jane McLean.

## One of Our Big Bargains.

A 125 acre farm with 100 in bottom. This place has been held at \$5,000 but can be bought now for \$4,000, \$1,000 down and will take the whole \$1,000 in any character of livestock. This place is near Coldwater and has fine improvements of every character and is worth \$5,000. Better see about it at once if you want one of the biggest land bargains in the county. We also have a number of other fine farms that we can sell for several hundred dollars less than were formerly listed on account of the parties owning them desiring to leave the county. See us at once about these places. Murray Land Co., J. D. Hamilton, Mgr., at the Ledger office.

## The Demons of the Swamp

are mosquitos. As they sting they they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the icy chills and the fires of fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often paves the way for deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and cast out the malaria germs from the blood; give you a fine appetite and renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system, and I've had good health ever since." Best for all seomach, liver and kidney ills. 50 cts at Dale & Stubblefield.

## Settlement Notice.

All persons indebted to the estate of A. C. or E. M. Ratteree, deceased, or to the firm of A. C. Ratteree & Co., by note or account are hereby notified to come forward at once and settle same, and all persons holding claims against either of said estates or the firm are also notified to present same to us properly proven on or before Dec. 1st, 1912, or they will be forever barred from recovering the same.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and relatives who were so kind to us during the brief illness and death of our dear father, Lottie Jewell, Mary L. Roy, Rowlett and Walter Saunders.

Miss Maggie Edwards has been in Clinton, Ky., the past week where she is employed as pianist for a picture show.

## FREE IF IT FAILS

Your Money Back if You are not Satisfied with the Medicine We Recommend.

We are so positive that our remedy will permanently relieve constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish the medicine at our expense should it fail to produce satisfactory results.

It is worse than useless to attempt to cure constipation with cathartic drugs. Laxatives or cathartics do much harm. They cause a reaction, irritate and weaken the bowels and tend to make constipation more chronic. Besides, their use becomes a habit that is dangerous.

Constipation is caused by a weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine or decending colon. To expect permanent relief you must therefore tone up and strengthen these organs and restore them to healthier activity.

We want you to try Rexall Orderlies on our recommendation. They are exceedingly pleasant to take, being eaten like candy, and are ideal for children, delicate persons and old folks, as well as for the robust. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They apparently have a neutral action on other associate organs or glands. They do not purge, cause excessive looseness, nor create any inconvenience whatever. They may be taken at any time, day or night. They will positively relieve chronic or habitual constipation, if not of surgical variety, and the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments, if taken with regularity for a reasonable length of time. 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold in Murray only at our store, The Rexall Store, Dale & Stubblefield.

## Water Notice.

Fair warning to Murray Water Works patrons:

The citizens of Murray have installed a \$25,000 water works system in order that all who are entitled to water should have it.

Now, I am trying to locate and protect your plant and make it pay its way, and interest on your bonds, and finally to pay them off. To do this I need the help and co-operation of every good citizen. I see that some of our patrons allow their neighbors to use water from their hydrant after they have signed a contract not to do it. We do not want to force anyone to take city water, but it takes money to operate this plant. We positively cannot give it away. If your children want to use water from your hydrant, call on me for a permit.

Yours truly,

J. T. Wallis, Supt.

Put a porous plaster on the chest and take a good cough syrup internally if you would treat a severe case of sore lungs properly. Get the dollar size of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. With each bottle there is a free HICK'S HEAD-NECK POROUS PLASTER for the chest. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Advertise in Ledger—Results.



Our Baker, Mr. Butler, He Knows How

## A Bakery With A Baker

We pride ourselves that we have a real, genuine, Simon-pure Baker to do our baking, and as a result we know that our

Bread, Buns, Pies, Cakes, Etc.

are made and baked in the most scientific way. Mr. Butler is with us and his ability is not questioned. In fact it is known that he is the best baker ever in the city. We solicit your trade

upon a guarantee of **Cleanliness** and **Wholesome** baking. Buy your goods of us and always be satisfied.

**McKEEL & WALDROP.**

## CAUSE FOR ALARM

Loss of Appetite or Distress After Eating a Symptom that Should not be Disregarded.

Appetite is just a natural desire for food. Loss of appetite or stomach distress after eating indicate indigestion or dyspepsia. Over-eating is a habit very dangerous to a person's good general health.

It is not what you eat but what you digest and assimilate that does you good. Some of the strongest, heaviest, and healthiest persons are moderate eaters.

There is nothing that will cause more trouble than a disordered stomach, and many people daily contract serious maladies simply through disregard or abuse of the stomach.

We urge all in Murray who suffer from any stomach derangement, indigestion or dyspepsia, whether acute or chronic, to try Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, with the distinct understanding that we will refund the full amount of their money should they fail to produce a permanent cure. We have seen many persons who have not been helped by other remedies, but who have been cured by these tablets. We honestly believe them to be without equal. They give very prompt relief, aiding to neutralize the gastric juices, strengthen the digestive organs, to regulate the bowels, and thus to promote perfect nutrition, and eradicate all unhealthy symptoms.

We urge you to try a 25c. box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, which gives 15 days' treatment. At the end of 15 days, if you are not cured, we will refund the full amount of your money.

