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# WEEKLY NEW ERA.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

HOPKINSVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY KENTUCKY FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 2 1904

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## STATE GEOLOGIST HASTENS TO EXAMINE NEW VEIN OF COAL

Find at Nortonville Mine Upsets Theories in Reference To the Coal Fields of Hopkins County

While drilling a sump for receiving the drainage from the vein of coal which was to be opened this week, the Nortonville Coal company, in which many Hopkinsville people are financially interested, struck another vein of coal of which they have no knowledge and which is puzzling every one who has seen it.

The sump was being drilled to a depth of about nine feet through limestone rock for the purpose of allowing the water to collect and be pumped out. A blast of six feet was made and when it was cleared away it was found that the drill had gone five feet into a new vein of coal underlying the other vein only six feet. The new vein is seemingly of an anthracite nature. It is harder a good deal than the regular soft coal and breaks smooth and does not smut. No one who has visited the mine has been able to definitely state what grade it is.

Notwithstanding the drill went five feet into the vein the bottom was not reached and it is not yet known how thick the vein is. From indications it underlies the entire property of the Nortonville Coal company. Prof. Norwood, the state geologist, was wired and replied

that he would visit the mine this week and until he passes upon the find its exact nature will not be determined. The owners of the property are naturally very much elated over their prospects, but have not decided which vein to work. They may decide the matter by working both veins, although they are only six feet apart. This makes a total of five veins struck in sinking this shaft which is now at a depth of 155 feet. The vein which the company was working on and which they had about gotten in condition for opening up this week was supposed to be No. 9, but since the new vein was struck this may be found to be wrong. In any event the finding of the new vein will break all theories in regard to the coal fields of Hopkins county. Some claim the new find is either No. 8 or No. 4, while others insist that it is either No. 11 or No. 12. If it is No. 8 or No. 4 it does away with the theory that the veins of No. 9 are never found closer than fifty feet to these grades. If it is No. 11 or No. 12 the theory that there are only twelve grades in Hopkins county is no good as this will make seventeen. The result of Prof. Norwood's examination will be anxiously awaited by the stockholders of the company.

## ANNUAL REUNION OF SECOND BRIGADE, U. C. V., AT EARLINGTON.

Free Entertainment of Veterans and Low Rates On Railroads.—Will Take Place September 21 and 22.

The following communication, which will be read with interest by all the Confederate Veterans and their friends in this region, has just been issued from the headquarters of the Second brigade, Kentucky division of the United Confederate Veterans, at Russellville:

It is with great pleasure that the commanding general announces to the camps composing the Second brigade, Kentucky division of United Confederate Veterans, that he has accepted for the brigade the kind invitation to hold its next annual reunion at Earlington, Ky., on the 21st and 22nd of September next. The good people of Earlington will make ample provision for the free entertainment of all Confederate veterans who attend, and the railroads will give low rates, which will be announced hereafter. An enjoyable time is in store for us, and so it is hoped that the attendance on this occasion will be the largest possible. The commander of each camp will ascertain and report at once to Captain Alonzo Tindler, commander of the Madisonville camp No. 528, U. C. V., how many men will be present from his camp, so that ample provision may be made for all who attend.

All the men who have uniforms are requested to wear them at this

reunion. Each camp will take with it all its baggage.

Each camp will also select one comrade to take a ten minutes' talk, which may be historical, pathetic, witty, humorous, or anything appropriate he may wish to say.

Comrades, nearly forty years have passed since the war ended. The youngest veteran is now approaching the age of three score years, while the majority of us have passed that mark. The number is decreasing more and more rapidly every year, and most of the survivors have in this life but few more years left to get together on such occasions, greet their comrades, talk over old times, and fancy themselves young again.

Let every one, who can, attend this reunion; and let those able to do so lend a helping hand to veterans in needy circumstances, that it may be possible for them also to attend, for the sake of their devotion to the principles for which so many gallant souls poured out their life's blood, and for which they and all of us fought so long and so well—principles that will never die as long as the love of liberty lasts.

J. B. BRIGGS, Commanding Brigade.  
Official: Wm A. OBENCHAIN, Adj't General & Chief of Staff.

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**T. M. Jones,**

## MARKET AND CROPS

NOTES OF INTEREST TO FARMERS.

Tobacco Situation Is Unchanged—Live Stock Prices.

Reports received from the inspectors and warehousemen show very little change in the general condition of the tobacco market. There were but few offerings of the better grades of leaf, as the bulk of these grades has been disposed of and what is left the planters do not seem disposed to let go at the ruling figures. There is a considerable demand for the better grades of lugs, and there is some activity in such goods as can be used in manufacturing snuffs. Quantities of the weed were sold loose on the floor of the warehouses, and at fair prices.

Agents for firms abroad who buy upon the breaks here, are making fewer purchases than earlier in the season, when they had a greater assortment of goods to select from. The stemmeries and rehanding houses are doing very little, as business is dull in their line. The grow-

ing crop is reported in fine shape, with but few worms, and there have been good rains over most of this district during the past week.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 158 head; market steady on good, dull on common. Following are the quotations: Shipping steers, \$4 25@4 75; best butchers, \$4 00@4 35; medium butchers, \$3 25@3 75; common, \$2 50@3 50; best feeders, \$3 25@3 85; best stockers, \$3 25@3 75; bulls, \$2 00@2 55; canners, \$1 00@1 25. Hogs—Receipts, 1,886 head; market slow and unevenly lower, closed weak and 5@10c lower. Quotations: 165 pounds and up, \$5 60@5 70; 120 to 165 pounds, \$5 60; 90 to 120 pounds, \$5 15@5 35; light pigs, \$4 00@4 75; roughs, \$4 40@4 85. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 986 head; market quiet at steady prices. Best lambs, \$5 25@5 75; seconds, \$4 00@4 50; butcher lambs, \$3 50@4 00; culls, \$3 50@3 25; best sheep, \$2 75@3 00; medium, \$2 25@2 50; common, \$1 25@2 00; bucks, \$1 25@2 25; stock ewes, \$3 00@3 50.

**ALPHONSE AND GASTON**



Nothing more pleasing in the musical farce line than "Alphonse and Gaston" will be seen here next Wednesday night at Holland's opera house. Pretty girls, catchy music, clever comedians, beautiful costumes and handsome scenery form the nucleus of an entertainment that never fails to win the heartiest approval from all lovers of this style of entertainment.

## MORROW FARM

Is Purchased By County Judge Fowler.

Judge W. T. Fowler has closed a deal whereby he secures the farm of the late Judge T. J. Morrow lying a short distance south of the city on the Clarksville pike. The farm was recently bought at auction by Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Anderson, of Elkton, at master commissioner's sale for settlement of the estate for \$13,000. Judge Fowler secured the place at the same figure.

The Morrow farm has long been known as one of the best improved and most fertile tracts in this section. It contains 286 acres in a high state of cultivation.

## A Boy's Wild Ride For Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at L. L. Elgin's and Cook & Higgins' drug stores.

## STOLE A HORSE?

That's the Charge Against Negro In Jail.

(From Thursday's Daily)  
Tom Carter, colored, was arrested this morning north of town on the charge of stealing a horse, which he was riding. It is alleged that he took the horse last night from the pasture of Mr. Thomas Clark near this city. The negro claims that he was in search of laborers for Mr. Clark and that he had no intention of stealing the horse. The examining trial was set for hearing Saturday.

## BETHEL COLLEGE

The Fall Term Begins With Fine Prospects.

(From Thursday's Daily)  
Bethel Female college opened for the fall term this morning with the best prospects since President Edmond Harrison has had charge of the institution. The faculty is unusually strong, and the attendance is large. Bethel Female college is an institution of which Hopkinsville may well be proud.

## STATE GUARD

Ready For Encampment at St. Louis.

(From Thursday's Daily.)  
The Third Kentucky regiment will leave tonight for St. Louis where it will into camp on the World's Fair grounds. Co. D of this city, will leave Hopkinsville at 9:30 tonight.

The camp will be conducted according to the United States army tactics.

## Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief, was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies, "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for liver and kidney troubles and all forms of stomach and bowel complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by L. L. Elgin and Cook & Higgins, druggists.

## Preferred Stock Dividend No. 1.

A semi-annual dividend of 8% on the preferred stock of the Acme Mills & Elevator Company has been authorized by the Board of Directors of the company for the sixth months from March 1st to September 1st, 1904, and the same is now payable at the office of the company.

J. B. GALBREATH, Secy-Treas.

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### Mother's Friend

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**J. E. McPherson, Sec.**

## FOR BETTER PRICES

**GROWERS OF TOBACCO ARE ORGANIZING.**

**Movement Is Spreading to All States in Which Weed Is Produced.**

Tobacco growers in all the tobacco producing states are organizing with a view of obtaining a better price for their product. With a crop last year that was insufficient to supply the demand, the growers claim the market was so manipulated that the crop of 1908 was purchased at a price below the cost of production. The object of the organization in the various states is to control the supply and get higher prices. These organizations have been completed in Virginia and North Carolina and in Kentucky, Tennessee, West Virginia and Ohio the movement toward organization is in progress.

The plan is to form an association in each state and for the farmers in the different counties to pool their tobacco with the association, the association to say when, to whom and how the tobacco is to be sold so as to realize the largest profit to the farmer. It is claimed that the plan is feasible, and that the association in this state as well as in other states, will have sufficient financial backing to carry out its purpose. The movement in Kentucky is yet in its infancy and its development will be watched with interest.

## LIFE POLICIES

**Are Held Taxable by the Attorney General.**

Attorney General Hays has delivered an opinion in response to a query put by Auditor Hager, that policies of life insurance are taxable under the constitution and laws of Kentucky, the assessment of each to be its guaranteed or estimated cash surrender value.

The opinion, if sustained by the courts, to which the question will be taken at once, will affect thousands of policy holders in Kentucky, the assessment being made on the holder. The question was raised by a mountain county assessor and by Biscoe Hindman, of Louisville, state manager of the insurance company of New York. The assessor sought to assess for taxation under the general tax laws of the state two paid-up policies of insurance, one of which bears interest.

**"Dixie" as the National Air.**

An interesting and suggestive thought is advanced by Collier's Weekly. Why should not "Dixie" be made the national air?

It is recalled that at a Washington crowd which was celebrating the surrender of General Lee, President Lincoln said:

"I see you have a band. I propose now closing up by requesting you to play a certain tune or air. I have always thought 'Dixie' one of the best tunes I have ever heard. I have heard that our adversaries over the way have attempted to appropriate it as national air. I insisted yesterday that we had fairly captured it. I presented the question to the attorney general and he gave it as his opinion that it is our lawful prize."

Commenting further Collier's Weekly recalls that the air was far and away the most popular tune at the Democratic national convention, as it is upon all occasions. Northerners as well as southerners are fired by its stirring strains whenever and wherever it is heard.

Why, then should it not become the real national air? All that is necessary is for somebody to write suitable and fitting words.

Here's a chance for some poet to immortalize himself.—Atlanta Constitution.

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For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

## HOW MANY HANDS

do you suppose dip into that bulk coffee before you buy it?

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comes in sealed, airtight packages; no chance for handling, or dirt or things to get in.

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## Notes About People

(From Saturday's Daily)

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Moss and Miss Annie Meacham have returned from Cerulean Springs.

Master Bassett Elgin, of Nortonville, is with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Anderson, and will remain with them and attend school.

Miss Mary Warfield returned home last night after a pleasant visit with friends in Hopkinsville. Miss Mattie Thomas, of Hopkinsville, is registered at the Arlington. Commodore Beech and Lee Ellis witnessed the ball game at Hopkinsville yesterday.—Clarksville Star.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green have returned from Dawson.

Misses Annie Belle Adams, of Howell Ind., and Ethel Tinsler, of Elkhart, are guests of Mrs. J. N. Hardin, in this city.

Dr. A. E. Anderson has returned from Madisonville.

Mrs. Hughes, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Ray, returned yesterday to her home at Springfield, Ky.

Mrs. John C. Day and daughter, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Dalton, East Seventh street, left this morning for their home, Louisville.

Miss Harrison, assistant trimmer at the Misses Hooser's, left for St. Louis Tuesday where she will be with the Richard Hanem Millinery Co., for two weeks.

Mr. W. H. Eggleton and son have returned to their home in Louisville after a visit to Mr. J. H. Eggleton's family.

Misses Mary and Dodge O'Brien, of Earlinton, will arrive in this city tomorrow to be the guests of Miss Brenda Kenner on West Seventh st.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Callard have returned from a visit to Cincinnati.

Mr. Howard Stowe, of Julien, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. A. Mason, of Masonville, was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. Charles Barker, of West Fork, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mr. Ed Jones, of Church Hill, was in the city yesterday.

Messrs. Garnett Roach and William Wilson, of Gracey, are in the city today.

Mr. R. W. Roach and sister, Mrs. R. A. Wilson, of Gracey, were in the city en route to Nashville to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wade have returned from Sinking Fork accompanied by Miss Eva Lee Stephens.

Mr. R. P. Turney and daughters, of Cerulean, are in the city.

Mrs. E. P. Fears and daughter have gone to Dawson.

Mrs. Charles Hord is visiting relatives in Cadiz.

Mr. W. A. Wilgus has returned from Old Point Comfort.

Mrs. George Blakely has returned from Montezuma.

Mrs. Anna Fairleigh and son, R. M. Fairleigh, are at Dawson Springs.

## PROWSE NAMED

**As Republican Member of Election Board.**

Judge James Breathitt states that Charles O. Prowse, and not Judge A. E. Anderson, is Christian county's Republican election commissioner. As Judge Anderson is chairman of the Republican county committee, it was deemed best by Judge Breathitt not to recommend his appointment as commissioner. The Democratic commissioner is Mr. L. Cravens. Sheriff L. R. Davis is the third member of the board.

