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SONG AND CHEERS

MARKED THE CLOSE OF CONGRESS.

Henderson And Hooker Giv- ing Dixie As A Duet—The House's Record.

(Special to New Era.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—The first session of the fifty-seventh congress ended at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. In the house there was a scene of general rejoicing, during which the members joined in singing the "Star Spangled Banner."



SENATOR HENDERSON.

and "Dixie." The Dixie song was sung after Speaker Henderson had made a brief address. Speaker Henderson joined in the song, and there was a wild scene when Gen. Hooker, of Mississippi, the one-armed Confederate veteran, took his place by the side of the speaker and together they sang "Dixie."

In the senate the thanks of the body were tendered the Hon. William F. Ryan, president pro tempore, in a resolution offered by Mr. Cockrell.

The session of the house lasted seven and one-half hours, during which seventy bills and resolutions were passed.

Among the bills passed by both houses was one authorizing the construction of locks and dams in Pond river, Ky. The senate agreed to the conference report on the general deficiency bill and the Porto Rico public lands and buildings bill. The special committee's report on the bribery charges made by Congress in reference to the sale of the Danah West Indies was unanimous in declaring the charges groundless and in condemning all those mentioned by Congress as being implicated in wrong doing in connection with the sale of the islands.

Just before the senate adjourned Senator Allison presented a statement showing that the total appropriations for the session were \$200,187. Pensions led with \$128,842, 23, and post-offices are next with \$116,416.25. The total last year was \$203,383,575.

MONTHLY REPORT

OF HOPKINSVILLE TOBACCO MARKET.

The Growing Crop Promises To Be The Finest In Years.

Reports received from the board of inspectors and the warehousemen of this city show the tobacco market to be in good shape with recent offerings largely made up of the finer grades of the weed, for which there is a strong demand and at satisfactory figures. This is in part because of the demand being in excess of the supply. The weed has generally been in fairly good shape. There has been a good sale for long-stemmed for manufacturing purposes also. The agents for foreign houses watch closely, and are liberal purchasers of everything suitable for shipment abroad. The stiff prices that are now prevailing on the better classes will continue so long as the scarcity of the goods creates the present demand. The local tobacco market is not so active since the factories and steamers have already received most of their purchases of the season. The railroads have kept the planters busy setting out the remainder of their crops, and about all of the weed is now in the ground and doing well. The growing crop promises to be one of the finest raised in this section in years.

The inspector's report for June shows the receipts for the past month to be 1,700 hogsheads, as compared with 2,475 for the same time last year; receipts for the year were 10,540 hogsheads as compared with 9,675 last year. Sales for the month, 9,100 hogsheads as compared with 9,200 last year; sales for the year 6,611 hogsheads against 6,700 last year. Shipments for past month were 2,570 hogsheads, as compared with 2,420 last year; shipments for the year 7,115 hogsheads, as compared with 6,373 last year. Stock on hand 3,903 hogsheads, as compared with 3,197 last year; stock sold 1,500 hogsheads, as compared with 1,422 last year; total stock on hand 5,403 hogsheads, as compared with 4,520 last year.

A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure backache, headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells, when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney troubles," writes Mrs. Phoebe Cherry, of Palestine, La., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me and, although 78 years old, I am now able to do all my household work." If overcomes constipation, improves appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at J. O. Cook, O. R. Wyle, L. L. Egan, Anderson & Fowler drug stores.

UNION SERVICES

ARRANGED BY THE PASTORS' ASSOCIATION.

During July and August Preaching at One Church Sunday Nights.

Union Sunday evening meetings for the months of July and August have been arranged by the Pastors' Association as follows:
First Sunday in July, M. E. Church south, Rev. W. C. Brandon, preacher; second Sunday, Ninth St. Presbyterian, Rev. Dr. Kask, preacher; third Sunday, Christian, Rev. Mr. Goff, preacher; fourth Sunday, Cumberland Presbyterian, Rev. Dr. Nourse, preacher; first Sunday in August, First Presbyterian, Rev. Dr. Southgate, preacher; second Sunday, Baptist, Rev. Mr. Smith, preacher; third Sunday, M. E. Church south, Rev. Dr. Wyatt, preacher; fourth Sunday, Ninth St. Presbyterian, Rev. Dr. Southgate, preacher; fifth Sunday, Christian, Rev. Dr. Nourse, preacher.
H. D. Smith, Sec'y.