## First Batch Confederate Pensions.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 9. Among the first Confederate pensions granted were to Mrs. Nannie Asher, of Benton; William T. Brasher, of Kuttawa; John H. Brook, of Eddyville; William Barnes, of Guthrie; J. W. Bland, of Hickman; Mrs. Hadena A. Boghard, of Murray; Elijah E. Browder, of Fulton; Mrs. Sarah E. Brashear, of Dy-cusburg; Mrs. Sarah A. Brumitt, of Mayfield; James P. Bryan, of Benton; John W. Byrd, of Murray; Mrs. Aliza-beth E. Campbell, of Fulton; William L. Clayton, of Dawson; Mrs. Mary A. Crossland, of Mayfield; A. D. Collins, of Fulton; Mrs. American E. Cook, of Barlow; Thomas B. Opeland, of Dawson; John Chesur, of Dawson. One hundred and fifty of the most needy were granted. About four hundred more of them are to be passed on, then the state will take others in order of their applications.

Our line of undertaking goods are the most complete, and handsomest ever brought to the city. Would be glad to show you through Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co.

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## Escapes An Awful Fate.

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with a dreadful cough," she writes. "Sometimes I had such awful coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines till I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough now." Quick and safe, it's the most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Dale & Stubblefield.

## A Bargain.

43 acres, 1 mile west of Almo, on public road, well improved. A bargain for \$1800. See J. D. Hamilton.

Will pay 7 1-2c. lb. for full feathered geese delivered Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15 and 16. P. P. Underwood, Cherry, Ky.

For Sale. Comparatively new 5 room cottage on large lot, on public road, well improved. Will sell at a big bargain if taken quick. O. L. Schroeder.

Our line of undertaking goods are the most complete, and handsomest ever brought to the city. Would be glad to show you through Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co.

**Free! Free! Free!**

We will give tickets with each purchase, and when your purchases amount to \$75.00 you will be given absolutely FREE the above 42-piece Dinner Set.

This is a beautiful gift. Retail value, \$5.00.

**Murray Furniture and Undertaking Co.**  
O. A. BUTTERWORTH, Manager.

## All Pattern Hats ONE-THIRD OFF

Made to Order Hats PRICE OF MATERIAL Shapes and Feathers at a Great Reduction

Four More Months of Winter Wear

**Mrs. Inez B. Sale**

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# Royal Baking Powder

## Absolutely Pure

### The Woman Makes the Home

She makes it best who, looking after the culinary department, turns her back resolutely upon unhealthful, or even suspicious, food accessories. She is economical; she knows that true economy does not consist in the use of inferior meat, flour, or baking powder. She is an earnest advocate of home made, home baked food, and has proved the truth of the statements of the experts that the best cooking in the world today is done with Royal Baking Powder.

#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

See our line of felt mattresses and druggetts; we guarantee satisfaction.

Murray Fur. & Und. Co.

Don't fail to see Mr. Potter Nov. 26. The man of many faces.

Wanted. Young cow with first or second calf, recently fresh. Will pay what she is worth.—Notify Alvah Wilson, Murray, Rt. 1.

We have agency for Standard Sewing Machine and will sell on easy payment plan or for cash.

Murray Fur. & Und. Co.

Miss Jessie Wells left Thursday morning for Apache, Ok., where she will make her home with her brother, Joe Wells.

Hear the Potters, Nov. 26. Old time songs that reach the heart.

E. B. Ryan and family, of Tulsa, Okla., arrived here the latter part of the past week and will spend several weeks here before leaving for their home in Tulsa, Okla.

Our furniture store is full and complete, our floor coverings are elaborate. We have an exceptionally nice line of rockers, come in and see us show you.

Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co.

Our line of furniture is complete and you can buy of us on easy payments.

Murray Fur. & Und. Co.

Jarvis is a back number. Mr. Potter has more faces than were dreamed of by that worthy. See him Nov. 26.

At this time when the cry, "Preserve Folk Lore," is heard everywhere. Don't fail to hear the Potters in their folk song interpretations.

Senator Lewis W. Arnett, representing C. C. & E. A. Weber, architects of Cincinnati, spent last Monday in the city transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Crane, of Brookport, arrived here the past week to be the guests of her parents, O. A. Butterworth and wife, for some time.

Alec Hale, of Arkansas, arrived here the past week to be the guest of relatives and friends in the county for some time.

To Exchange: Good as new oak mantel holding bed for hogs. Will give a good one needing a good mantel in exchange.

Miss Gosholt and Miss Miller, daughter of John Miller, and both well known young people of the east side, were united in marriage last Sunday at McDaniel's store by Rev. Mac Pool. The Ledger joins in congratulations.

Mrs. W. A. Robinson, one of the county's most splendid christian women, died at her home near Stone's school house last Saturday night after a lingering illness of liver and stomach trouble. She is survived by a husband and several children.

Stephen Edwards and family last week moved to Murray from Hazel and will make this city their home. Mr. Edwards will be associated with Palmer & Brown in the tobacco business here this year.