### Cutting Tobacco.

Tobacco cutting is in progress about Pembroke. The acreage is smaller than last year but the quality much better.

## TOURNAMENT OVER

**FEWER PARTICIPANTS THAN EXPECTED.**

**Prowse Captures Club Medal.—Money's Good Work.—Brady Gets Prize.**

(From Saturday's Daily)

The number of marksmen who took part in the second day's shoot of the Hopkinsville Gun club tournament yesterday at Cerulean Springs was not up to expectations and the scores were also very low. A high wind blew from the east all day and the shooters were further annoyed by little stinging flies which literally swarmed about them.

The best score of the event was that made by Mr. Harold Morey, who broke 337 out of 350 targets in the two days. Mr. Frank Rhiel was second with 324 out of 350. The purses offered to first and second high guns therefore went to these two.

The gold medal offered for high amateur was captured by Mr. E. Brady, of Newbern, Tenn., with a score of 311. Mr. Lee Moody, of Bessemer, Ala., was second with a score of 309.

Mr. C. O. Prowse again won the club medal, open only to members of the local club with score of 294. This is the third time he has won it and according to the rules of the club it is now his personal property. Dr. Woodward, who was tied with him in the first day's shooting, was badly off yesterday and Mr. E. M. Moss was second in this contest with score of 287.

Shooting began early yesterday and the events were rushed through in such rapid order that the program was completed about 1 o'clock. A number of the shooters left on the afternoon train but most of them remained over for the ball which was given in their honor at the hotel. They all were loud in their praises of the hospitality of Capt. Pool, who, in behalf of the hotel management, made such liberal concessions in order to have the tournament pulled off at the springs.

The official score for the two days' shooting was as follows:

	Shot at.	Broke
Money	350	337
Brady	350	311
Moody	350	309
Meaders	350	296
Hillman	350	292
Prowse	350	291
Mercer	350	286
Hansbro	350	216
Moss	350	287
Woodard	250	233
Rhiel	350	234
Nall	205	164
Barton	175	148
Cutry	115	85
Page	95	71
Glenn	200	159
Jones	185	79
Halloman	105	69
Starling	290	201
Chatten	40	27
Wadlington	305	183
George	40	17
Moore	75	49
Turney	45	22
Fortner	85	81
McCarley	25	30
Smith	85	29
Gant	175	133
Gates	65	35
Hart	35	25
Morrow	30	7
Glass	35	21
Burru	15	6

### Worlds Fair Excursion Rates Over the I. C.

On account of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, the Illinois Central Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to St. Louis as follows:

From April 25th to November 15th, limited to Dec. 15, \$12.25

From April 25th, to Nov. 30th, limited to 60 days from date of sale, but not later than Dec. 15th, \$10.20

From April 25th, to Nov. 30th, limited to 10 days from date of sale, \$9.65

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Your S. S. S., in my opinion, is as good a medicine as can be had; it simply cannot be improved upon as a remedy to enrich the blood and to invigorate and tone up the system. This spring my blood was bad and I was run down in health, and having seen your medicine highly advertised and commended its use. To-day my blood is in fine condition and my general health is of the best. An American for a large concern here, and if I was not in good physical condition it would be impossible for me to fill the place. S. S. S. has been of great service to me. I do not hesitate to give it the credit it deserves.

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# Talmage Sermon

By Rev.  
Frank De Witt Talmage, D. D.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 28.—At the season when nature is displaying her richest colors, the preacher chooses as a theme for his sermon the beauty of things visible and invisible and contrasts it with the higher beauty which comes to those whose lives are in harmony with the Divine life. The text is Ecclesiastes III, 11, "He hath made everything beautiful in his time."

The Solomonite writings are often epigrammatic in style. Like priceless jewels cut and polished by the lapidaries and collected in caskets, irrespective of size or color, his verses are verbal gems clustered into chapters, with but little attempt at consecutive arrangement. Indeed, King Solomon for the most part seems to me to be like a writer of notebooks. In the king's judgment hall or on the street or out upon the hillside under the blue dome of the sky, where a great thought is divinely inspired within his brain, he jots that thought down in memorandum. Then at the end of the day or the week or the month or the year he collects these different thoughts, irrespective of their logical sequence, into a chapter or a book and has the court stenographer write them out again in full. In other words, King Solomon's verses for the most part are like freight cars that can be sidetracked or uncoupled from one car and attached to other cars. Each verse stands out as a distinct entity. An average verse is as appropriate in the sixth chapter of Proverbs as in the twentieth chapter. The verse in the car. The chapter is the freight train. They are often as unconnected as the definitions of Webster's Dictionary. They change their subjects very often. They are like nuggets of gold sometimes found by the Australian miners in the dust by the roadside or in the river beds, entirely separated from any gold veins. They are like great round boulders of rock bedded in the sands. These boulders in a glacial age have been carried by the ice from afar and have found a resting place amid entirely different elements from those among which they were created.

The modern critics tell us that King Solomon did not write the book of Ecclesiastes; that its style and diction belong to a later date. It appears to me, however, that its tone and its depressing refrain are characteristic of a man who led such a life of ease and self-indulgence as Solomon led, and that at the end of it, satisfied with pleasure and study, as he must have been, it was precisely the kind of book that would come from his pen, and the conclusions uttered in that book just such as would be likely to be reached by a man who, having strayed from God, was disappointed and dissatisfied with his life. In the absence, therefore, of definite knowledge I shall assume that the first verse of the book indicates him as the author, "The son of David, king in Jerusalem."

The Law of Sequence.  
But, though King Solomon was not, as a rule, a connected writer, yet in the book of Ecclesiastes he makes an exception to his usual custom. In this third chapter, for example, there is clear sequence. No man can interpret my text aright unless he uses the words, "He hath made everything beautiful in his time," as a glorious climax to the ten verses which precede them. Solomon is here enunciating the mighty law of sequence. He is marshaling the events of a human life as an army, each event must have its right position. In the language of the chapter, he says, "There is a time to be born and a time to die. There is a time for a cradle and a time when the wood of that cradle should be changed into a coffin lid. There is a time to plant and a time to reap that which is planted. The plow and the sickle cannot have the rust rubbed off their faces at the same time. There is a time to weep and a time to laugh. That means that a joke or a calamity at a funeral is a discord. A tear and a sob at a coronation are also out of place. A wedding march is never played in a minor key; neither is the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" sung to the accompaniment of a "Dead March" from "Faust," nor is a Christmas carol imprisoned behind the musical bars of a Mozart's requiem. "There is a time to love and a time to hate." There is a time when the "angel of mercy" should extend the open palm of forgiveness as well as a time when the clinched fist of justice must defend the weak against a mortal combat over the prostrate forms of innocence and rectitude.

Then, after the author of my text has sung the changes of the "Gospel Harmonies of Sequence"—the meadowlands and upon the mountain top, in sea and on land, by cradles and by open graves, during the times when the dove of peace is hovering over man, and during the time when the black ravens of war are snapping his wings above bloody battlefields—King Solomon generalizes all his statements in one great conclusion. He practically says, "All the different heart beats of joy and sorrow, life and death, peace and conflict, hope and despair, have their purpose to serve, if they only come to man in the right way and at their appointed seasons." For God "hath made everything beautiful in his time." This is the keynote of Christianity. Man in his sinful state is a

blemish on the face of the world, but man redeemed, is haloed with divine beauty, and, as Ralph Waldo Trine has said, "He is in tune with the infinite." He becomes part of the universal harmony, and his thoughts are in spiritual symmetry with the thoughts of God.

Coleridge's Definition.  
We find an analogy for man's spiritual beauty in the painter's brush and the artist's easel. According to Samuel Coleridge, the English poet and literary critic, the true definition of "beauty" is "multitude in unity." When standing before a great picture like that of Leonardo da Vinci's "Last Supper," or Murillo's "Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes," or Raphael's greatest picture, his "St. Anne," we find that there the many lights and the shadows, the gold and the silver and the green and the yellow and the blue and the saffron and the violet and the purple, all blend in one common purpose. Thousands, perhaps tens of thousands of times, Michelangelo, with his brush, may have touched the wall in the Vatican where today is seen his "Last Judgment." But not one of all of those thousands of times when he laid on the paint did he do so without having one great idea in his mind. "Perfection is composed of many trifles," wrote he, "but perfection in art is not a trifle." A great picture is always "multitudes of different colors in blending unity." That unity is the cause of beauty when seen upon the canvas of the masters of old and the masters of the present day.

"A Multitude in Unity."  
An artist's beauty is a "multitude in unity." We know that Samuel Coleridge's definition in reference to the painter's easel is true. We see a "multitude of colors in unity" when Turner, the most brilliant artistic colorist England ever produced, makes the sea a creature of life. Now it is a beautiful boulevard of gold, paving its way to the throne of a setting sun; now a perfect pandemonium of furies; now it is a burial scene, when Sir David Wilkie finds a sepulcher in the mighty deep, whose waves beat themselves into places on the Gibraltar crags. We see an artist's "multitude in unity" in the portraits of a Sir Anthony Van Dyke and in the mighty mountain peaks of a Bierstadt and in the pastoral dreams of a Millet. But, though there may be many different tints blending in the colors of a rainbow or in the hectic flush of a rose, did you ever stop to realize that all colors come from but three primal colors, just the same as all nature? All the animal and vegetable and mineral kingdoms have but sixty-six different basic elements, of which they are all composed. So in the artistic world we find that all colors originally come from but three primary colors—the red, the yellow and the blue. Now, if God can form the artistic beauty of the sky, the sea, the land, out of the simple red, the simple yellow and the simple violet, is it absurd to suppose that God can spiritually make us artistically beautiful, no matter how crude and sinful we may be, if we only allow our thoughts and lives to be combined in symmetry with his thoughts and with Christ's life? Oh, the beauty of blending colors. From the brilliant pictorial of an autumnal leaf let us learn the spiritual lesson for man that God hath made and can make everything beautiful in his time.

But the musician's oratory and symmetry of sounds have also their analogies by which we can find man, in his spiritual beauty, "in tune with the infinite." In the Epistle to the Romans Paul writes, "How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace and glad tidings of good things." Aye, beautiful are the feet of the gospel messengers, but beautiful are the voices also, for today we find the symbol of man's thoughts in beautiful symmetry with God's thoughts, in the sweet throat of a singing thrush, in the sighing of the winds among the leaves and in the harvest fields, in the moanings of the seas as well as in the colors of its waters and in all the strange yet harmonious voices of the woods, whether they be the calls of the cuckoo, which musicians declare sound the third note in music, or the shrill whistle of the bobwhite, which, like the voice of the life, is heard above every other instrument of the band, or the croonings of the wood dove, which the California Indians used to call "majella," whose song by day and by twilight both to mate and young was one continuous whispering of "Here, love! Love here! Here, love! Love here!" Oh, the beautiful voices of blending harmonies heard in the choruses of the woods! Who can ever listen to them and not find a symbol of man's spiritual beauty? "In tune with the infinite."

"In Tune With the Infinite."  
But what, according to the law of sound, do we mean by being "in tune with the infinite"? I went hunting some time ago. As I lay in a dugout by a water hole, hidden by the leaves, waiting for the birds to come down to drink, I asked myself these questions: What is music? Why is it that all these voices of the woods have such a wonderful influence over me? Why does not the harsh call of the fish-monger hawking his food at my city door, or the deep voice of the fog horn on shipboard off the banks of Newfoundland, or the rasp of a saw, or the whining cry of a spoiled child, enchant me as now do the voice signals of the pheasants, which I can now see way off under yonder trees, or the chirp of the swallows flying over my head, or the beautiful sounds that come to my ear as the harpists of the winds finger the long, slender vines as though they were harp strings? I know that some of the repellent grates I have heard from the Wagnerian Richard Wagner has reproduced in his matchless opera. I know the deep voice of the fog horn calls and the

and swells and dies away in the choruses of many a great musical master. I know the rasp of a saw can become part of a lullaby or of a martial march. Then why are not these different sounds at all times pleasing to my ear?

In order to answer the questions I made a study of the laws of musical sound. Dudley Buck, the great American composer, taught me that "sweet music was merely a succession of combinations of sound arranged with such connection and mutual relations as to express to the ear some distinct form or train of thought and awaken certain corresponding emotions." He told me that music is thought expressed in sound, even as a great painting is thought expressed in color. A jumble of colors is a daub, not a picture. A riot of sounds, promiscuously pushing and jostling each other, even as the stronger limited members of a stampeding mob knock down and trample upon the weaker, is merely a collection of discords. It is only when "multitudes of sounds" are marshaled together in "harmonious unity" that we have music. So when I began to know what true music meant then I said to myself: "Yes, yes; I now know what Ralph Waldo Trine means when he speaks of man being 'in tune with the infinite.' Man in himself may be so distracted by sin as to be like a discord in music. His voice in nature may be so discordant by reason of his corrupt condition as to rend the ear as does the shrill cry of the venter on the street. But when his nature is redeemed his voice falls into its right place in the song of creation and of Moses and the lamb and becomes harmonious and melodious. By the sweet voices of the woods blending in perpetual harmonies can you not catch the meaning of my text when King Solomon declares God hath made and will continue to make, according to the laws of music, everything 'beautiful in his time'?"

Thought Expressed in Sound.  
The symmetries of straight lines and curves in sculpture and architecture also form analogies for man's spiritual beauty. Wandering among the famous buildings of Europe, I find that, architecturally, a great building has a symmetrical unity, just as a perfect statue is chiseled after the physical formations of a perfect man. Many years ago there was exhumed from the buried ruins of old Rome a marble leg, broken from off one of the statues of old, that broken fragment is still preserved in the Vatican. Michael Angelo, as a sculptor, used to study that leg by the day, the week, the month and the year, "because," said the great Italian master, "I consider that piece of stone the most perfect formation of physical anatomy ever carved by the chisel of man." So symmetrically perfect may the lines and the curves of a great group of statuary be that when you look at some of the best examples of sculpture in the Louvre, the Vatican or the British museum, the figures almost seem as though their lungs are breathing and their lips are ready to speak.