ASSESSMENT MADE

EACH CANDIDATE PAYS IN \$665.66

Positions on the Ballot Decided By Lot—Devices Announced.

The Second congressional district Democratic committee met at the court house in Henderson Tuesday morning, with Charles M. Meacham, of this city, in the chair and D. W. Gatlin, of Madisonville, secretary.

Every county in the district was represented except Christian county, Geo. V. Green being necessarily absent on account of business connected with his position as prison commissioner. The counties were represented as follows:

Daviess, C. A. Payne; Hancock, E. W. Kelly; Hopkins, D. W. Gatlin; Henderson, J. T. Wilcox; McLean, W. F. Miller, proxy; Union, S. H. Bingham; Webster, Dr. J. A. Goodson.

Messrs. T. A. Pedley, representing the city of Owensboro, was absent.

At the morning session, which convened at 10:30, the matter of expenses of the primary and of holding same was discussed and plans agreed upon.

In the matter of selecting election officers, it was agreed that each candidate should select a list to the committee and that one officer should be appointed from each list.

On figuring up the cost of the primary it was found that each candidate should select a list to the committee, the assessment of each one was made one-third of that amount—\$665.66, checks for which were drawn on the committee.

At the afternoon meeting, called to order at 1 o'clock, the matter of each candidate's place on the ballot was decided by lot.

Numbers from 1 to 15 were placed in a hat, and it was agreed that the candidate drawing the smallest number should have first place on the ballot. In this drawing, Stanley was the lucky man, he drawing No. 5, John Brasher No. 11, and Mr. E. P. Taylor No. 12. Hence their names will be printed on the ballot.

Next device, Kentucky coat of arms; Taylor, third device, a horse shoe.

It was decided that the election officers shall be appointed by the county committee fifteen days before the date of primary. All the candidates, Messrs. Stanley, Brasher and Taylor, were present.

The committee was in session about an hour in the afternoon, when it adjourned to meet subject to "call of the chairman."

No change was made in the time of the primary, August 2, all the candidates agreeing to that date.

Fee Due Notes.
—What is turning out about ten bushels per acre as an average and is worth 72 cents at this writing. Recent rains have put a check upon the crop, but have made a great improvement in corn and tobacco crops in this community.

—We were very much in need of rain when it came. Our farmers who have planted corn are giving their crops a good deal of satisfaction. The crop of realising more than 65 per cent. of an average crop.

—Misses Ruth Collins and Lady Bird Radgale, of Hopkinsville, are visiting Mrs. Nellie Telford in this vicinity this week.

—Miss Dottie Blane, of Longview, and Miss Ethel Morgan, of Corinth, Miss., are visiting relatives in this vicinity this week.

—W. G. Blane and granddaughter, Miss Nina Blane visited at Indian Mound last week.

—Mrs. F. Darnell visited her sister, the Misses Blane, on Tuesday last.

TAYLOR IS ELECTED

CHOSEN SUPERINTENDENT IN CLOSE RACE.

Comes Here From Middleboro to Assume Duties July 20.

(Louisville Post.)
Prof. J. B. Taylor was elected superintendent of the city schools last night on the forty-seventh ballot. The election was quite close up to the final vote, Prof. Taylor receiving four votes on this ballot and Prof. Sailer of Paducah, three votes. Prof. Sailer, of Knoxville, Tenn., remained in the race up to the forty-sixth ballot.

Prof. Taylor's election was made unanimous and his salary fixed at \$100.00. He will take charge of the schools on July 20th, it being impossible for him to finish his work at Middleboro where he is now superintendent before that date. He returned to Middleboro last night.

Prof. Taylor is a native Kentuckian, having received common school and college education in this state, and is a graduate from a normal school in Indiana. In his work he has gone up as teacher through all the grades to principal and has held the position of superintendent for the last three years at Middleboro, Ky., and has just been re-elected there for the fourth year.