Jim Luteh has purchased a half interest in the E. A. Hughes grocery business and will take charge of the business at once. He will move to town as soon as possible. Jim is a splendid fellow and we welcome him to the business circles of the city.

I have a fine young stallion, by Braden Gentry, at the fair grounds, in charge of Mr. Taylor. I want to sell or trade him for other stock as I have no use for him. Fred Barber.

Edgar Beaman, of La Center, spent a few days the past week here the guest of his parents. He has charge of the Cumberland telephone office at the above named place.

Don't waste your money buying strengthening plasters. Chamberlain's Liniment is cheaper and better. Dampen a piece of flannel with it and bind it over the affected parts and it will relieve the pain and soreness. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Irregular bowel movements lead to chronic constipation and a constipated habit fills the system with impurities. HERBINE is a great bowel regulator. It purifies the system, vitalizes the blood and puts the digestive organs in fine vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

Joe Swift, who has had typhoid fever and pneumonia for several days, still continues low. A trained nurse from the Riverside Hospital, Paducah, is now with Mr. Swift.—Hardin Cor., Benton Democrat.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rowlett at their home on Institute street Tuesday night of this week. The happy parents have been the recipients of many congratulations since the arrival of the new heir.

Robley Wall left Tuesday at noon for Chicago where he has accepted a position in one of the large job printing plants of that city. Robley has been with the Ledger the past year and we regret to give him up.

Lloyd Grogan, of this city, and Miss Bettie Hendon, daughter of Mrs. Enos Lassiter, east of the city, were united in marriage last Sunday at the home of the bride's mother in the presence of a few invited guests and members of the family. The young couple are very popular and have many friends with whom the Ledger joins in happy congratulations.

Col. Jim Lemons, editor of the Mayfield Messenger, was in Murray for a few hours Wednesday of this week. Jim is going to be an applicant for the Mayfield postoffice and will be a strong factor in the race.—The Messenger, of Mayfield, and the Ledger, of Murray, were the only papers in Western Kentucky that stood and fought for Wilson's nomination and election.

A. E. Jackson and family, who have made their home a few miles southeast of the city the past several years, left the first of the week for Wheeling, Ark., near which place Mr. Jackson has purchased a large farm and where they will reside in the future.—Wheeling is in Fulton county and near Salem. The Ledger regrets very much to see this splendid family leave Calloway and hopes for their success in their new location.

#### INDICTED

Preacher's Wife is Accused of Murder and Placed Under Bond.

The Mayfield Messenger of Tuesday says:

A dispatch from Huntingdon, Tenn., says that Mrs. Cora Freeman and Lucian Simmons were indicted on the charge of killing Mrs. Freeman's husband, Rev. Freeman, at Mixie, Tenn., a few months ago. Rev. Freeman was well known in Western Kentucky and a few years ago had charge of a circuit in Marshall county. Mrs. Freeman has relatives in the northeast part of Graves county who have employed Attorney Pete Seay to defend her on the charge of murder. The bond of Mrs. Freeman and Simmons was fixed at \$15,000.

Melton For Clerk.

Paris, Tenn., Nov. 13.—J. Mc. Melton of this city will be a candidate for assistant clerk of the house of representatives when the Tennessee legislature convenes in January. Mr. Melton has had experience in a similar capacity in Kentucky in 1898. Since that time, however, he has been a resident of Tennessee. Mr. Melton is a regular democrat.

Here's hopin' old hoss, and we would like to tell every mother's son in that badly scrambled legislature that there aint nothin' to good for you. Go git it.

Will Mayer III.

Will Mayer has been unable to attend to his work at the store for the past two weeks on account of a tubercular illness. His friends hope for his early recovery.—Hazel News.

"It is a pleasure to tell you that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best cough medicine I have ever used," writes Mrs. Hugh Campbell of Lavana, Ga. "I have used it with all my children and the results have been highly satisfactory." For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

I have at my place a black and white horse, bay horse, and a white horse. O. C. can have same by calling at my home at the Crag Hill place.

Chris Moore.



**Lameness**

Sloan's Liniment is a quick and reliable remedy for lameness in horses and other farm animals.

**SLOAN'S LINIMENT**

is a quick and safe remedy for hog cholera.

At All Dealers. Price, 50c. & \$1.00.

## Just Arrived

The new Hardware and Furniture store at Hazel is the center of attraction. Have you been in since we received the last big shipment Stoves. Come in and take a look at the Daisy Washington Cast Range and our Leader. They are the best on earth, and Prices are at the Bottom.

We have a nice line of Heaters both for wood or coal.

Bony Jones, Salesman.

J. H. Steel, Hazel, Ky.

#### Notice.

As I have been made executor of the will of the estate of Dr. J. T. Wall, deceased, and all persons indebted to said estate or all persons holding claims against same, are notified to present same to me properly proven at the earliest date possible. Nevin G. Wall, Ex. 41\*

"There could be no better medicine than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My children were all sick with whooping cough. One of them was in bed, had a high fever and was coughing up blood. Our doctor gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the first dose eased them, and three bottles cured them," says Mrs. R. A. Donaldson, of Lexington, Miss. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

#### Farm For Sale.

About 100 acres 2 miles south of Pine Bluff, 60 acres in bottom 30 cleared, 4 room house, good 4 stall stable, fruit trees, all improvements. A bargain for some one. For further particulars see W. L. Johnson, Hazeln, Ky.