Now, the symmetrical laws observed in true sculpture are also found to exist in true architecture. A great builder like Christopher Wren did not start in to erect St. Paul's cathedral at haphazard. Every part of the walls, the dome and the capstone were carefully and harmoniously designed and properly proportioned before one spadeful of dirt was dug out of the heart of London earth to excavate the cellars of another architectural pride. The wonderful part of the masterfully designed buildings of Europe is how deceptive they are as to their size when first seen by the human eye. When one sees the dome of St. Peter's at Rome lifting itself toward the skies, or the spires of the Cologne cathedral like the uplifted forefingers of an orator pointing heavenward, or the roof of the Milan cathedral propped with the myriads of saints and apostles carved in stone, the lengths and the breadths and the heights of those structures rarely impress the tourist at first. Why? Because all are in perfect symmetrical proportion. A truly great building is "multitudes of stones arranged in unity." It is thought expressed in stone, as a painting is thought expressed in colors, or as music is thought expressed in sound.

Now, as true architecture is beautiful thought expressed in the lines of the roof and the walls and the foundation stones of a building, I would go one step further in my subject. I would say to the designers of the great Episcopalian cathedral now being built in New York city: "Oh, architects, of what material are you building these walls? Where are to be found the mighty beams to hold up yonder roof?" Then these architects take me down into the quarries, and amid the dust and the fire of the mighty rocks being hewed out, they take me to the foundries where the steel beams are being molded. Then they take me out into the forests where the great tree trunks are being dragged to the sawmills. Then they say: "Oh, preacher, we are making this beautiful Cathedral of St. John the Divine out of such materials as these. All these rocks and steel beams and tree trunks, a multitude of different elements, shall blend together in beautiful architectural unity." Then I turn to the architects and say: "Oh, designers, if you can make yonder stone beautiful by placing it in symmetrical harmony with other stones, cannot my Lord and my God make redeemed man beautiful when he becomes part of the heavenly temple by union with Jesus Christ? For I saw no temple therein, for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are the temple of it." As the apostle says, "Ye also as living stones are built up a spiritual house." Is the one achievement from an earthly standpoint any more wonderful than the second achievement from a heavenly

standpoint? Yes, I see today, by the beautiful in architecture, analogies that show that God has made and God is now making and will continue to make redeemed man beautiful in his time.

Let us linger for a little while in the "poets' corner" of Westminster abbey. As we listen the sweet barbs of the English language seem to lift their heads from their pillows of dust and begin to sing, and we find man's spiritual beauty in the analogies of poetry as well as in painting and music and sculpture and architecture. For as painting is rhythm in color and music is rhythm in sound and sculpture and architecture are rhythm in stone, so poetry is rhythm in words. Aye, poetry is more than mere rhythm. An English writer once well said, "Poetry in the flower garden of human language is the blossom and the fragrance of all human knowledge, human thoughts, human passions and emotions." It is man's most transcendent hopes and noblest ambitions, with the highest peak of the Mount of Ascension for a footstool, or it is man's wall of eternal despair when, as the results of his sins, he is heading toward a Dante's "Inferno" or he is compelled to join in the moans of a Milton's "Paradise Lost."

The Beauty of Words.  
But though poetry is rhythm in words, yet words themselves, as individuals, are not poetry. Many years ago in the old village of Ayr, high up to the banks of the "Bonnie Doon," I heard an old Scotchman recite "John Anderson, My Jo, John," and other poems of the great lyric poet until the tears rained down his cheeks, and I thought those poems were the sweetest words ever composed by man. But the words Burns used in his poems, and Longfellow used in his poems, and Whitlister and Holmes and Lowell and Bayard Taylor used in their poems, were for the most part only the simple words we use in everyday life by our own friends. The beauty of these poets' words are entirely due to their juxtaposition with their surrounding words. The words which express our thoughts, our passions, our emotions, may not be beautiful in themselves, but if they are brought into rhythm with God's words they not only become poetry, but they become beautiful, for then our thoughts are words are in symmetry with God's thoughts.

But perhaps we have lingered already too long among the artists and the musicians and the sculptors and the architects and the poets to find man's spiritual beauty by being in symmetry with God's thoughts. Perhaps after all we can clinch the truth of our text best by a short running comment upon a few of the verses which precede the words, "He hath made everything beautiful in his time." God says that man is beautiful when he is born. Oh, yes, that means when man is born for Christ. But is man beautiful when he is born for sin? Come with me, and I will show you Robespierre gleefully sharpening the ax of his guillotine. I will show you an Indian demon just for fun torturing a victim at the stake whose scalp will soon be hanging at the warrior's belt. I will show you men who for the price of a drink are ready to sell their sons and daughters into a life of crime. Can you see any beauty in the birth of a demoniac Frankenstein? There is a "time to die," which is beautiful. Death, if it comes in God's way, is beautiful, for then a dying saint knows death is not annihilation, but coronation, irradiation and eternal triumph. Like old Senator Foote, when dying he can look at the rapturous glories ahead and cry: "Beautiful! Beautiful! Beautiful!" But was the death of Nero beautiful? Was the death of Thomas Paine beautiful? Was the death of Jesus beautiful? The next moment blaspheming God, until his relations, in horror, placed their fingers in their ears and ran from his howling blasphemous agonies?

The Redemption of John.  
Are you and I ready to become part of God's beautiful creation? Are we ready to become beautiful in ourselves by becoming beautiful in him? Even the lowest and vilest, saved by his grace and redeemed by his blood, can become a true part of Christ's beautiful life. Many years ago when the yellow fever plague was raging in Memphis, Tenn., a rough looking man applied to the city relief committee and said: "I wish to nurse." It was at a time when most people who could were fleeing from the stricken and desolated homes. The death carts seemed to be going everywhere. At first the physician declined the rough man's services, but as he could get no one else to do the work this man was sent to one of the most filthy and dangerous wards of the city. Wherever he went he was a messenger of love. He would not tell his name; he said simply, "Call me John." Time passed on and after awhile John, whose name was now famous through the city, sickened and died. While his body was being prepared for an unmarked grave, suddenly upon his arm was found a livid mark, which proved that John was an ex-convict. John had been one of the most dangerous criminals of all the south. Once he was a murderer, but now, through the blood of Jesus, he became a ministering angel. Malformation. Now he was made beautiful by bringing his life in symmetrical touch with Jesus' life. My friends, will you not let Christ fill you with his spiritual beauty? Will you not only in the future be spiritually beautiful, but beautiful now in your present life? Will you not become transformed as was John, the redeemed nurse, laboring for his Master in plague stricken Memphis?

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A fine farm of 400 acres within one mile of Pembroke, Ky. Ninety five acres in fine timber. This farm is well fenced with hedge and wire and divided into five tracts, on each of which is plenty of never failing water. This is one of the finest farms in the best farming section of Kentucky, well adapted to corn wheat, tobacco and all kinds of grasses. There is no better stock farm in the country, improvements first class and in perfect repair, fine two-story frame dwelling with nine rooms, veranda in front and porches in rear, four frame tenant houses, two large new tobacco barns, two grainaries with capacity for 10,000 bushels of a heat, large stables, cow houses, tool house, carriage and ice house, two large cisterns, in fact an ideal farm with a beautiful lawn of four acres in front of house. One of the most desirable farms in the state, in one of the best neighborhoods, convenient to schools, churches and good market. The land is in first-class condition. Will be sold on easy terms to suit purchasers.

512 acres in tract, 400 acres in cultivation, ground lies very level and is a very rich soil. Produced last year 75 bu. corn per acre, 21 bu. wheat per acre, and 1,000 to 2,000 lbs. of tobacco per acre. There are 225 acres of this farm in red clover.

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This place can be bought for only \$45.00 per acre, \$10,000.00 cash and balance on very easy terms, with 6 per cent. interest.

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Good farm of 160 acres, 2 miles from Bennettsburg Ky. Good house 8 rooms, tenant house, good well, large tobacco barn, good frame stable, 23x30 feet, 40 acres in fine timber, good level land and a desirable farm, convenient to schools and churches and on good road.

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Valuable store room on Main street. One of the best business locations in the city.

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Large two-story house and two acres of ground fronting on first street and running back to the river











## PANIC AMONG THE CERULEAN GUESTS

**BIG BUILDING NEAR HOTEL BURNS.**

## TWO NARROW ESCAPES

**Ball Room, Bowling Alley and Barbershop Go Up in Smoke.**

From Wednesday's Daily.  
Fire at Cerulean Springs at an early hour this morning destroyed the big building back of the hotel. The loss will aggregate \$2,000, with little, if any, insurance. Two men who were sleeping in the place had narrow escapes.

The building, which was a frame structure, contained the ballroom, bowling alley, barbershop and bath-rooms. Nothing was saved. A piano was in the property burned in the dance hall.

About 1:15 o'clock, a guest discovered a blaze in one part of the building, and it is supposed it originated from a cigar stump. An alarm was sounded, and, owing to the proximity of the burning structure to the hotel, there was something of a panic among the ninety-five guests.

Splendid work by the employees of the hotel and others under the direction of Capt. R. S. Pool, prevented the flames from spreading to the main building.

James Mitchell, assistant clerk, and the colored barber, named Owen, who had rooms in the building, were awakened just in time to escape in their night clothes.

### Dogwood Doings.

—Died, Aug. 26, Mrs. Della Oates. She was the wife of Mr. W. R. Oates, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of North Christian. Mrs. Oates suffered from enlargement of the liver, and had been sick about two weeks, when death came to relieve her from her pain. The remains were laid to rest in Hopewell cemetery Saturday evening. We extend our deepest sympathy to the sorrowing friends.

—A protracted meeting will begin at the Baptist church here the third Sunday night in September. It will be conducted by Revs. B. F. Hyde and C. L. Roberts.

—Mr. Willie H. Clark will leave Thursday with Co. D to visit the World's Fair at St. Louis.

—Misses Carrie Underwood and Laura Jones spent last Sunday with Miss Rosa King.

—Mr. George White, of St. Louis, visited his father's family recently.

—Misses Cora and Carrie Haddock spent Saturday night with Mr. Harry Haddock's family.

—Mr. Tom King's little child has been quite sick with diphtheria, but is better now.

—Miss Maude Rogers, of St. Charles is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Dee Harrison and Mrs. Etta Vincent.

—Mr. Charles West and family, of Hopkinsville, visited Mr. J. W. Underwood's family Sunday.

—Mrs. John White, of Little River, spent Sunday with relatives in this community.

### Administrator's Sale.

We will on Thursday, Sept. 8th, on the premises of J. B. Williams, deceased, near Huffman's Mill, offer for sale the following:

Six good work mules.

Two head horses.

Twelve head of cattle including milk cows.

Twelve stock hogs.

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## HEALTH BOARD URGES VACCINATION OF EVERYBODY IN CHRISTIAN COUNTY

**Disease Has Developed in a Number of Localities and Immediate Steps Must Be Taken to Prevent Its Spread.**

Now that the schools have or soon will be opened the county board of health urges upon all citizens who have not been vaccinated the importance of having it done at once. Several localities throughout the county now have fully developed cases of smallpox, mostly among the colored population.

The negroes are very lax about reporting smallpox cases and numbers of instances are known where the patient recovered without the case ever having been reported. In the meantime the other members of the family were going about their usual daily duties, some of them probably being employed as cooks or nurses in families where there were children who had not been vaccinated. In this way the disease gained a

wide spread over the county.

Wherever the vaccination has taken thoroughly no trouble has been experienced with such persons. In the Gracey neighborhood every person who was found without a scar was vaccinated when the disease first appeared there several weeks ago. Of course however there were numbers of colored persons who were missed by the physicians and when the disease broke out in the neighborhood the second time these unvaccinated persons were the sufferers.

Cases are known where negro children who had been vaccinated slept in the same bed with those who had the disease and suffered no ill effects. This ought to be sufficient proof that vaccination is a sure preventive for smallpox.

## BIG BATTLE IS BEING WAGED

**Japanese Attacks Were Repelled Yesterday.**

(Cablegram.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 31.—Gen. Kuropatkin's army repelled the Japanese attacks yesterday at Liao Yang.

A great battle is thought to be in progress today, but wires are down and no reports have been received.

The biggest battle of the war between Russia and Japan is in progress near Liao Yang and may continue for several days. The armies are equally matched in point of numbers and it is estimated at St. Petersburg that about 400,000 men are engaged in the conflict, which is generally referred to as the decisive battle of the war. The official news tells little of the strategic situation, and there is no estimate of the casualties. There

has been desperate fighting on the southern center of the Russian forces and the Japanese seem to be endeavoring to turn the Russian right flank. The fighting on the west is said to have approached within three miles of Liao Yang. Citizens of that town are watching the battle from towers and house-tops.

### TEMPLARS AT FAIR.

(Special to New Era.)

WORLD'S FAIR, St. Louis, Aug. 21.—The Kentucky Knight Templar special train, carrying Marion Commandery, of Lebanon, Ky., Knights from Madisonville, Earlington, Paducah, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Bowling Green, Carlisle, Mayesville, Millersburg, Danville, Greensburg, Campbellsville, Lexington, Springfield and Versailles, arrived yesterday on time, and the day spent on the World's Fair grounds. All registered at the Kentucky building. There are 220 in the party. They left last night at 10 o'clock via the Missouri Pacific, arriving at San Francisco Monday morning.

## NOTES ABOUT PEOPLE.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mr. E. R. Tandy, of Clarksville, is in the city.

Mr. Robert Shaw, of Cerulean, is in the city.

Mr. John Stites, of Louisville, is in the city.