He comes highly recommended by the academy educators of this state and was recently elected as chairman of the high school section of the Kentucky state teachers' association.

He is thirty-three years old and is a man of family, having a wife and three children.

Personal Notes

From Thursday's daily.

Mrs. Estella B. Clark, of Lincoln, Ill., is visiting Mrs. H. A. Rogers at 215 Fourteenth street.

Mrs. H. A. Harrison, of Nashville, is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. P. Winfree.

Mrs. Dabney Carey and children have returned from a visit to relatives and friends in North Christian.

Dr. Hugh C. Beasley will leave this afternoon for Hopkinsville to spend several days. He will return Sunday night—Bowling Green News.

Mr. Holt R. Price is quite ill of fever at the residence of Mr. B. W. Harned.

Miss Willie Harned is confined to her bed by sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Long went to Dawson today.

Mrs. E. M. Flack and Mrs. W. T. Tandy and son Jack, and Miss Beale Russell are at Dawson Springs.

Misses Kate Manson and Sue Ray spent yesterday at Cerulean.

Miss Daisy Rice has gone to Chattanooga to attend the 12th annual convention of the Southern Educational Association.

From Wednesday's daily.

Miss Isabel Nash is visiting in Nashville.

Mr. John Larkin, of Henderson, is the guest of relatives here.

Mrs. T. W. Blakey and her mother and daughter have gone to Waukegan to spend the remainder of the summer.

Miss Marcella Cooper, of Elmwood, is visiting the family of Mr. A. M. Cooper.

Miss Rosalie Banks is visiting Miss Gabriella Banks in Henderson.

Master James and John Brashfield, of Hopkinsville, are visiting the family of Postmaster Bristol—Elkton Progress.

Mr. Harvey Breathitt and son and Mrs. Fanny R. Starling will leave this evening for Monticello where they will remain two months.

CITIZEN ED. JONES

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—M. L. Brazil.
No. 3. Waltz— "Flowers"
—L. V. Gustin.
No. 4. A Ragged Rag— "Dusky Dudes"
—Joan Schwartz.
Arr. by Herbert L. Clarke.
No. 5. Overture— "American Patrol"
—F. W. Meacham.
No. 6. Cake Walk and Two Steps— "Aunt Phoebe's Jubilee"
—Bernard Stieglitz.
Arr. by F. Meyer.
While the Band Concert is in progress, the following contests will take place:
No. 1. Potato Race
No. 2. Foot Race— 100 yard dash
No. 3. Running Long Jump
No. 4. Sack Race
10 o'clock a. m.
Base Ball.
Nashville vs. Hopkinsville.
AFTERNOON PROGRAM.
1 o'clock
Parade from Hotel Latham to Athletic Park.
1:30 o'clock.
Band Concert.
No. 1. March (new)— "The Bill Board"
—John N. Kilmer.
No. 2. Waltz— "When Knighthood Was In Flower"
—Rendition.

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10 o'clock a. m.
Base Ball.
Nashville vs. Hopkinsville.
AFTERNOON PROGRAM.
1 o'clock
Parade from Hotel Latham to Athletic Park.
1:30 o'clock.
Band Concert.
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ESCAPED

FROM THE RACE FOR CONGRESS.

BY PUTTING BULLET IN VITAL SPOT.

A Sensational Tragedy in Which Well Known Hopkinsville Man Figured.

News has reached the city of a very trying ordeal through which Mr. H. B. Price was compelled to pass recently.

Mr. Price travels for a wholesale furniture house and when he reached Hopkinsville, Ala., he received an account against John H. Hartsfield for collection. He presented the account but the merchant did not seem inclined to meet it, finally saying he did not have to pay any account.

Then pulling a pistol from his pocket, he shot himself, dying instantly. Mr. Price and Mr. Hartsfield were alone in the store at the time and the former had had trouble in proving that he had not killed the proprietor if it had not been that a negro woman stepped in the day just a moment before the deed was committed and witnessed the whole affair.