#### What Texans Admire

is hearty, vigorous life, according to Hark Tallman, of San Antonio. "We find," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Life Pills surely put new life and energy into a person. Wife and I believe they are the best made." Excellent for stomach, liver or kidney troubles. 25c at Dale & Stubblefield.

Our line of table ware is the most complete in town, newest designs in water sets, and our vases and salad bowls are a thing of beauty and a joy forever. Don't fail to see them, we want to show you. Come in and look them over.

Regulate the bowels when they fail to move properly. HERBINE is an admirable bowel regulator. It helps the liver and stomach and restores a fine feeling of strength and buoyancy. Price 50c. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

I will sell you buggies for balance of the year at prices never made on good work in West Ky. Large stock on hand. J. W. Denham, Hazel, Ky.

The boy's appetite is often the source of amazement. If you would have such an appetite take Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only create a healthy appetite, but strengthen the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

#### Young man, put some of those dollars you are throwing away in the Peoples Building & Loan Association. See M. D. Holton.

For croup or sore throat, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Two sizes, 25c and 50c. At all drug stores.

See our line of Vortex hot blast heaters, the newest and best.—Murray Furniture & Undertaking Co.

Eczema spreads rapidly; itching almost drives you mad. For quick relief, Doan's Ointment is well recommended. 50c at all stores.

The day of harsh physics is gone. People want mild, easy laxatives. Doan's Regulets have satisfied thousands. 25c at all drug stores.

Strayed.—One red male yearling, with white spots in face, marked swallow fork and under bit in left ear. Notify J. E. Allbritten and receive reward.

Stoves—Ranges, Cooking Stoves, Heating Stoves. A big stock to select from. Prices right. See them before you buy.—Baker & Glasgow.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion.—Burdock Blood Purifier is splendid for purifying the blood, clearing the skin, restoring sound digestion. All druggists sell it. Price \$1.00.

For Sale.—Good second hand "Ford" five passenger automobile. Will sell at a genuine bargain if taken at once.—E. D. Miller, Murray.

Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. BALLARD'S HORE HOUND SYRUP checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield.

#### WATER AT

not only keeps cold out, but conserves body warmth; body fat serves the same purpose; it enables us to resist unsettled elements and serves as the great source of our body heat. Greater body warmth means richer blood, more fat, not obesity but fat which the body consumes for warmth, vitality, resistance power—as a furnace consumes coal for heat—Scott's Emulsion does this.

A teaspoonful after each meal makes body warmth healthy, active blood—sharpens the appetite and makes all good food do good.

It builds out and keeps out cold by raising endurance power and creating strength.

Is sold everywhere for SCOTT'S. Scott's Emulsion, Bloomfield, N. J. 10-10.

## OUR WEEKLY LIMERICK

Here was a family, by the good name of Teeter, Who, for cold weather, needed a Heater.



You Will Have No Use for a Thermometer IF YOU HAVE A Wilson Hot Blast OR An Aetna or an Imperial IN YOUR HOME

They throw out an even heat, retain the fire, use little fuel, and will give you the highest degree of satisfaction.

COME IN AND SEE THEM

A. B. BEALE & SON MURRAY, KENTUCKY



## SERIAL STORY

### No Man's Land

A ROMANCE

By Louis Joseph Vance

Illustrations by Ray Walters

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SYNOPSIS.

Garrett Coast, a young man of New York City, meets Douglas Blackstock, who invites him to a party. He accepts, although he dislikes Blackstock, the reason being that both are in love with Katherine Thaxter. Coast fails to convince her that Blackstock is unworthy of her friendship. At the party Coast meets two named Dundas and Van Tust. There is a quarrel, and Blackstock is shot. Coast struggles to wrest the weapon from him, but the powder discovers them. Coast is arrested for murder. He is convicted, but as he begins his sentence, Dundas names Blackstock as the murderer and kills himself. Coast becomes free, but Blackstock has married Katherine Thaxter and has a child. Coast chases a yacht and while sailing sees a man thrown from a distant boat. He rescues the fellow, who is named Appleyard. They arrive at a lonely island, known as No Man's Land. Coast starts out to explore the place and comes upon some deserted buildings. He discovers a man dead. Upon going further and approaching a house he sees Katherine Thaxter. She explains that her husband, under the name of Black, has bought the island. He is blind, a wireless operator and has a station there. Coast informs her that her husband murdered Van Tust. Coast sees Blackstock and Appleyard. Appleyard is a man. They fire at him, but he is rescued by Appleyard, who gets him to the Echo in safety. There he reveals that he is a secret service man and has been watching the crowd on the island, suspecting they are criminals. Coast is anxious to follow the man, but Appleyard forbids him. He is determined to save Katherine. Appleyard believes that Black and his gang make a slave of the wireless station to conduct a smuggling business. Coast penetrates the disguise of Blackstock's disguise. Katherine enters the room and tells him that she is his own safe. Coast feels that Blackstock suspects him. Appleyard and the Echo disappear. Coast assumes that the Echo is a protection, and she informs him that they are to abandon the island immediately. The blind man and his coolie servant overpower Coast, who attempts to escape. Katherine meets him, wishing to flee. They discover a yacht but before they can reach it, Appleyard disables the craft. Black appears and tauntingly states that he is no longer blind. He is overpowered, and Coast and Katherine fly from the island and go to a remote part of the island. The Echo is a boat which they see in the distance. Appleyard and the Echo disappear.