Miss Inez Moore left yesterday for a two week's trip East.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador left today for Springfield, Tenn.

Mr. John Thomas has returned from a trip to Cerulean Springs.

Miss Evie Nash left yesterday for Elmo where she will visit friends.

Miss Nina Thomas has returned to Clarksville after a visit to friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams, of Church Hill, have returned from St. Louis.

Mrs. Clarence Hodge, of McLeansboro, Ill., is visiting Mrs. D. F. Smithson.

Miss Eula Richards, who has been visiting near Church Hill, has returned home.

Miss Harriet Keys, of Helena, Ark., is visiting Mrs. Walter Lackey at the asylum.

Maj. John D. Anderson, of Nashville, president of the Empire Coal company, is in the city.

Mr. Harry Claggett, of Decatur, Ill., is visiting his brother, Mr. Ward Claggett, near the city.

Miss Juka Stewart has returned to her home at Madisonville after a visit to Miss Daisy Nolen.

Miss Lucy Crenshaw, of Earlington, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Crenshaw on South Main St.

Miss Nellie Alexander, of Fulton, Ky., is the pleasant guest of Mrs. Dr. W. M. Hill, on South Main St.

Misses Meme Smith and Hettie Belle Fuqua, Owensboro, are guests of Mr. Thomas Fuqua at the asylum.

Miss Lamb, of Greenville, Ky., arrived in the city yesterday and will be the guest of Miss Stowe at Julien.

Miss Nellie Alexander, of Fulton, is visiting Miss Mary Cayce, at Mrs. W. M. Hill's on South Main street.

Misses Tommie Wallace and Rosa Well have gone to Hopkinsville on a several weeks' visit.—Paducah Register.

Mr. M. M. Phillips, of Georgia, arrived in the city last night, and will re-enter South Kentucky college this session.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Coulter, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in the city this morning to visit the family of Mr. Eugene Wood.

Mr. Chas. W. Head, of Paris, Tenn., arrived in the city this morning and will re-enter South Kentucky college this session.

Miss Jean Pollard, of St. Bethlehem, will leave Wednesday for Hopkinsville where she will enter Bethel Female college.—Clarksville Star.

Rev. J. D. Armistead and wife, who have been visiting in the city for several weeks, will leave for their home in Nashville tomorrow morning.

Misses Edna Adams, Beulah Adams, Lizzie Foard, Maggie Foard, Mrs. Sue Brannon, Messrs. Eli and James Adams, of Church Hill left yesterday for St. Louis.

Mr. Gladstone Cayce, of Huntsville, Ala., who has been visiting the World's Fair for several weeks, will return tomorrow and re-enter South Kentucky college next week.

Mr. Eugene Ray, of Atlanta, arrived in the city last night and will leave Thursday night for St. Louis with Co. D, having recently been appointed by Gov. Beckham regimental sergeant major.

Mr. Francis Marion Girard, who has been staying at the residence of his late uncle, James A. McKenke for several months has gone to Louisville where he will enter school next Monday. He is a fine young man and we predict for him a bright future. He will board with Mrs. Rawls who is well known in this city. His mother is matron of the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley.

## STUNTS WITH A GUN

**WONDERFUL EXHIBITION OF FANCY SHOOTING.**

**How Capt. Bartlett Puzzled a Cow.—A Big Crowd Out.**

From Wednesday's Daily.

A large crowd was at the grounds of the Hopkinsville Gun club yesterday afternoon to witness fancy shooting by Capt. George E. Bartlett, ex-deputy United States marshal and scout of South Dakota, and the expectation of seeing something fine in this line was fully realized. Capt. Bartlett represents the Peters Cartledge Co., and the King Powder Co., of Cincinnati.

One of his feats was shooting soft noted bullets through pieces of boiler plate steel an eighth of an inch in thickness while the objects were thrown in the air. The bullets cut holes in the heavy steel as smoothly as if drilled. He did fancy shooting by the aid of mirrors and also shot at small objects thrown into the air, using for this purpose an ordinary 22 calibre rifle. After shooting two hundred rounds from the rifle Capt. Bartlett invited the crowd to look through the barrel, which after all this shooting was as bright and clean looking as if the gun had been freshly cleaned.

An amusing feature of the event was when a cow which was grazing in Sharp's field came close to where Capt. Bartlett was doing his shooting and began to crop the grass. The captain had just reloaded the magazine of his rifle and he began firing into the ground within a few inches of the cow's nose. At first the animal did not pay much attention to the bullets but when they kept singing so close to her she turned and started off but the bullets began striking on that side and for a few seconds she was kept turning about looking more and more surprised all the time, until at last she kicked her heels into the air and went off as fast as she could go, the bullets still keeping her company.

Capt. Bartlett also did some shooting with the shot gun. He used an ordinary pump gun and after he had thrown a tin can into the air himself he put six charges of shot into it before it could reach the ground.

After the fancy shooting was completed the traps were started and several members of the gun club as well as Capt. Bartlett shot at the targets.

### Big Potato.

Prof. P. T. Frazer, principal of the colored M. & F. college, brought to this office this morning a mammoth Irish potato which measured nine inches in length and weighed fifteen ounces.

### Passes Examination.

Mr. W. H. Everett has received formal notification that he passed successfully the examination before the state board of examiners and has been awarded a certificate of proficiency.

### New Elks.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Messrs. Thos. J. McReynolds and James Wootten were last night initiated into the mysteries of the Elks lodge. There was a pleasant social session after business had been all transacted.

### Will Marry.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Marriage license has been issued to Mr. William C. Parker and Miss Ida Riley. The ceremony will be pronounced tomorrow night at the Christian church at Macedonia by the Rev. T. D. Moore, of this city.

### Joined in Wedlock.

Mr. John Dave Rogers and Miss Ollie Gibson, a popular North Christian couple, were married on August 28 at Carl.

## ELGIN SUCCESSFUL.

**Induces Dr. Howard Company to Make Special Price.**

After a great deal of demand correspondence Mr. L. L. Elgin, the popular druggist, has succeeded in getting the Dr. Howard Co. to make a special half price introductory offer on the regular 50c size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

This medicine is a recent discovery for the cure of all diseases of the stomach and bowels. It not only gives quick relief but it makes permanent cures.

Dr. Howard's specific has been so remarkably successful in curing constipation, dyspepsia and all liver troubles that Mr. Elgin is willing to return the price paid in every case where it does not give relief.

—112wa

### MRS. LYON DEAD.

(Special to New Era.)

ELKTON, Ky., Aug. 30.—Mrs. Lyon, wife of Hon. P. A. Lyon, of Daysville, is dead, aged 78 years.

### Quick Work.

From Wednesday's Daily.

An alarm of fire was turned in last night about 1 o'clock from the residence of Frank Dennis on North Main street. The department responded at once and soon extinguished the blaze. The fire originated in the kitchen and burned through one end of the building but the damage is slight.

### Tobacco Men Organize.

A meeting of planters and all others interested in the matter of advancing the price of tobacco is called to be held at the Fair Grounds at Guthrie, Ky., on Saturday, September 24th, at 10 a. m.

Chas. H. Fort, President Clarksville District Tobacco Growers' Association.

## IS LYNCHED IN JAIL

**NEGRO FOUND DEAD IN HIS CELL**

**Deep Mystery Surrounds Hanging of a Rapist in Texas.**

(Special to New Era.)

WEIMER, Tex., Sept. 1.—While incarcerated in jail, Oscar Lee Tucker, a 17-year-old negro, under arrest for attempted rape, has been mysteriously lynched. The officers are unable to determine just when or how the act was committed. Miss Schults the 19-year-old daughter of a wealthy farmer, was attacked by Tucker. He was arrested soon after and placed in jail. Three hours later when the officers went to the cell to take the prisoner into court, they found him hanging by his neck dead. The cage had not been broken into but he had a forty foot rope around his neck and his head was drawn up to a hole in the cell about eight inches in width and not over four feet from the floor, used to pass food through to the prisoners. His feet were tied close to his body with cords. There is no clew to the perpetrators.

## MASTODON'S BONE

**Portion of Prehistoric Animal Found Near Henderson.**

While on a fishing expedition during last week Fayette Dennison discovered a bone which is quite a curiosity. It is fourteen inches long, weighs four and one-half pounds and measures about three inches in diameter. The discovery was made below the island about three miles below Henderson in the neighborhood where other large bones have been found. It is probably a portion of a mastodon's massive frame.—Henderson Journal.

## ALTON B. PARKER says:

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THE WORLD Elected Cleveland.

"It may be said without reservation that if the Democratic party in my first campaign had lacked the forceful and potent advocacy of Democratic principles at that time by the NEW YORK WORLD the result might have been reversed."—Grover Cleveland's Letter to The World, May 10, 1904.

Bryan on THE WORLD.

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## BACACHE AND DIZZINESS.

Of the Ailments Peculiar to the Female Sex are Due to Catarrh of Pelvic Organs.



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99 Eleventh Street, Milwaukee, Wis.  
"A short time ago I found my condition very serious, I had headaches, pains in the back, and frequent dizzy spells which grew worse every month. I tried two remedies before Peruna, and was discouraged when I took the first dose, but my courage soon returned. In less than two months my health was restored."—Mrs. M. Brickner.

The reason of so many failures to cure cases similar to the above is the fact that diseases peculiar to the female sex are not commonly recognized as being caused by catarrh. Catarrh of one organ is exactly the same as catarrh of any other organ. What will cure catarrh of the head will also cure catarrh of the pelvic organs. Peruna cures these cases simply because it cures the catarrh.

If you have catarrh write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of Sanitarium, etc.

## Ruined.

Mr. Jason Epps, colored, came from an alley way and sank upon the nearest doorstep. His proud head dropped upon the broad bosom of his pink-striped shirt, and in this attitude of despair he was found by one of his friends.

"What's the matter wid you, Jase? Is looking beat out."  
"I is," replied Mr. Epps mournfully. "I've down on mah luck."  
"Been shootin' de bones?"  
"Yes sah."  
"Ain't dey comin' right?"  
"Ain't comin' at all."  
"What did the gang do to you?"  
"Dey wiped me out."  
"Shoo, is dat so?" This in a tone of gloved surprise.  
"Yes, sah, dey cleaned me clean."  
"How much did dey git?"  
"Forty cents."

## DIVORCED FOLKS

Over Fifty Thousand in the United States.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 30.—In a list compiled by the United States census bureau, Indianapolis stands sixth among the principal cities of the country in the number of divorced persons. Indianapolis has 1,361 divorced persons among its inhabitants, 612 men and 749 women. Chicago stands first with 4,341 and New York second, with 2,145. The divorced women outnumber the divorced men in nearly all of the twenty-six cities given. The total number of divorced persons in the United States is 51,538, of whom 25,305 are women and 26,233 are men.

## WAR NEWS.

LONDON, Eng., August 30.—The Japanese forces under Gen. Kuroki engaged in battle with Gen. Kuropatkin's troops near Liao Yang. The Russians are falling back, and military experts believe a decisive battle will be fought at Liao Yang, where Gen. Kuropatkin has strong fortifications. A dispatch from Harbin says the Russians lost 10,000 killed and wounded in the fighting of August 25 and 26. Gen. Rottmeyer was killed in the engagement. Both sides are believed to have suffered heavily, though there is no official statement. The Japanese are in the hands of the Japanese. The Japanese are in the hands of the Japanese.

## ONLY THE GROWERS

CAN CONTROL PRICES OF TOBACCO.

Mr. Ross, of Rossview, Writes On the Dark Belt Situation.

TO THE NEW ERA:—

I want to say that I am heartily in sympathy with "Cactus" in his effort to help the tobacco growers. Tho' I can not exactly agree with his view that "warehouses are the only means by which competition and better prices may be secured for the growers."

Warehouses certainly are one of the important and powerful means by which growers may secure better prices, but not the only, or even the best means to secure fair and reasonable prices for their tobacco. The best help and relief for the growers lies in themselves. The growers can really control prices of our great staple. The warehouses are and always have been their best friends, and should be helped and encouraged in every way that is fair and legitimate but farmers themselves can actually control prices. For each year "the great staple" is actually in the possession of the growers. They can, if they only will, claim and demand remunerative prices for the results of their labor. Some man may say "But how?" My answer is: In exactly the same way that other workers claim and get fair prices for their labor.

The anthracite coal strikers of Pennsylvania claimed and got their reasonable demands. They simply "stood together as one man" and refused the wages offered them by the operators, and would not work for them until they got their demands.

They got the government of the United States and then J. P. Morgan and finally the operators themselves, to agree to their terms. Then the battle was won. I do not propose for us farmers to adopt all the methods of the strikers but we certainly can learn from them that it is essential for us to "stand together as one man."

I do not propose to go into the history of the great strike, but will simply state the fact, that they stood together and finally obtained their just demands. It cost great suffering and great denial but I think it was worth all it cost.

If tobacco growers will they can do likewise, but it is sure to cost them something. For us farmers simply to get together and "resolve and resolve" and then go home and "fall over one another" to get and take the first offer that the gentle buyer will give them will not do it. They must have some of the grit of the strikers, who are generally poor men—poorer than farmers.

The farmers must ask a fair price for their tobacco and hold firm until they get it. Growers should help the warehouses and the warehouses should help the growers. If they cannot get the fair price they had better "prize" and hold 'til they get it.

If tobacco growers will just stand together like some other working people do, they can win, "with hands down." But just to get in some courthouse and "resolve and resolve" and then go home and sell out for the first price without regard to the interest of any one but themselves, they will not win.

Let us learn from other working people who contend for fair returns for the results of their labor. There is a great fight being made now by the meat packers from which we might learn something.

So far as I am able to learn, the employers of the meat packers of Chicago and Omaha propose to reduce the wages of their 50,000 employees from 15¢ cents per hour to 17¢ cents per hour or about 8 cents per day at the same time the same firms have forced down the price of cattle in the hands of farmers; and up the price of meat to consumers.