She Didn't Wear a Mask. But her beauty was completely hidden by sores, blotches and pimples till she used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Then they vanished as if by magic, fever sores, boils, ulcers, carbuncles, and feline from its skin. Infinitely for cuts, corns, burns, scalds and piles. Cure guaranteed. See at J. O. Cook, E. K. Wiley, L. L. Eigh, Anderson & Fowler.

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counties immediately between which is located the far smaller county of McLean. But it developed that in those counties favorite sons, as well as I, to represent the district, and that if they remained in the race I could not at this time be counted with the support of their counties which, otherwise, I might reasonably expect. And it has been argued with considerable effect that I should serve out my term as state senator.

Unable to longer hope for the expected changes in the situation which could give necessary promise of success to my candidacy, I leave the field to the three worthy candidates with whom I have been contending, pledging to the one who succeeds my strongest support from date of his nomination.

To the friends who have supported me in all parts of the district, and with such gratifying devotion in my own county, I beg to express deepest gratitude and, forever, I shall warmly appreciate their advocacy of my candidacy. Heartily thank my friends again, asking that they join me in entire good will towards each of the remaining candidates, and together with all Democrats, bespeaking for the nominee for congress the largest Democratic majority for many years. I am, Sirs, your obedient servant, G. W. Hickman.

Too Handicapped to Win—Pledges Unequalled Support to the Successful Candidate.

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In a card to the voters he states that situated in a small county and having two large counties on either side of him, each with a candidate he found himself handicapped, his candidacy illegal and he could not win.

What effect the withdrawal of Mr. Hickman will have on the contest is a matter of conjecture, the friends of each of the remaining candidates claiming their favorite will be benefited. Mr. Hickman has made many admirers in this county. His card of withdrawal is mainly and strongly Democratic, and he pledges his unequalled support to the successful candidate. His card in full follows:

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STOCKS RICH IN CHANGES TAXES
ALL STOCK OF SAND LICK CO. SOLD.
WAR REVENUE LAWS REPEALED.
Iowa and California Quits Selling Shares—New Wells Contracted For.

Oil operations in North Carolina are being pushed. Work is being done rapidly, and rich finds are confidently expected. That large pools of petroleum are concealed somewhere in this section nobody doubts, and the prospectors feel sure they have discovered the location.

Well No. 1, of the Sand Lick Development Company, on the Collins farm west of Crofton, started the operation. He had been fishing for the broken bit, and had been forced to stop the work for three days, when upon returning to work, found that the well was half full of a very excellent grade of green oil. This oil doubtless came from the oil sand struck at 75 feet, which was 42 feet deep and very rich in oil. The company was notified, and a meeting of directors was called at once.

The directors met here and decided to shut the well as soon as necessary could be brought in, and at once closed a contract with the driller to drill another well a half mile distant on the Orton farm. The derrick has almost been completed, and drilling will begin on well No. 2 this week. An attempt was made to keep the find secret but it has leaked out accidentally. The new well is on the farm of Squire Orton, near Tradeville, where there is a very pronounced anticline, as pointed out by several oil men who have visited the field.

The Iowa and California Oil & Gas Company have a lease upon the adjoining tract and have the derrick completed already, and will sink a deep well upon this tract. They have also secured a lease upon the adjacent acreage, and will sink a deep well upon this tract. The oil sand is located in a very pronounced anticline, which has been traced, which is the location of the oil sand.

Last week four oil men visited the well of the Sand Lick Company, and secured a lease upon it, and will sink a well as soon as machinery can be gotten to the field.

As an evidence of what people here think of the field, all the stock of the Sand Lick Development Company has been sold, and many applied for stock who were unable to secure it.

The Iowa and California Oil Company has taken its stock of the market, preferring to hold the stock themselves, awaiting developments. The drillers are now on Sand Lick well working night and day. The oil sand is located in a very pronounced anticline, which has been traced, which is the location of the oil sand.

Will Not Accept.
Pollard White, of Cadiz, who was appointed a delegate to Annapolis by Congressman Wheeler has decided not to accept the appointment.

Mrs. Woodburn's Death.
Mrs. J. L. Woodburn, of near Fort, died Monday of a heart attack, aged twenty-four years.

She was a devoted member of the Baptist church and was beloved by all who knew her.