CHAPTER XX.—(Continued.)

Coast, as prompt to take alarm, had instantaneously initiated her action. Wheeling, weapon poised, he discovered the shadowed shape of a man running, toward them—or, rather, staggering, for he seemed badly winded—leaping and reeling through the undulations of the low, formless tines, whose soft and yielding substance had deadened the sound of his approach until he was almost upon the two.

At Katherine's call he flung up one hand as if to signify a peaceful intent, but came on at unabated speed.

"Don't shoot!" he pleaded hoarsely. "I'm unarmed."

Both knew that voice too well. The woman's figure stretched to its full height. "Stop!" she repeated, imperatively, inflexible. "Stop, Douglas, stop."

Coast threw out a hand and detected the muzzle of her weapon.

"Don't," he said aside. "If it comes to that, let me attend to him!"

Blackstock, he cried curtly. "Stand where you are!"

At this the man pulled up at a distance of a few feet within the radius of lantern light. "Steady!" he begged between gasps. "I've been beaten out of time. Plenty of time."

"What's your game now?" demanded Coast coldly, his attention distracted by the comforting sound of dipping oars and squealing rowlocks behind him.

"Game!" The man's eyes caught a surging glint of light from the lantern as they shifted swiftly, glancing side-long. "Game!" he repeated in broken and hollow tones. "I'm in no shape for games now. For God's sake don't be hard on me. I've come to give my self up to surrender."

His announcement fell like a thunderbolt. Momentarily Coast disregarded his sense of hearing. "Surrender?" he muttered incredulously. "You?" He cast a quick, cautious look round. There was no one else within the limits of his vision—not a figure nor a moving shadow. His gaze returned to the huge, quaking shape before them. Blackstock in a panic, trembling with fear and exhaustion, his plump face turned a pasty, unwholesome shade and largely blotched with dull, burning red, eyes like knots showing too much white and rolling restlessly, less mouth agape, hands shaking, breath coming and going with a sound resembling the exhaust of a skipping motor. "The devil!" said Coast to himself, and aloud in accents hard and unrelenting. "You'd best explain."

With a sudden movement, the woman touched his arm.

"Don't trust him, Garrett!" she exclaimed. "You don't know him—don't trust him!"

"I don't know him," Coast began, innocently. They were treated to the incongruous spectacle of Blackstock on his knees, huddling himself first in the woman, then to the man he had wronged, then, mottled, tremu-

lous hands imploring them. "No!" he cried, almost pitiful. "Don't do it! Have a little pity! My God! don't you know I'm dying? Don't leave me here to die like a dog, in the name of mercy!"

"Dying?" Coast repeated, while Katherine bent forward, peering steadily into the man's face. "What do you mean by dying?"

"Don't you understand—can't you see?" The plump, spotted hands fumbled at his throat; for the first time Coast remarked that it was bandaged, and began to comprehend what frightful fear was bringing the man to his feet. "That damn dog," Blackstock breathed convulsively—"he's done for me. If I don't get help—medical help—quick. He's torn my throat to shreds," he whispered. "I'm poisoned, poisoned! If you leave me here, I'll go mad and die mad—hydrophobia! Good God, have pity!"

He broke down completely for a moment or two, whining and blubbering and wringing his hands. It was plain that he was badly frightened, and not without reason.

Coast glanced at Katherine; she wore a face of doubt mirroring his own perplexity, but when she caught his eye upon her, responded with a nod and a shrug.

"I think we'll have to," he said, tentatively.

"Of course," she answered listlessly. "Look here, Blackstock!" At Coast's sharp and frigid address, the man quieted abruptly, and apparently coming to a realization of the spectacle he was making of himself, got slowly and shamefacedly to his feet. "If we agree to take you off the island, you

must not be any monkeyshines aboard the Echo—or I never saw a man afraid of sea sickness before. Madam," he added, turning with a curious little courtly bow to the woman, "if you'll step in—his glance traveled past her down the beach—"we'll beat that pack to the mainland. I see," he said, "they're launching a long boat. What kind of a yarn explains that, please?"

Coast recounted with exceptional brevity the wrecking of the schooner, at the same time stepping into the boat and placing himself at the oars, on the middle seat. Katherine sat forward, behind him, and Appleyard, pushing off, scrambled aft and dropped down beside Blackstock, who sulkily moved to one side to make room for him.

"Look lively, Mr. Coast," he little man advised pleasantly. "We really haven't got a minute to spare—those chaps are laying to their oars as if they really wanted to scrape acquaintance with us. Or perhaps," he suggested with a look askance at Blackstock, "my cheerful prisoner can account for this apparent mad anxiety of theirs to bid their dis—, I mean extinguished leader a fond farewell."