COLONEL YOUNGHUSBAND, WHO WENT TO LASSA.

Colonel Francis Edward Younghusband, head of the British Tibetan expedition, who has been attracting attention for some time on the "roof of the world," is a veteran officer nearly all of whose military life has been spent in Asia. Now that Colonel Younghusband has reached Lassa, the Tibetan capital, Great Britain has given the world assurance that the object of the expedition was simply to insure the integrity of Tibet.

This is a fair sample of what the trusts are doing, and of what tobacco growers may expect. The trust has forced down the price of tobacco nearly one half from what it used to be and put up price of manufactured tobacco.

The trusts put up the price of beef to the consumers—they put down the price of cattle and they propose to put down the wages of their employees. This great machine cuts three ways. It cuts the farmer, it cuts the employees, and it cuts the poor consumer.

It is a shame, "a measly shame" as the song says, and if it is not stopped the men who are running the government at Washington will be hurled from power.

We tobacco growers may expect to get the same treatment—in fact we are getting some of it now; and we will get more of it if we do not make a fight, and stand together as other workers are doing.

This great tobacco trust is capitalized at \$570,000,000. Think of that! That is enough to buy congress and have laws made to suit themselves. Let us do all we can to help Messrs. Ewing, Gaines and the warehouses make the fight. We can win if we true to ourselves and to them. I suggest that we have some means of deciding what is a fair price and then let him be "Anathema Maranatha" who sells for less.

It looks like each civil district could have a hard-headed, shrewd farmer who would examine each crop and decide what is a fair and reasonable price for it, and then prize and send to the warehouse, unless they get a reasonable price.

I believe this would help to cure the present evil, and be a beginning that would do a great good in the future. Why cannot growers stand together as other classes do? One of those meat packers would not dare take less than a reasonable price for his labor—neither should any farmer.

I applied to several insurance companies in Clarksville for insurance to cover tobacco which I intended to ship abroad. I was refused by all the agents, some of them stating "that they had strict instructions not to insure any tobacco in the country for any parties except the Regies." I cannot give the names of these agents but I can testify to the facts.

The fact that I could not get insurance on tobacco at my place of business prevented me from buying and thereby prevented competition. I will state that after this agitation in the press and among planters and a fuss was made about this discrimination I was offered insurance on my tobacco, but it was too late to accomplish anything for this year's business. Very respectfully,

E. B. ROSS, Rossview, Montgomery Co., Tenn.

## NOTED CHURCHMAN

(Special to New Era)

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The Archbishop of Canterbury, Primate of England, has landed in New York. His mission in this country has no public significance beyond his desire for closer unity in promoting the common work of the church.

## MOB DROWNS NEGRO IN THE MISSISSIPPI

Joe Bumpus Taken From The Jail at Hickman.

HAD ASSAULTED GIRL.

(Special to New Era)

HICKMAN, Ky., Aug. 30.—Joe Bumpus, a negro who assaulted Catherine Clay, a fifteen-year-old girl last week, was taken from the Fulton county jail by a mob this morning at one o'clock and thrown into the Mississippi river and drowned.

## BENT ON LYNCHING

(Special to New Era)

DANVILLE, Va., Aug.—Police Officer J. J. Hall was shot and seriously wounded by Jack Dillard, a desperate negro, outlaw in this state and North Carolina. Officers had been on the track of the negro for a week. A mob estimated at a thousand men are now hunting for the negro and if he is captured a lynching may result.

Officer Hall will probably die. He was shot in the left breast.

The search for the negro has been kept up all night. There is considerable excitement. William Carter, colored, has been arrested. He is shot through the hand. He was with Dillard at the time of the trouble. The negro has been taken to Chatham, the county seat, for safe keeping. Hall says that he wounded the negro who shot him. No trouble is anticipated unless Dillard is arrested.

## WILL ATTEND

Triennial Convention of Episcopal Church.

Kentucky will be well represented at the triennial convention of the Episcopal church which will begin in Boston, Mass., October 4. The delegates from the clergy of the Diocese of Kentucky are the Rev. Dr. Charles Ewell Craik, dean of Christ Church Cathedral; the Rev. John K. Mason, of St. Andrew's church; the Rev. Dr. J. J. Minnigerode, of Calvary church and the Rev. Dr. Revord Estill, of St. Paul's church. The lay delegates are William A. Robinson, Alvah Terry, Judge A. E. Richards, all of Louisville, and W. A. Rankin, of Henderson. The alternates are the Rev. L. W. Rose, Henderson; the Rev. George C. Abbott, Hopkinsville; the Rev. William K. Marshall, Owensboro; the Rev. Lloyd E. Johnston, Louisville.

Dr. Gray, the veterinary surgeon, of Bowling Green, will be in Hopkinsville Monday, Sept. 3, at Layne's stable on 9th street.

## MADE COMPLAINT

Postmaster at Dawson and the Souvenir Cards.

Charged a Lexington Man Two Cents Each For Transmission.

A Lexington newspaper man recently at Dawson Springs, Ky., made complaint to the postoffice department at Washington that the Dawson Springs postmaster had charged him two cents apiece for the transmission of fifteen souvenir postcards. He received a letter yesterday stating that the complaint had been received by the department and was being investigated.

Under the law, "post cards," which are distinguished from postal cards, may be of a size 8 1/2 by 5 1/2 inches and must not be smaller than the minimum size of the domestic postal card, 2 1/2 by 4 1/8 inches.

The postmaster at Dawson insisted that the size submitted, a post card of the maximum size, should bear a two-cent stamp before being transmitted, and required not only the Lexington man, but perhaps hundreds of other guests at Dawson, to pay a double price for the transmission of post cards. He was warned in advance by the Lexington man that complaint would be made to the department at Washington, but he insisted that he was correct.

One of the post cards on which a two-cent stamp was required by the Dawson Springs postmaster was submitted to the third assistant postmaster general, and he stated that it "was chargeable with one-cent postage."—Lexington Herald.

## SALT AND PEPPER

Fired by Consul in Queen's Sacred Body.

(Special to New Era)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 30.—Judge W. George O'Reilly, formerly known as "Zanzibar" O'Reilly, is dying in a hospital here. When United States consul at Zanzibar he became famous by firing a heavy charge of salt and pepper into the black body of the Queen of Zanzibar because she persisted in bathing in the waters surrounding consulate.

## BETS HIS LIFE

Against \$5 on the Presidential Election.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 30.—A wager, with death as its stake, has been laid by two colored politicians of this city, one betting \$5 on the election of Parker, the other pledging himself to commit suicide by jumping off the Eads bridge in case Roosevelt is defeated. The Roosevelt man, Americ Pates, has signed the following:

"To all who shall see these presents, greeting: Know ye that I, Americ Pates, being in good health and in my right mind, do hereby solemnly promise, with God as my witness, to end my earthly existence by leaping from the middle span of Eads bridge into the Mississippi river or below, one week (seven days) after the presidential election in November, A. D. 1904, if Theodore Roosevelt, Republican nominee, is not elected to fill the office of president of the United States of America for the ensuing four years."

This document, with the \$5 wagered by the Parker adherent, has been placed in the hands of a stakeholder.

## DUEL OVER GIRL

(Special to New Era)

MIDDLETOWN, Ky., Aug. 1.—John Fultz and Thos. Crawford, while in charge last night quarreled about a girl that both were in love with and the affair ended in a pistol duel in which Crawford was killed and Fultz was mortally wounded.

## SKIN DISEASES

Altoona, Pa., June 30, 1903.

I was afflicted with Tetter in bad shape. It would appear in blotches as large as my hand, a yellowish color, and some of you can imagine how offensive it was. For twelve years I was afflicted with this trouble. At night it was a case of scratch and many times no rest at all. Seeing the good the medicine was doing a friend who was taking it for Eczema, I commenced it, and as a result the eruption began to dry up and disappear, and to-day I am practically a well man. Only two tiny spots are left on the elbow and shin, where once the whole body was affected. I have every confidence in the medicine, and feel sure that in a short time these two remaining spots will disappear. S. S. S. is certainly a great blood purifier, and has done me a world of good. I am grateful for what it has accomplished, and trust that what I have said will lead others who are similarly afflicted to take the remedy and obtain the same good results that I have.

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While washes, soaps, salves and powders relieve temporarily, they do not reach the real cause of the disease. The blood must be purified before the cure is permanent. S. S. S. contains no poisons, arsenic or mineral of any description, but is guaranteed purely vegetable. Send for our book "The Skin and its Diseases," which is mailed free. Our physicians will cheerfully advise any who write us about their cases.

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

## DR. HERRAN IS DEAD

UNITED STATES MINISTER FROM COLUMBIA

With Secretary Hay He Signed the Panama Canal Treaty.

NEW YORK, Sep. 1.—Dr. Tomas Herran, who represented Colombia at Washington for several years, up to the time of the Panama incident, is dead at Liberty, N. Y. He had been ill for some time and went to Liberty in the hope that a sojourn there would aid in the restoration of his health.

Mr. Herran was educated in the United States and devoted his life largely to his country's foreign service. In his appointment as Colombian minister to the United States he rounded out his term of service, and at the same time achieved the unique distinction of becoming the accredited minister to a country he had once represented in a minor capacity.

Many years ago, while president of the University of Medellin, Mr. Herran was appointed and served as United States Consul agent to Medellin, Colombia. For ten years he represented his own country as consul to Hamburg, coming to Washington three years ago as secretary of the Colombian legation. During his service there, which continued until he was appointed minister to this country by his government to succeed former Minister Concha, he was practically the head of the legation. He was reappointed in January of the present year.

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Signature of J. C. Hartman



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tember.

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## Democratic Ticket.

For President,  
ALTON B. PARKER,  
of New York.

For Vice-President,  
HENRY G. DAVIS,  
of West Virginia.

For Congress,  
HON. A. O. STANLEY,  
of Henderson.

Judge Parker has written a letter  
to John G. Milburn, of Buffalo, mak-  
ing plain his attitude towards the  
Filipinos. He says: "I am heartily  
in accord with the plank in the Dem-  
ocratic platform which advocates  
treating the Filipinos precisely as we  
did the Cubans"

At the head of the editorial column  
of this week's issue of Puck appears  
the following ticket: "For Emperor,  
Theodore Roosevelt, of New York.  
For Prince Imperial, Charles War-  
ren Fairbanks, of Indiana. For  
President, Alton Brooks Parker, of  
New York. For Vice President,  
Henry Gasaway Davis, of West  
Virginia."

Senator Fairbank's tenacity in  
clinging to his office after being nomi-  
nated for vice president does not  
show the greatest confidence in the  
result of the November election, and  
its contrasts most forcibly with  
Judge Parker's resignation of a life  
position and a high salary, and his  
pledge never to accept a second term  
in case he should be elected.

The president ought to be delig-  
ated with an anti-vice bill be-  
fore the Georgia legislature. It pro-  
vides that no father shall pay a poll  
tax. Fathers of four children shall  
be given the title of captain and of  
six children the title of colonel by  
the state. Every father of ten chil-  
dren becomes ex-officio a member of  
the governor's staff. No bachelor  
will be entitled to vote. Probably  
the father of twenty children be-  
comes an admiral or major general.

President Amador's Panama has  
gotten up a mass meeting "to protest  
indignantly" against President  
Roosevelt's interpretation of the Pa-  
nama treaty, which is, virtually, that  
the Panama canal strip is the prop-  
erty of the United States for postal  
and customs services and all other  
financial relations. Amador is ap-  
parently too late. If the new doc-  
trine of "international unitary do-  
main" does not cover importations  
and communications, what on earth  
does it cover?

## HOW TO HOLD A HUSBAND.



The best known guide to married hap-  
piness is to hold the husband as you won the  
lover—by cheerfulness of disposition, pa-  
tience and keeping your youthful looks.  
Of course a great many women are handi-  
capped by those ills to which women are  
heir. The constantly recurring troubles  
which afflict her are apt to cause a sour  
disposition, nervousness and a beclouded  
mind.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, the specialist in woman's  
diseases, of Buffalo, N. Y., after a long ex-  
perience in treating such diseases, found  
that certain roots and herbs made into  
a liquid extract, would help the majority  
of cases. This he called Dr. Pierce's Fa-  
vorite Prescription. Thousands of women  
have testified to its merits, and it is put  
up in shape to be easily procured and  
is sold by all medicine dealers. This is  
a potent tonic for the womanly system.  
So much faith has Dr. Pierce in its merits  
that he offers \$500 reward for any case of  
Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Protrusion,  
or Falling of Womb, which he cannot  
cure. All he asks is a fair and reasonable  
trial of his means of cure.

Mrs. T. Dolan, of Madrid, Perkins Co., Neb.,  
writes: "I was cured of painful periods by the  
use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and  
his Compound Extract of Smart-Weed. I think  
Dr. Pierce's medicines the best in the world."  
"Favorite Prescription" makes weak  
women strong, sick women well. Accept  
no substitute for the medicine which works  
wonders for weak women.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Ad-  
viser is sent free on receipt of stamps to  
pay expense of mailing only. Send 21  
one-cent stamps for the paper-covered  
book, or 3 stamps for the cloth-bound  
volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, 655  
Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Republican campaign is be-  
gun, but the Democratic contest will  
be postponed till October. Judge  
Parker and his managers want short  
sharp fight, to be begun after the  
September elections, believing that  
it would be most fruitful in results.

A Boston woman left about a quart  
of diamonds in a London hotel  
and wired back to the proprietor,  
"Keep them until I come over next  
summer." What wonder that all  
Americans are looked upon as mil-  
lionaires?