The funeral was preached at the residence this morning at 10 o'clock and the burial took place in the Boyd burying ground.

A TEXAS WONDER
Hall's Great Discovery.
One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kinds of bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, neuralgia, rheumatism, and all other troubles of the bladder and kidneys.

It is a wonderful medicine for old people whose stomachs are "weak" and whose digestion is "poor." It invigorates the system, and makes the old feel young.

It is a "cure-all," and it contains no opium, narcotic or other poison. It regulates the child's system pleasantly and quietly without stupefying or shocking it.

FREE
We will send a trial size bottle free to any mother. Send a postal to-day.

From a Reliable Merchant.
Brownsville, Tenn., July 1.
I have given "Owens Pink Mixture" to my children with the best results for many years. I would not be without it during the summer months of testing for me.

SOLD EVERYWHERE
In 25c or 50c. See Bottles.
FLOYD MEDICINE CO., Detroit, Mich.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes.
One size smaller. Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, calluses and sore spots.

READ THIS.
Hopkinsville, Ky., June 7, 1901.
Dear Sir: I suffered ten years with severe kidney and bladder trouble and at times was unable to work. I was advised to try a large bottle of a bottle I passed a large gravel and I have never suffered since passing the same three years ago. I have recommended it to many others who have reported cures. I most heartily recommend it to all suffering from kidney or bladder disease.

Respectfully,
SAM DEAN

ECHEES FROM THE GREAT MID-SUMMER SALE.

NOW GOING ON AT "Frankel's" THE BUSY STORE

FRIDAY WE PLACE ON SALE THE FOLLOWING--AS LONG AS THEY LAST!

REMEMBER, THE GOOD THINGS GO FIRST, SO IF YOU WOULD GET THE BENEFIT OF THESE GOODS YOU HAD BETTER COME AT ONCE.

2c yd. 1000 yards Lawns, neat patterns, light and dark ground, worth 5c, only 10 yards to one customer for 20c.	10c For 3 Ladies Vests, taped neck, only 3 to a customer 10c	35c Men's Negligee Shirts, one small lot of colored Negligee Shirts, with and without collars. Regular price 50c.	25c Men's colored Stiff Bosom Dress Shirts. Regular price 50c. Sizes 15 1/2, 16 1/2 and 17. 25c to a customer.	50c Pr. Boys blue Linen or white Linen Duck Knee Pants	\$1 Pair Choice of 30 pairs Men's fine black or tan Shoes, odd lots, worth regular from 2 00 to 3 00; sizes 9 to 11 only.	75c Men's finest stiff bosom colored shirts, open back and front, worth 1 00 and 1 25; this sale only 75c.
35c Pr. Men's Elastic Seam Scrivens patent bleach drill drawers, 3 pr. \$1 only 3 pair to a customer. Worth 50c pair.	\$5.00 Wool Crash Coats and Pants, light gray color, belt straps and turn-up cuffs.	25c Pr. Ladies Hose, all our lace front and lie's thread. Look like some at 50c	50c Pr. Men's Mercerized Southern Silk Drawers, pink only. Regular price \$1.25. For this sale 50c.	25c For 3 Ladies Pink and Blue or White Ribbon, taped neck and sleeve Vests, worth 15c each.	5c Yard 25 pieces 39 inch light colored and tinted ground Batiste; worth 7 1/2 yard.	85c Bolt 12 yard Chambray, finish long cloth, worth 10c per yard.



LADY KILLED BY LIGHTNING STROKE.
Dwelling Wrecked and All the Occupants Were Severely Shocked.

Mrs. Sarah Mosely was struck by lightning and instantly killed Monday between twelve and one o'clock, at the residence of her father, George Mosely, on McFarland Creek, North Carolina, seven miles northeast of Crofton. A violent wind and rain storm was raging, and Mrs. Mosely and several members of the family were sitting in one of the rooms. Suddenly there was a great crash of thunder and a stroke of lightning wrecked a part of the roof of the dwelling and darted down the wall of the room, against which Mrs. Mosely was leaning. She seemed to be encircled by the flash and fell dead on the floor, without uttering a sound. All the persons in the room were severely shocked. The house was badly damaged, only the heavy rain preventing it from being destroyed by fire.