Blackstock, fumbling nervously at his bandaged throat, made no answer. Coast, bending all his strength to the oars, drove the dory swiftly toward the Echo.

"Blackstock," said Appleyard, fronting "what you got in that little bag between your feet?" The conventional pyjamas and toothbrush, what?

The tormented man at his side grumbled something inarticulate.

"Did I understand you to imply it's



Drove the Dory Swiftly Toward the Echo.

know what it means? I'll turn you over to the police, first place we stop."

"I don't care," Blackstock asserted eagerly. "I don't care a damn. I'll go anywhere, do anything—go to the chair, if I have to—work out my life in the pen—anything but stay here and go mad. I've been a cur, I know, but for the love of God don't leave me to die like one."

"Hullo!" Behind the trio the keel of a rowboat grated on the sand, and Appleyard jumped briskly ashore, trotting up, painter in hand. "What's this?" he demanded briskly. "Hello, Coast! Madam, your servant. Now, what's the row?"

He put himself in the center of the group, bright watchful eyes diagnosing its expression after another on the countenances round him; with something in his pose and manner singularly suggestive of an exceptionally intelligent and inquisitive magpie.

Coast dropped a hand affectionately on his shoulder. "Thank heaven, you're here at last," he said. "And here's your prisoner—take him in the name of the law and for the sake of peace. He's been badly bitten first by a dog and then by fright, and he wants to give himself up and be sent to a hospital."

"Oh, that's it, eh? I heard a bit of the centaur white-noising in, and it looked uncommon interesting. But I couldn't figure out what was at the bottom of it all. Well, well, Mr. Blackstock!" The little man rubbed his hands. "I'm glad to come up with you. This is more fun than a goat, for sure. Come!" He jerked his perky little head toward the tender. "Jump in, and I'll hurry you to market."

A sudden look replaced the terror that had masked Blackstock's face. He stared at with a brief, uncertain nod, apparently directed at Coast, collected himself and trudged heavily toward the boat, entering which he squatted silently in the stern.

Appleyard's eyes sought Coast's. "Disarming answer of responsibility. When the devil was sick," he kept in disgust, lowering his tone. "Kept an eye on him."

"Well, rather," Appleyard drawled,

none of my business? How extraordinarily rude, Mr. Blackstock! Besides being untrue—quite a naughty fib. In addition to which it's uncalled for, I know."

"You know?" Blackstock turned to him with a scowl.

"Sure. I can put two and a million together and make a hole in a ladder just as easy as take a silk purse out of a sow's ear. It wouldn't be you, Mr. Blackstock," Appleyard continued without giving his victim time to analyze this astonishing statement—"It just wouldn't be you if you didn't try to hand your friend a double-cross. That bag's stuffed with loot—the best part of the truck they were running this trip—jewelry, for a dollar. And that's why, you see, they're so infatuated with the idea of shaking your hand and wringing your neck before you get away; they've just discovered your perfidy. But don't you fret. Here we are and long before far we'll be sailing merrily away!" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Test of Sixty.

What about the hour when you find yourself in the 60s, an old man—far far from a power, or a treasure of the world, that your place is on the shelf, with old-fashioned, worn-out discarded things; that you have eaten your cake and the dry crumbs are all that are left—nothing but to grow daily feebler and uglier, and more obsolete and superfluous, declining to that death which at least is inescapable—what an awful pass to come to! It is the time when the society queen, her prestige and beauty gone, retires to a convent; when religion, whatever the patterns of it may be, is called upon to justify itself once and for all. In those popular, oleaginous, which depict Faith as a woman clinging to a cross in a room of a convent, there is a hint that of an old hag and not a fair young girl, for it is when all else fails that the church offers itself as the last, only, and sufficient buttress against despair.—Atlantic.

## FRESH AIR THE FIRST

OF ALL MEANS OF IMPROVING COMPLEXION, THE BEST.

No Cream, Lotion, or Bleach Can Be Compared to It—Properly Fed the Lungs at Night as Well as Day.

How large a part does fresh air play in the numerous plans you are making for improving your looks? Is it not true that you have already selected the cream and lotion you will use, and the kind of bleach you think you will prefer? I believe that you have even decided which new face powder you will try in place of the old, which has proved unsatisfactory. But how about your plans for the greatest beautifier of all, fresh air?

Not fresh air once in a while, when you happen to go out doors—not even the daily airing out of your living room or the office—not the tiny crack at the top of the window which lets in an occasional whiff of fresh air when the wind happens to blow on the side of the house where your sleeping room is situated. Not one or all of these precautions will answer the purpose.

If you would be really beautiful, if you would have a clear complexion with that indefinable bloom which is so fascinating, if you would have bright eyes and peachbow lips, you must have fresh air, not occasionally, but all the time. Your lungs must be supplied with oxygen in order that the blood which circulates through your veins will be the rich, red blood that brings health and vitality and a good digestion.

If fresh air is good for you at any time, there is no time when it is not good for you. If your lungs need fresh air in the daytime, they certainly need it at night. Fresh air means clean air, which has not become vitiated with the waste matter. You would hesitate to take into your stomach anything you knew was not clean, but do not stop to realize that frequently the air you are taking into your lungs is positively unclean, unwholesome and unhealthy.