**\$100 Reward, \$100.**  
The readers of this paper will be  
pleased to learn that there is at least  
one dreaded disease that science has  
been able to cure in all its stages,  
and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh  
Cure is the only positive cure now  
known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh  
being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treat-  
ment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken  
internally, acting directly upon the  
blood and mucous surfaces of the  
system, thereby destroying the founda-  
tion of the disease, and giving the  
patient strength by building up the  
constitution and assisting nature in  
doing its work. The proprietors  
have so much faith in its curative  
powers that they offer One Hundred  
Dollars for any case that it fails to  
cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co.,  
Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for con-  
stipation.

**Farmers' Fair.**  
The Guthrie Fair Association au-  
thorizes the statement that they will  
hold an agricultural and stock fair  
and combination stock sale on their  
grounds September 29 to October 1.

**Herbine**  
Renders the bile more fluid and thus  
helps the blood to flow; it affords  
prompt relief from biliousness, indi-  
gestion, sick and nervous headaches,  
and the over-indulgence in food and  
drink. Herbine acts quickly, a dose  
after meals will bring the patient in-  
to a good condition in a few days.  
G. L. Caldwell, Agt. M. K. & T. R.  
R., Checotah, Ind. Ter., writes April  
18, 1903: "I was sick for over two  
years with enlargement of the liver  
and spleen. The doctors did me no  
good, and I had given up all hope of  
being cured, when my druggist ad-  
vised me to use Herbine. It has  
made me sound and well." 50c. Sold  
by Ray & Fowler.

**Evidence Insufficient.**  
Deputy United States Marshal G.  
W. Saunders has returned from Hop-  
kinsville, where Thomas Law, Jr.,  
was tried Wednesday for the alleged  
selling of whisky in Caldwell county  
without a license. The evidence was  
not sufficient to hold him, so he was  
dismissed. Deputy Saunders arrest-  
ed Law last Monday.—Paducah  
News-Democrat.

**Puts An End to It All.**  
A grievous wall oftentimes comes as  
a result of unbearable pain from over-  
taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache,  
Liver complaint and Constipation.  
But thanks to Dr. King's New Life  
Pills they put an end to it all. They  
are gentle but thorough. Try them.  
Only 25c. Guaranteed by L. L.  
Elgin and Cook & Higgins Drug  
Store.

## PERSONAL

(From Friday's Daily.)

Mr. M. E. Bacon is at Cerulean.  
Mr. R. B. Douglas, of Nashville, is  
in town.

Squire W. B. Brewer, of Fairview,  
is in the city.

Dr. A. H. Tunks is at Cerulean for  
a week's stay.

Capt. J. Sol Fritz went to Earlington  
this morning.

Mr. Will A. Glass, wife and son  
are at Cerulean Springs.

Mrs. Walter Cox is in St. Louis at-  
tending the World's Fair.

Miss Hazel Kirk Moore, of Pulaski,  
Tenn., is visiting in the city.

Mrs. M. E. Rodgers has returned  
from a visit in the Casky neighbor-  
hood.

Mr. Hunter Wood, Sr., left today  
at noon on a business trip to Louis-  
ville.

Dr. Andrew Sargent went to Crofton  
this morning on professional busi-  
ness.

Mr. W. M. Moss, owner of the  
Clarksville Star, spent yesterday in  
the city.

Mrs. M. J. Underwood has gone to  
Madisonville to visit her sister, Mrs.  
Virginia Jones.

Miss Kate Manson has returned  
from a visit to Mrs. Walter Radford,  
near Pembroke.

Mrs. Edgar McPherson is visiting  
her mother, Mrs. Margaret Glass, in  
South Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hagen and Miss  
Ella Wicks have returned from the  
World's Fair at St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cum-  
mings, Jr., and Jack Seales are at-  
tending the World's Fair.

Misses Daisy Rice and Annie May  
Brasher and Mr. Waterson Brasher  
are visiting relatives at Crofton.

Mrs. Lucy McGowan, of Louis-  
ville, is the guest of Squire Alex  
Campbell's family, on North Main.

Price Waller, of Hopkinsville, vis-  
ited his aunt, Mrs. E. A. Chatten, of  
this city, Wednesday.—Earlington  
Bee.

Miss Annie Smithson will return  
this afternoon from a three months'  
visit to relatives and friends in Vir-  
ginia.

Mr. Jesse Ellis, of Clarksville, is  
here with the Clarksville baseball  
team in the capacity of traveling  
manager.

Sheriff E. G. Bannon, of Hayes-  
ville, was in the city yesterday en  
route home from Hopkinsville.—  
Henderson Gleaner.

Misses Mary and Rebecca Ander-  
son, of Ocala, Fla., who have been  
the popular guests of Mrs. Ethel  
Hale, have gone to Mayfield to visit  
relatives.

Ex-Senator J. W. Downer, of Hop-  
kinsville, is visiting friends in the  
city. Attorney F. L. Wilkinson,  
of Hopkinsville, is in the city.—Elk-  
ton Progress.

Miss Alice Lander, of Hopkins-  
ville, is visiting relatives at Salubria.

Mrs. S. Jameson visited relatives  
in Hopkinsville this week.—Pem-  
broke Journal.

Otto Lander, who has been in the  
army three years, has received an  
honorable discharge and is at home  
to visit his mother. He has been  
serving his country in the New Eng-  
land states.

Lieut. Ridley McLean, of the  
United States navy, Mr. Louis Mil-  
iken, of St. Louis, and Mr. Bruce  
Weathers and the Misses Carothers,  
of Elkton, have returned to Elkton  
after a visit to friends in this city.

Mr. William J. Bacon, of Mem-  
phis, Tenn., is in the city visiting  
friends. Mr. Bacon has resigned his  
position of superintendent of the  
Memphis office of the Associated  
Press and will go to Lebanon, Tenn.,  
this fall to study law at Cumberland  
University.

Mrs. Ida Allen Kennedy has as-  
sumed charge of Mrs. E. Keegan's  
millinery establishment and will  
manage the business during the ab-  
sence of the proprietor, who is at Ce-  
rulean for her health. Mrs. Kenned-  
y has had wide experience, and is  
one of the best milliners in the state.

Frank Purley, of Hopkinsville,  
spent several days here this week.

Mrs. Will Hancock and children and  
Miss Joy Carr, of Hopkinsville, are  
visiting the family of J. B. Bartee at  
Linton.

Mr. H. A. Thacker, who has  
a position in the asylum at Hop-  
kinsville, was in Cadiz yesterday.  
He was on his way to Roaring  
Springs on a week's vacation with  
friends and relatives.—Cadiz Record.

The Illinois Central will sell round  
trip tickets on each Wednesday and  
Saturday during the month of June,  
July, August and September to H.L.  
Springs, Ark., at rate of \$15.00 and  
to Eureka Springs, Ark., at rate of  
\$17.40. Return limit 60 days from  
date of sale.

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ALL  
KIDNEY  
AND  
BLADDER  
DISEASES

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE will positively cure any case  
of Kidney or Bladder disease that is not beyond the reach  
of medicine. No medicine can do more.

If you notice any irregularities, commence taking  
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A. H. Thurness, Mgr. Wills Creek Coal Co., Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted  
with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excrucia-  
ting pains. Other medicines only gave relief. After taking *Foley's Kidney Cure*  
the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones, etc.,  
and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. *Foley's  
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Two Sizes 50c & \$1.00. Refuse Substitutes.

An interesting Booklet, "All About The Kidneys" free for the asking  
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## Cures Eczema, Itching Humors, Pimples and Carbuncles.—Costs Nothing to Try.

B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) is  
now recognized as a certain and sure  
cure for eczema, itching, skin hu-  
mors, sores, scales, watery blisters,  
pimples, aching bones or joints, boils,  
carbuncles, pricking pain in the skin,  
old, eating sores, ulcers, etc. Botanic  
Blood Balm taken internally, cures  
the worst and most deep-seated cases  
by enriching, purifying and vitaliz-  
ing the blood, thereby giving a  
healthy blood supply to the skin.  
Botanic Blood Balm is the only cure  
to stay cured, for these awful, an-  
noying skin troubles. Heals every  
sore and gives the rich glow of health  
to the skin. Boils up the broken  
down body and makes the blood red  
and nourishing. Especially advised  
for chronic, old cases that doctors,  
patent medicines and hot springs  
fail to cure. Druggists, 5c. To prove  
B. B. B. cures, sample sent free and  
prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co.,  
Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble, and  
free medical advice sent in sealed  
letter.

## A Summer Cold.

A summer cold is not only annoy-  
ing but if not relieved pneumonia  
will be the probable result by Fall.  
One Minute Cough Cure clears the  
phlegm, draws out the inflammation,  
heals, soothes and strengthens the  
lungs and bronchial tubes. One  
Minute Cough Cure is an ideal rem-  
edy for the children. It is pleasant  
to the taste and perfectly harmless.  
A certain cure for Croup, Cough and  
Cold. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

## This Will Interest Mothers.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for  
Children, cure Feverishness, Bad  
Stomach, Summer Bowel Trouble,  
Teething Disorders, cleanse and regu-  
late the Bowels and destroy worms.  
They never fail. Over 30,000 testi-  
monials. At all druggists 25c. Sam-  
ple free. Address Allen S. Olmstead,  
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ing department. Tuition free to min-  
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es moderate. Next session begins  
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TIME CARD. Effective April 18th.  
NORTH. SOUTH.  
No 62 St Louis Express..... 9:50 a m No 51 St Louis Express..... 5:18 p m  
No 64 St Louis Fast Mail..... 9:47 p m No 53 St Louis Fast Mail..... 5:40 a m  
No 92 Chicago and New Orleans Limited..... 5:45 p m No 91 Chicago and New Orleans Limited..... 11:58 p m  
No 66 Hopkinsville Accom..... 5:40 a m No 65 Hopkinsville Accom..... 5:00 a m  
No 52 and 54 connect at St Louis for all points west.  
No 51 connects at Guthrie for Memphis line points as far south as Erin and for Louisville, Cincinnati and the east.  
No. 93 through sleepers to Atlanta, Macon, Jacksonville, St. August and Tampa, Fla. Also Pullman sleepers to New Orleans. Connects at Guthrie for points east and west.  
No. 92 runs through to Chicago and will not carry passengers to points south of Evansville, also carries through sleepers to St. Louis.

J. C. HOOD, Agt



# NEVER BRIGHTER WERE PROSPECTS OF DEMOCRATIC SUCCESS.

**Congressman Owsley Stanley Says That Parker Will Be Elected.**

While in Owensboro to deliver an address before the A. O. U. W. lodge, Congressman Stanley was interviewed by the Messenger.

He thinks there has not been a time in the history of the party when prospects for Democratic success were brighter than now. The one cause for alarm, he thinks, is a tendency to over confidence.

"I have been in New York," said he, "since the convention, and I learned something of the trend of public opinion there. And public opinion in New York City means more, much more, than what that city or that state will do on election day. New York is an index, a gauge of conditions in the Eastern and Atlantic states. It is a center for all that section and the men one hears talk there come from communities widely separated.

"I found there a general disgust at the erratic and uncorrelatedness, to use no harsher term, of Roosevelt. Parker is universally regarded as a safe and substantial choice.

"Where will our vote come from? From the regularly Democratic States. Well, we will carry New York and other eastern States. I think Massachusetts will go Democratic. We will put up a fine fight in Illinois, and there are half a dozen States that have not gone other than Republican for many years and will be in the right column this time."

When a horse picks up a nail in his foot what does the driver do? Does he whip the limping, lagging animal and force him along? Not unless he wants to ruin the horse. At once a sign of lameness he jumps down, examines the foot and carefully removes the cause of the lameness. What is called "weak stomach" is the lameness of the horse, only cured by removing the cause. This stimulates the stomach with "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery" you keep it going every day the condition is cured. A few doses sometimes cure the disorder of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition in perfect condition. Ninety-eight times in a hundred "Golden Medical Discovery" cures the worst ailments originating in disease of the stomach. It cures heartburn. It almost always cures constipation. To cure constipation use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They're

**First Day of School.**

While Barber Knapp, in Chicago (Inter Ocean.)

He is glad to go; how her blue eyes shine!

The longed-for day has come!

The world of school is opening;

She has no thought of home.

I keep her a moment; for, down in my heart,

There are tears she does not see;

Will never be just the same again,

Other to her or me.

My are always glad to go—ah, real!

Is the stern world's oldest rule;

But something goes that never returns

When the baby goes to school.

**In Second District.**

he election commissioners of the cities of the Second congressional district, with the names of the Democrats appearing first follow: Chris—L. C. Cravens, C. O. Prowse;—Don J. Head, C. H. Haggard;—W. W. Taber, Alton;—Henderson—S. A. Young;—Lockett; Hopkins—B. T. Al—W. Gardner, McLean—R. M. G. B. McKuen; Union—Buckman, W. G. Cromwell;—W. E. Bourland, W. M.

# FIREBUG TRAILED BY BLOOD- HOUNDS MAKES ESCAPE ON HORSE.

**Squire King's Big Tobacco Barn Burned, Together With 25,000 Pounds of the Weed and Farming Implements and Machinery.**

From Tuesday's Daily.

The mammoth barn of Squire Lee King at Barnes' postoffice in North Christian, was burned last night about 8:30 o'clock. Besides the structure itself, which was a very large one of the kind, about 25,000 pounds of tobacco and a lot of farming implements and machinery were destroyed. The loss will reach at least \$2,000 and it is thought the insurance had expired. This leaves Squire King without any place to house his large crop of tobacco which is now almost ready to cut.

Squire King thinks the fire was work of an incendiary and he telephoned here last night for blood hounds. When they arrived they took up a trail and followed it for a short distance when it was lost. It is believed the person making the trail mounted a horse at the point where the track was lost.

# LAUNDRESS BRINGS SUIT FOR \$10,000 AGAINST WESTERN ASYLUM

**Alleges in Petition That Her Hand Was Burned And Mashed in Machinery Started by One Of The Patients.**

From Tuesday's Daily.

The Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane was made defendant in a suit filed for \$10,000 filed this morning by Downer & Russell and Judge James Breathitt as attorneys for Nellie D. Leavelle, who claims that, during a former administration, she was badly hurt at the institution. The petition states that while the plaintiff was working in the laundry at the asylum on Sept. 1, 1908, in which she was regularly employed, one hand was caught between two heated and revolving rollers and so badly burned and mashed before she could extricate it that the member was permanently disabled. It is alleged in the petition that the accident was caused by a patient of the institution, who was regularly employed in the laundry notwithstanding his mental condition, starting the machinery while the plaintiff was pinning a cloth to the rollers.

# ASSESSOR BOB COOK READY TO BEGIN WORK ON SEPT. 1.

**Taxable Property Will Be Listed Fifteen Days Earlier Than Usual.**

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

County Assessor R. A. Cook, fresh from a summer spent in the mountains of Kentucky, will begin the work of taking the list of taxable property next Thursday, September 1. This is fifteen days earlier than usual, the work being formerly begun on Sept. 15. The lists will be taken as follows: District No. 1, by R. M. Meacham; district No. 2, by S. E. Everett; district No. 3, by O. N. Boyd; district No. 4, which is the city of Hopkinsville, by Assessor R. A. Cook; district No. 5, by O. A. Hamby.

Assessor Cook will be in his office on every Monday during the entire day so that persons having business with him may know where to find him.

# Early Risers The famous little pills. Victim of Consumption.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Miss Morenda Russell died yesterday afternoon at her home about seven miles from town on the Kirkmansville road, of consumption. She was thirty-two years of age and a sister of Mr. J. C. Russell. The remains were interred this afternoon in the burying ground at Ebenezer church.

**End of Bitter Fight.**

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes, of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by L. L. Elgin and Cook & Higgins Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

# Notes About People

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mrs. Walter S. Harned is visiting in Cincinnati.

Mrs. George E. Gary has returned from Dawson Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Claxton have returned from Old Point Comfort, Va.

Mr. LeRoy Taylor, of Memphis, is visiting the family of Mr. W. S. Moore at The Square.

Miss Fannie Rogers has returned from St. Louis, where she went to select her stock of fall millinery.

Misses Elizabeth and Laura Little have returned to Owensboro after a visit to the family of Judge Joe McCarroll.

Mrs. V. B. Olvey has returned from St. Joseph, Ky., where she has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Joe Bonbright.

Mrs. T. J. Baugh and little son, Thomas, and Miss Allie Davis have returned home after a visit to relatives in Greenville.

Mrs. T. Wallace Green and granddaughter, Miss Beatie Tarry, of Keokuk, Tenn., are guests of the family of Mr. Hunter Wood.

Mrs. Alice Russell left this morning for St. Louis in company with her son, Dr. Hugh C. Beasley and wife, of Bowling Green.

Mrs. J. R. Steele, formerly of Hopkinsville, has rented the Frank Wood residence on Franklin street and will open a first-class boarding-house.—Clarkeville Leaf-Chronicle.

Dr. J. M. Ferguson arrived in the city yesterday from Muhlenberg county to assume his duties as second assistant physician at the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane.

Mrs. W. A. Radford, Mrs. Chas. F. Jarrett, Misses Elizabeth Garnett and Katie Manson, and Messrs. M. L. Levy and R. J. Garrett leave Monday night, Aug. 29, for San Francisco, Cal. They leave here in a special car and will visit numerous points of interest on the way.—Pembroke Journal.

# HUNDRED LOST Great Fire Destroys City of Binang, Laguna Province.

(Cablegram.)

MANILA, Aug. 30.—The City of Binang, in Laguna province, Luzon, has been destroyed by fire. One hundred persons perished in the flames and 5,000 were rendered homeless. The loss is estimated at \$300,000. The government is furnishing shelter and food to the people made destitute by the fire.

According to the census of 1903 Binang has a population of 7,500.

# NEW OFFICERS OF THE STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

**Annual Meeting at Henderson Has Adjourned.—Col. Craddock There.**

The following officers were elected by the State Sunday school convention, which has just adjourned at Henderson.

President, H. A. Sommers, Elizabethtown; vice presidents, Dr. J. J. Rucker, Georgetown, John W. Lockett, Henderson, D. M. Sweets, Shelbyville; field worker, Rev. T. C. Gebauer, Henderson; treasurer, E. N. Woodruff, Louisville; state primary superintendent, Mrs. Nannie Lee Frayser, Louisville; state superintendent, Rev. George O. Backman, Paducah; vice president international convention, W. J. Thomas, Shelbyville; member international executive committee, E. B. Kuntz, Bowling Green; J. W. Gaines, Lawrenceburg; J. V. Logan, Ed F. Wetstein, G. J. Krette, Sidney Jones, Henry H. Sweets, Huston Quinn, M. Thomas, Louisville; W. Stoddard, Lebanon.

The Henderson Gleaner says: Col. J. G. Craddock, the oldest newspaper man in the state, is attending the Sunday school convention. The colonel is from Paris, Ky., where he is editor of the Kentuckian-Citizen. He has been in the newspaper business since 1849.

Col. Craddock is an ardent Sunday school worker and has attended every convention, this being the thirty-ninth. He also enjoys the distinction of being the oldest Elk in the state. He will celebrate his eighty-first birthday the 28th of this month.

# Captured All Prizes.

Kentucky saddle horses and thoroughbreds captured all the prizes offered in the classes in which they showed at the World's Live Stock exhibition, and her standard-bred and Morgan horses also gave a good account of themselves.

# Arch Dickerson Hurt.

Arch Dickerson, of Trenton, was hurt at the stock show Friday. He was showing one of his fine horses in the ring when the horse made a sudden turn, upsetting the two-wheeled cart to which the horse was being driven. Mr. Dickerson was thrown out, being considerably bruised but not seriously hurt. The horse ran into the woods and stopped. The cart was uninjured but the horse was slightly cut. The animal was returned to the ring, hitched to another vehicle and won the premium.—Clarkeville Star.

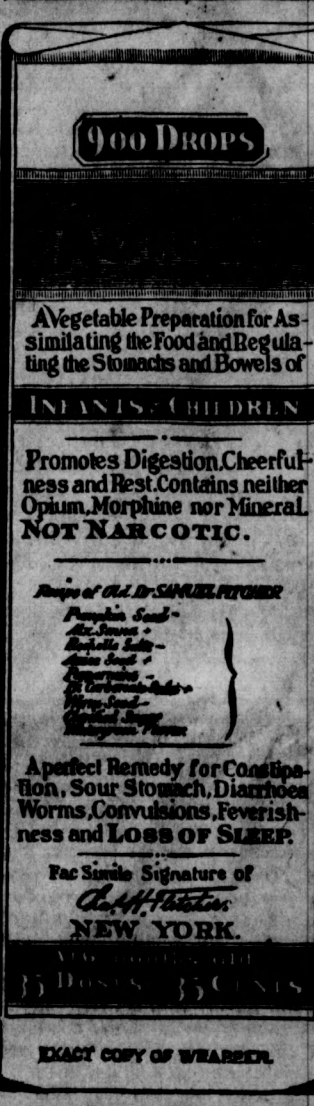
# World's Fair Accommodations.

Large, clean, elegantly furnished rooms, with bath, in private families. Best residence district, near fair, at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 per day; rates to parties. H. L. McPherson. w2t

# SAME OLD BLUFF

**Warning Issued By Civil Service Commission.**

In view of the approaching election the civil service commission has addressed a letter to the heads of all government departments and bureaus and calling their attention to violations of the civil service law which have occurred in the past in connection with political campaigns, and upholding a circular containing a warning against the demanding the payment of political assessments and partisan activity of officeholders. In its circular the commission announces that it will employ every legitimate and available means to secure the prosecution and punishment of whoever may violate the provisions of the law.



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Hopkinsville pupils who desire only music would do well to register before September 6, as the classes are expected to be large. Miss Martin is an exceptional voice teacher and those who wish to perfect themselves in voice would do well to register for her class.

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"Sooner" Hite, a Negro, in  
Jail at Cadiz Charged  
With the Crime.

(Special to New Era.)

CADIZ, Ky., Aug. 29.—"Sooner" Hite, a young negro man, was brought here Sunday and lodged in jail, charged with a criminal assault on the nine-year-old daughter of Mark Clark, a prominent farmer near Roaring Springs.

Hite was employed as a farm hand by Mr. Clark, and the offense is alleged to have been committed early Sunday morning.

There is much feeling against the negro in the Roaring Springs neighborhood and there have been some threats of lynching.

## BIG JIM JEFFRIES

Makes Monroe Look Like a  
Very Feeble Amateur.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Like the veriest amateur in the ring, Jack Monroe, of Butte, Mont., went down and out before Champion James Jeffries last night in the second round. The man from the mining district made such an extremely sorry showing that the great throng in Mechanic's Pavilion roundly hooted him as he protested to Referee Graney against the decision that had been given in favor of Jeffries.

The two giants had not been in the ring two minutes when it was foreseen that the aspirations of Monroe would be quickly disposed of. The miner was scared and awkward, and Jeffries, in the first round, had him twice on the canvas taking the count.

## WARNING.

The public is hereby warned to exercise precaution in hiring servants and see that they have been successfully vaccinated and not exposed to smallpox. The number of cases in the country and near town make it important that all care be taken to prevent a further spread of the disease.

J. B. JACKSON,  
Secretary County Health Board.

## Commissioner's Sale

Christian Circuit Court, Ky.  
W. M. Blakey, Equity  
H R Cox & Fannie Lou Cox

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Christian circuit court, rendered at the June term thereof 1904, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale, at the court house door in Hopkinsville, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 6th day of September, 1904, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m. (being county court day) upon a credit of six and twelve months, the following described property, to-wit:

A tract or parcel of land in Christian county, Kentucky, containing 120 3/4 acres more or less and bounded as follows:

"Beginning at the original corner of the survey a stone, corner to Clark and Smoot on the west side of the Cadiz road; thence with said Cadiz road S. 64 W. 33 1/2 poles to a stone, corner to No. 1; thence with line of No. 1, S 16 E 177 poles to corner of No. 1, in Mrs. McCarty's line; thence with her line N 63 E 97 poles to her stone, corner in the old Woodridge line; thence with another of her line S 8 1/2 E 89 poles to a stake with small post oak pointers, Bostick's corner; thence with his line N 55 E 32 poles to a stone in No. 3; thence with the line of No. 3 N 11 W 102 poles to a stone, corner to No. 3 and the lower; thence with the lower line and No. 2 N 81 W 185 1/2 poles to a stake, corner to No. 2; thence with the line of No. 2 N 24 W 77 poles to the beginning.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

DOUGLAS BELL,  
Master Commissioner

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON X, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 4.

Text of the Lesson, 1 Kings xix, 9-18—Memory Verses, 16-18—Golden Text, Isa. xli, 10—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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Elijah is now at Horeb, lodging in a cave. What sustenance he found here for his body we are not told, but if he lived on locusts and wild-honey, as John the Baptist afterward did (Matt. iii, 4), he probably found sufficient. However that may have been, the God who cured for him at Cherith and Sarepta and sent an angel to provide for him in the wilderness would not fail to cure for him anywhere. There is great comfort in this, that the Lord loves His people with an everlasting love, and knowing all about us loves us to the end (Jer. xxxi, 3; John xiii, 1). Here in this cave the word of the Lord came to him as at other times (xvii, 2, 8; xviii, 1). In Ezek. i, 3, it is written that the word of the Lord came expressly to Ezekiel the priest, and unless we receive the messages from the book as coming expressly to us individually there is no benefit, yet there are many who profess to believe the Bible who look with surprise upon those who say "God has spoken to me in His word." Unless the word of God speaks directly to our hearts we have not yet learned to know Him very well. As plainly as by a voice from heaven has He said to my soul as I have read His book—John i, 12; iii, 16; v, 24; x, 27-29; xiv, 1, 27; 1 John ii, 12; iii, 1, 2, 8; Isa. xli, 10, 13; xliii, 25; Gen. xxviii, 15, and many, many more messages which are engraven on my heart and for which I do heartily praise Him.

"What doest thou here, Elijah?" is the great question of our lesson (verses 9, 13), and a great question for each of us. Happy are those who can say, "I am here, Lord, for Thou didst send me, and I am here at Thy bidding for Thy pleasure." Elijah could not reply thus, but he did say something about the sin of Israel, his own faithfulness and zeal, and that he was the only representative the Lord had left, and his life was being sought, and therefore he was hiding in this cave in this out of the way place. He was not seeking the glory of God, as on Carmel, nor was he sent of God, as when he went to Cherith or Sarepta, but he was seeking only his own personal safety.

Adam's reply to the Lord's "Where art thou?" was a very sad one (Gen. iii, 10). Abraham's reply to Abimelech as to why he had done as he did was anything but honoring to God (Gen. xx, 11), and the reply of Elijah at Horeb was not like the Elijah of Carmel. It is a great thing to be able to continue little in our own sight and to seek always and only the glory of God, and to give a testimony like Paul in Gal. ii, 20; 1 Cor. xv, 10. The reply of Elijah in verses 10, 14, of our lesson would almost, if not wholly, indicate that, he being the only true servant of Jehovah left, it would be a poor day for the Lord's cause if anything should happen to him. "And they seek my life to take it away." What then would become of the Lord's cause? When we allow ourselves to be thus deluded by him who would, if he could, dethrone God himself, it is a poor day for us, for it indicates that the Lord may not be able to use us much longer, as we shall see in this lesson.