The victim of the stroke was a widow, twenty-one years of age, and very popular in the community. She leaves two children.

MOATON'S GREAT SALE
Begins Wednesday, July 9. New, fresh goods at half price.

QUARTERLY REPORT
OF THE
Planters Bank
And Trust Co.
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS
June 30th, 1902.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts, \$125,000.00
Overdrafts, \$1,000.00
Due from State Banks, \$1,000.00
Due from National Banks, \$1,000.00
Due from Trust Companies, \$1,000.00
Due from Merchants, \$1,000.00
Due from Individuals, \$1,000.00
Due from Other Sources, \$1,000.00
Total, \$130,000.00

LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock paid in, \$100,000.00
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REMARKS.
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OFFICERS.
L. H. DAVIS, VICE GRAND.
G. W. WRIGHT, SECRETARY.
G. H. CHAPMAN, TREASURER.
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REMARKS.
There was a large attendance, and the members showed the keenest interest in the proceedings. The election inaugurates the most important term in the history of the lodge which is now one of the most flourishing of any order in the state. The handsome building which the society is having erected will be an ornament to the city as well as reflect the greatest credit upon the lodge. It will be completed in time for the sessions of the Grand Lodge, which will meet here in October, to be held in it. The Grand Lodge will attract delegates and visitors from nearly every town in the state. Already the local committees are at work arranging plans for the entertainment of the grand officers and visiting brethren. Hopkinsville, by the way, is the only town in Kentucky which is the home of an officer of the Sovereign Grand Lodge. The Rev. Dr. J. W. Venable is Sovereign Grand Chaplain, and has been honored with the position for thirty-five consecutive terms.

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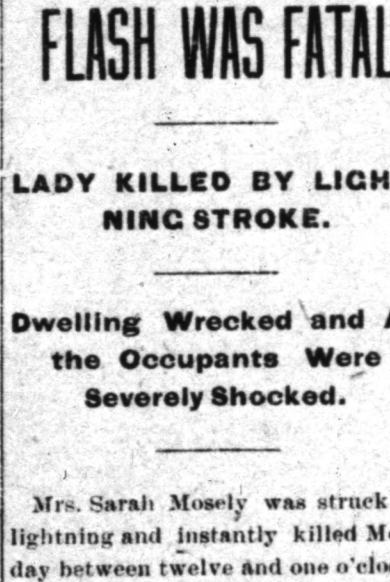
Bank Statements.
Elsewhere in this impression of the New Era are the quarterly statements of the Bank of Hopkinsville, the City Bank, the Planters Bank and Trust Company, and the First National Bank, showing their condition at the close of business June 30. Hopkinsville has every reason to delight in her financial institutions, and the New Era points with pride to the splendid statements in this issue. No banks in the state are safer or better off.

Child Dies.
The infant child of Mr. John Larkin of Henderson, formerly of this city, died Sunday afternoon last, after a brief illness, at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Larkin, in this city, only three weeks ago.

Big Weighers.
John W. Petrie, Jr., of the Fairview vicinity Saturday delivered to Tandy & Fairleigh 1700 plants of tobacco, of the Italian type, weighing 1070 pounds.

The Old Point Trip.
Arrangements have been completed for the annual outing to Old Point Comfort and the seashore. It is probable the date will be fixed by August 12. This information will be good news to those who look forward each year to this cheap and delightful outing.

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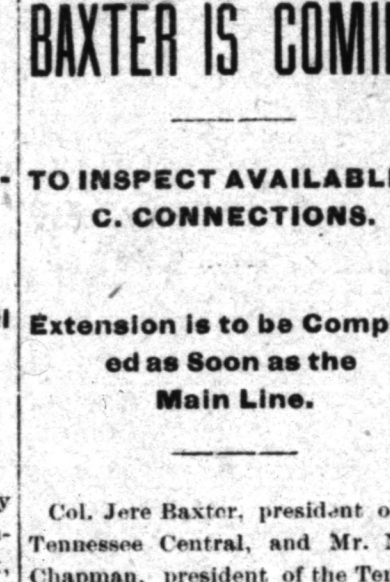
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