The first rudiments of hygiene will teach us the necessity for fresh air if we would be beautiful. We can also make an almost immediate demonstration without a show much improvement in less than a week when the constant inhalation of perfectly fresh air has replaced the careless habit of breathing vitiated air from unventilated rooms.

If you are troubled with pimples and eruptions of the skin, fresh air may not eliminate them entirely, but it will be of great assistance. If your complexion is not bright, and your head feels dull and stupid, try the open air remedy for twenty-four hours of the day. I can almost guarantee that the dullness will vanish and not return till you are compelled to spend another day in an atmosphere that has been breathed and rebreathed, till it is not fit for a human being to dwell in.

So great is my faith in the many benefits to be derived from the constant dwelling in an atmosphere that is clean and wholesome and pure, that I believe I would suggest fresh air as the first requisite for beauty, and then follow with the list of creams and lotions and bleaches and depilatories and all the other desired and desirable beautifiers.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES.

New Reader: Your letter was refreshing in its directness and lack of apology. There is no reason whatever in continuing to wear a crown of speckled and streaked tresses when they can be restored without any harm to either hair or health. Like so many of my readers, you admire the white locks, when they are really snowy, but do not enjoy the betwixt and between period. You can use the darker without any fear of any ill results whatever, and I can give the information you ask for when you send me the self-addressed envelope with a stamp in the corner.

Marjory X: "Making up" the face is permissible under some circumstances, but the great trouble with the average person who uses any of the means of making up the face is that they do not know just when and where to stop. Sometimes they stop so far in front of the ears that a decided line is left between the red and white of the cheeks and the yellow or brown of the natural skin at the sides of the face and on the neck. Or, in putting a touch of dark under the lower lashes to enlarge the eyes, they put on so wide and dark a line that the eyes are given an ugly, staring look, which spoils the prettiest face. A triple mirror is an absolute essential for the toilet table of the woman who indulges in powder and rouge and darkening pencils, because unless she has one she never knows how the sides of her face appear.

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Fade.

Many of the high girdles are made of Oriental ribbon with long hanging ends.

Draperies are caught up with enormous hooks and eyes covered with a material similar to the costume; these take the place of buckles as a decoration.

Evening wraps are draped to allow for the fullness of the gown beneath. Black and blue are in the lead for fashionable millinery, but royal purple runs them a close second.

Molekin hats are extremely popular, possibly because of their soft becomingness.

## Social Forms and Entertainments

Thanksgiving Wedding Day.

Kindly answer the following questions regarding the noonday wedding to take place on Thanksgiving day at the church. In what order should the maid of honor, ring bearer and the best man enter the church? What should be served at a reception which will follow immediately after the ceremony? Is it necessary to send an invitation to each member of a family, or can I say "Mr. and Mrs. Blank and family"? Thanking you most sincerely.—Perplexed.

The best man with the groom enters the church from the vestry and with the minister awaits the coming of the bride, who is first preceded by the ring bearer, then the honored maid, and last the bride on the arm of her father, or whoever gives her away. If there is no one to do this she may enter alone.

At that season of the year you could serve chicken or sweetbreads, creamed in heart-shaped pastry shells, sandwiches of brown and white bread, olives, salted nuts, a salad with water, coffee, ice cream and of course the traditional wedding cake. Slices of white or pink or they white satin bags filled with candied fruit are pretty for souvenirs instead of wedding cake boxes.

Good form requires a separate invitation for each unmarried member of a household; the "and family" is strictly out of date. Economize in some other way, but not on your invitations.

Duties of a Bridesmaid.

Properly prepared, the bridesmaid, in just what way should she assist the bride? I expect to wear deep cream or buff. Please advise whether you think crepe meteor would be more appropriate than marquisette.

If there is only one maid she immediately precedes the bride to the altar, stands by her side, holds her bouquet and throws back her veil if she wears one. It is customary for her to stand by her side when receiving, but this is not always done.

I fancy the crepe meteor is softer and prettier for your gown than marquisette.

Visiting Cards for Young Girl.

I am a young girl—sixteen. How soon will it be proper for me to have my own cards and should "Miss" precede the name and should my name be written out in full?—Schoolgirl.

You may have your own cards right now, although until you make your debut your name is supposed to be on your mother's card to use in making formal calls and for invitation purposes, but there are so many occasions where a girl needs her own card. Have "Miss" and your name, be it short or long, engraved in full on no abbreviation or prefixing initials before a name.

A High Noon Wedding.

Will you kindly state at just what time "high noon" is? Also suggest a menu for three courses for a wedding breakfast at that hour, to be served in buffet style, as a flat prevents any other method of serving.—Mrs. J. H. B.

High noon is exactly 12 o'clock, and is the favorite hour for a wedding with our English cousins, and even more so now since Alice Roosevelt selected that time. For the first course serve "foie" cantaloupe, filled with sliced pineapple and Maraschino cherries, then chicken salad with plain sandwiches.

From a "Perplexed Man."

Sometimes a young woman is very friendly in speaking when she enters the dining room; again she does not recognize me. Since I consider that it is her place to speak first, am I not justified in not speaking her here after?—A Perplexed Man.

I would be really sure that the person in question was intentional in not noticing me, and as it is conceded that a woman has the privilege of being the first to show recognition. If she continued to ignore my presence I should certainly give no evidence that I knew she was on earth.

The Proper Thing to Do.

Will you kindly tell me if it is correct form for young men to call and leave their cards after they have been invited to a party? Also the correct pronunciation of "Misses" is the Misses Brown.—Alice.

It is indeed the correct form for young men to make party calls after having partaken of a person's hospitality, but few of them do it more than the pity. "Misses" is usually preceded by the word "the" and sounds exactly as if spelled "Mrs."

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Much pain that makes as rheumatism is due to weak kidneys—to their failure to drive off uric acid thoroughly.

When you suffer from backache, aching joints, backache, too; with some kidney disorders, get Doan's Kidney Pills, which have cured thousands.

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## POOR JOHN NEATLY CAUGHT

Cleverly Contrived Trap That Led to the Downfall of One Forgetful Housewife.

He had returned home in the evening tired and ready for a restful hour or two.

"John, my love," said his little wife sweetly, "did you post that letter I gave you this morning?"

"Yes, my pet," said John, holding his conscience-stricken face behind the newspaper.

"Well, what is your answer?" still more sweetly.

"What is your answer, dear?" said his little wife, clearly. "That letter was addressed to me."

"I didn't notice it!"

And then, like a foolish man, he fell into the trap and produced the letter from his pocket to see. The envelope was not addressed to him; but a long and severe lecture was shortly after.

Paid Minister in Tinfoil.

The minister man in the world has been found. He is the man who gave the Rev. Thilo Gore, pastor of the German Lutheran church, an envelope filled with tinfoil for mailing him.

The bride and groom rang Dr. Gore's doorbell late one night and asked him to marry them. As they had a license, he did so. After the ceremony was performed the man took out the tinfoil and the minister, which was supposed to contain the fee. He found it contained nothing but several pieces of tinfoil.—Chicago Tribune.

Fashion Note.

Lady Duff Gordon, at a tea at the Ritz-Carlton, had the painter sketch.

"Everybody likes it, it is so graceful," she said, smiling. Everybody likes it except crusty old fellows.

She turned to a crusty old fellow upon a Louis Seize chair beside her and continued:

"I know a woman whose husband groined at her when she tried on a new pattern gown for him."

"I don't see why you wear those ridiculous big panniers. You haven't got the hips to fill them!"

The woman blushed and bit her lip. Then she said quietly:

"But do you fill your silk hat George?"

NO MEDICINE But Change of Food Gave Final Relief.

Most diseases start in the alimentary canal—stomach and bowels.

A great deal of our stomach and bowel troubles come from eating too much starchy and greasy food.

The stomach does not digest any of the starchy food we eat—white bread, pastry, potatoes, oats, etc.—these things are digested in the small intestines, and if we eat too much, as most of us do, the organs that should digest this kind of food are overcome by excess of work, so that fermentation, indigestion, and a long train of ills result.

Too much fat also is hard to digest and this is changed into acids, sour stomach, belching gas, and a bloated, heavy feeling.

In these conditions a change from indigestible foods to Grape-Nuts will work wonders in not only relieving the distress but in building up a strong digestion, clear brain and steady nerves. A Wash woman writes:

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## A COMMON ERROR

The Same Mistake is Made by Many Murray People.

It's a common error to plaster the aching back, to rub with liniments, rheumatic joints.

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In our announcement column this week will be found the name of M. R. McDaniel who aspires to the office of jailer of Calloway county, subject to the

action of the Democratic voters at the next August primary election. Mr. McDaniel is one of the best known men of the county, and lives just a few miles northeast of the city. He is well known throughout the east side of the county and has a large acquaintance and many friends who will be glad to lend him their support and influence.

He is a hardworking farmer and deserving of anything within the gift of the people. He asks a careful consideration of his candidacy and hopes to be able before the election is held to call upon each of the voters of the county and personally solicit their support and vote. The Ledger believes that he will be a strong factor in the race.

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Benton, Ky., Nov. 11. A very disastrous fire occurred here yesterday at 11:45 o'clock, when two residences were totally destroyed and another badly damaged. The fire originated in the dwelling occupied by Clint Minter, origin unknown, but the supposition is that it caught from a defective flue, and spread rapidly to the home of Harry Jones, thence to the house occupied by Clint Fields. Prompt work by the fire department probably saved adjoining property. Mr. Minter and wife were away from home at the time. Most of the household goods were saved but were badly wrecked. The total estimated loss is about \$3,850 with \$2,000 insurance.

The losers are:

Harry Jones, loss on two residences, \$1,600; insurance on both, \$1,200; loss on household goods, \$600 with \$400 insurance.

Clint Minter, household goods, \$450 with \$300 insurance.

Clint Fields, household goods, \$500 with \$300 insurance.

H. B. Smith, dwelling, partial loss, no insurance.

The fire broke out when most of the people were at church, but almost the entire population was on hand to witness the conflagration. The residences were situated on Puryear street.

Is your husband cross? An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently cured of stomach trouble by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

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