"Go forth and stand upon the mount before the Lord" (verse 11) is the Lord's message to Elijah, and he could hardly fail to recall that on this very mount God had said to Israel and to Moses, "I am the Lord thy God which brought thee out of the land of bondage" (Ex. xxi, 2; xxiv, 12), and as he thought of it a sense of his own nothingness and God's mightiness may have come over him. Then came the mighty wind, the earthquake and the fire, but the Lord did not reveal Himself in either of these; then the still small voice in which the Lord spoke to His servant, and one needs to be very still to hear a still small voice.

God has many ways of dealing with people, and different ways at different times of dealing with the same person. He had spoken to Israel from this very mount in fire and earthquake; He had just recently spoken to the people through Elijah by fire on Carmel, but now it is by the still small voice. Some one may be looking for a fire or earthquake experience because some one else has had it or because they themselves have had it in former times, but now God is speaking in a still small voice and they do not hear because they want the former experience. Let us now bend our heart and say, "Speak, Lord, as it pleaseth Thee, for Thy servant heareth." Not methods nor experiences, but Himself alone, can satisfy the heart.

And the Lord said unto him, Go, return and anoint a king over Syria, a king over Israel, and Elisha to be prophet in thy room (verses 15, 16). This is what we said a little before, that when a man thinks that the work cannot get along without him it is time to appoint his successor. No one is essential to God or to His work, but He is graciously pleased to use such as are willing to continue little in their own sight and let God be glorified in them. We must learn to magnify the Lord Jesus as He magnified the Father. "Yet have I left me seven thousand in Israel which have not bowed unto Baal" (verse 18). How utterly foolish to think that we are the only ones who know the Lord or are really interested in His cause. He always has His own, known well to Him if not to others, and we must not judge lest we misjudge. Judge nothing before the time. The Lord knoweth them that are His.

## LARGER THAN EVER

IS THE ENROLMENT OF PUPILS.

Nearly Seven Hundred Boys  
And Girls in the City  
Schools.

(From Monday's Daily.)

The enrolment in the public schools today show an increase of sixteen over last year and is the best record ever shown for the first day's enrolment in the history of the schools. The total enrolment today for both the Clay street and Virginia street schools was 692 while that of last year was 676. The increase is due both to larger attendance from the city and also of pupils living outside the city. The subscription receipts today from pupils matriculating from outside the city are larger than ever before. The enrolment by rooms is as follows:

VIRGINIA STREET SCHOOL.		
Room	Boys	Girls Total
No. 1	19	28 47
No. 2	19	17 36
No. 3	19	19 38
No. 4	22	18 40
No. 5	12	15 27
No. 6	12	12 24
No. 7	10	15 25
No. 8	10	19 29
120 143 263		

CLAY STREET SCHOOL.		
No.	Boys	Girls Total
No. 1	30	27 57
No. 2	21	19 39
No. 3	17	22 39
No. 4	21	20 41
No. 5	8	17 25
No. 6	20	18 38
No. 7	21	19 40
No. 8	9	19 28
No. 9	9	17 26
166 177 343		

HIGH SCHOOL.		
No.	Boys	Girls Total
No. 8	8	12 20
No. 7	12	14 26
No. 6	5	18 23
No. 5	9	16 25
34 62 96		
Grand Total, Boys 310 Girls 382 692		

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## FOR SALE

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Formerly Owned and Known as the W. W. Ware Farm, Lying near Gracey, Christian Co., Ky.

Excellent sale of land. A rare opportunity to purchase productive farming land. Farm to be sold in small tracts and as a whole.

The undersigned executor of B. W. Bowles will, by virtue of the authority invested in it under the provisions of the will of the late B. W. Bowles, on county court day, Monday, Sept. 5, 1904, at the court house door in Hopkinsville, Ky., between the hours of 11 a. m. and 3 p. m., offer at public auction and sell to the highest and best bidder the B. W. Bowles farm, known as the W. W. Ware place, near Gracey, in Christian county, Kentucky. The said lands will be sold in parcels suitable for small farms and also as a whole. The sale will be made for one third cash the balance in one and two years with interest from date of sale. Purchaser will be required to execute bond with good security from the the deferred payments to the undersigned.

The farm is described by metes and bound as follows: A tract of land lying in the western portion of Christian county, Ky., on the road leading from Hopkinsville to Cerulean Springs, containing 62 3/4 acres more or less and being the same land conveyed by W. W. Ware to Jas. Rodman and B. W. Bowles on the Ninth day of February, 1891, and thereafter conveyed by said James Rodman and his wife to B. W. Bowles on the first day of August, 1891.

Also another tract of land beginning at the line on the lane, between the farms of Joseph W. Radford and Joseph Thomas and John P. and J. U. Campbell on the line of said Campbell's which is from the post oak stump S 30 W 100 poles to a stone on the south side of the Springs road; thence S 73 1/2 E 1 1/2 poles to stake thence N 20 E 63 pole to a stake at the turn of the lane; thence with the easterly side of said lane N 68 1/2 E 178 1/2 poles to a stake, and stake, at the turn of the lane. Said boundary is intended to include and embrace the lane or road that leads from the body of said tract on the south side, to the Cerulean Springs road, and running between the Cox and Nuckols tracts, making an outlet for said land on the south side to the public road.

A lien will be retained upon the lands sold to secure the deferred payments.

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Russellville, Ky.,  
Executor of B. W. Bowles.  
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## NEGRO SHOT.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mr. George Wilson, a prominent farmer living near Green's crossing, shot and slightly wounded Jim Bacon, colored, late Saturday afternoon. Immediately after the shooting Mr. Wilson came to town and surrendered to the authorities and gave bond for his appearance at the examining trial Friday morning at 9 o'clock. He claims he shot in self-defense.

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## FURTHER SPREAD

IS NOT FEARED BY DR. McCORMACK.

Compliments the Officials  
On Their Work to Stamp  
Out Disease.

Dr. J. N. McCormack, secretary of the state board of health, has returned from Christian county, where he has been to consult with the local authorities in regard to the smallpox which has been raging in several portions of that county for sometime.

He reports the conditions there as greatly improved and does not anticipate a further spread of the disease. He says the officials have gone to work with great vigor to stamp out the disease. A general vaccination is being enforced and as soon as this is complete he does not believe there will be any further trouble from the disease in that county. Dr. McCormack also received a report from Dr. Eisenman, the state veterinarian, who has been endeavoring to check the spread of the Texas fever, which has been an epidemic among the cattle in Hickman and Fulton counties.

The report states that the disease is now under control, and no further spread of this dreaded malady among cattle is feared.—Bowling Green Times-Journal.

LOST.—A black leather wallet containing about \$30 in bill and some insurance papers. Reward return to this office. ditdwt

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FATE OF TENNESSEE CEN-  
TRAL FLAGMAN.

### STRUCK ON THE HEAD.

Body Brought Here.—Leaves  
a Widow and Child  
in Nashville.

Mr. W. F. Underhill, a flagman on  
the Tennessee Central railroad, was  
knocked off a train coming to this  
city late yesterday afternoon and  
killed.

The flagman was riding on the en-  
gine and was leaning out looking  
backward when the train passed over  
a bridge, and he was struck on the  
head by a support and knocked off.

The body was brought on to this  
city where it was prepared for burial  
by an undertaker and was shipped  
to Nashville this morning. The ac-  
cident occurred about seventeen  
miles south of this city, near Mc-  
Kenzie.

The dead man was twenty-seven  
years of age and leaves a widow and  
child, who live in Nashville.

## DEATH SENTENCE

For Mathley, Who Slew Man  
and Woman.

(Special to New Era)  
OWENSBORO, Ky., Aug. 31.—  
Robert Mathley was sentenced to  
death today for the murder of Emma  
Watkins last June.

The Watkins woman was Math-  
ley's sweetheart and he murdered  
her and James Gregson in a fit of  
jealousy.

The defense tried to prove the  
prisoner insane.

**Balley-Stephens.**  
(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Mr. William Balley and Miss Eva  
Lee Stephens, accompanied by Mr.  
and Mrs. Will Wade went to Clark-  
sville this morning and were married  
at 9 o'clock in the parlor of the Ar-  
lington Hotel. The bride who is a  
sister of Mrs. Wade is a pretty and  
attractive young lady and one of the  
most popular girls in the Sinking  
Fork vicinity. The fortunate groom  
is an attendant at the Western Ken-  
tucky Asylum for the Insane, and a  
worthy and industrious young man.

### No Lynching.

The story sent out from Cadiz that  
Souther Hite, a negro, made an assault  
on a Miss Clark, appears to have  
been very much exaggerated. The  
negro is in jail there charged with an  
attempted assault, but there is no  
talk of lynching and the case will be  
tried in court. There is no excite-  
ment and many believe that the ne-  
gro is innocent.

### Found Her Daughter.

A Desatur despatch to the Nash-  
ville American says:  
An aged white woman giving her  
name as Mrs. Ellen Winters, of 88  
Donelson street, Nashville, Tenn.,  
was here today and told your corre-  
spondent a most pathetic story con-  
cerning her wayward sixteen-year-  
old daughter, whom she supposed  
went on a visit to friends in Colum-  
bia, Tenn., about July 1. Not hear-  
ing from her daughter she went in  
search of her and yesterday found  
her at a house of ill repute in Hop-  
kinsville. The young woman had  
but recently left here, where she had  
boarded in a questionable house.  
Mother and daughter came here to-  
day, where they obtained the trunks  
and clothing of the daughter. They  
left on the evening train for Nash-  
ville and the daughter says she will  
reform.

## KILLED AT HIS POST

TIERED FLAGMAN SAT ON  
TRACK.

He Had Worked Without  
Rest For Three Days  
and Nights.

After remaining continually for  
three days and nights at his post as  
flagman at the Illinois Central bridge  
in Dawson John Winston sank ex-  
hausted to the track over which he  
was watching says the Madisonville  
Hustler. While sleeping peacefully,  
he was crushed to death under the  
wheels of an approaching train.

The unfortunate flagman had stood  
at his post without relief until the  
overworked nature rebelled. His an-  
xiety to be faithful to the charge plac-  
ed in him was the cause of his death.

Winston had been employed as  
flagman at the bridge over Trade-  
water river for some time. During  
the last week a crew of track re-  
pairers have been engaged on the  
Dawson side of the river and it was  
necessary to keep constant watch  
over the bridge in order that ap-  
proaching trains would not rush up-  
on the men at their work. No one  
could be secured to take the night  
trick at the flag station and Winston  
tried to do two men's work.

Saturday afternoon he complained  
of being very tired after his long  
stand at the post but said nothing of  
giving up the task. Late in the  
afternoon he walked across the  
bridge to wait for a train that was  
due and signal it to slow down before  
crossing. He thought that despite  
his long vigil he could tempt sleep  
and gain a momentary relaxation  
from the awful strain.

The overworked man found a cool  
place in the grove through which the  
track passed. The solitude of the  
place was almost overpowering to  
him. The breezes were cool and the  
singing birds made him linger along  
the rails.

For just a moment he sat down to  
rest. Putting his tired and aching  
head in his hands he closed his eyes.  
But the overwrought nerves were  
not reliable. The instant his eyes  
closed he slept. Sitting on the track  
he took the first rest that had come  
to him in three days and nights.  
And it was a sweet rest to the poor  
fellow, but it was the sleep of death.

The engineer on the approaching  
train drove his engine around the  
curve and into the woodland which  
skirted the track. He saw the man  
on the track. Hurried attempts were  
made to bring the engine to a stand-  
still and shrieking blasts from the  
whistle rent the air. But all to no  
avail and the body of the wornout  
flagman was tossed aside.

Turn and bleeding the poor fellow  
was picked up. A hurried run was  
made to Dawson. Fifteen minutes  
after the train reached the station  
Winston was dead. He was conscious  
for only a few moments before the  
spark of life went out.

Winston was about thirty years old.  
He lived at Wingo, where he had a  
wife and family. The body was bur-  
ied Sunday afternoon.

### Ended His Life.

A despatch from Union, South Car-  
olina, says:

"B. C. Farmer, twenty-three years  
of age, in the employ of Robert Rus-  
sell & Co., in the capacity of civil  
engineer on the Union and Glenn  
Springs railroad, committed suicide  
this morning in his room in the hotel  
at Carlisle, S. C., by shooting him-  
self through the head with a 44-cal-  
iber Colts revolver. No cause is  
known for the act. He was a son of  
S. T. Farmer, the railroad agent at  
Allendale, S. C. The body was sent  
to his home today."

At one time, during the construc-  
tion of the Tennessee Central, young  
Farmer acted as assistant for Engi-  
neer Taylor on the Hopkinsville resi-  
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## AS HICKS SEES IT.

WEATHER WE'LL HAVE IN  
SEPTEMBER.

Cooler, Followed by Equi-  
noctial Storms.—  
Earthquakes.

Prof. I. R. Hicks' forecast for  
September weather says that the  
month will open cool, with severe  
perturbations from the 4th to 10th.  
From the 7th to 10th equinoctial  
hurricanes, sweeping the south coast  
are predicted, with lower barometer  
and possibly thunder storms and tor-  
nadoes in the interior.

Earthquakes and volcanic phe-  
nomena will be reported from var-  
ious parts of the globe on and about  
the 9th.

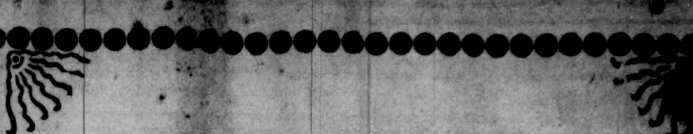
Frosts may be expected in the  
Northwestern states from the 12th to  
5. A severe storm period, with gales  
and high seas on South coast, is pre-  
dicted between the 16th to 25.

A regular volcanic storm period is  
central on the 29th extending from  
the 27th, two or three days into Oc-  
tober. As we enter this period the  
barometer will fall, the temperature  
will again rise to quite warm, and  
scattering storms will be advancing  
eastward over the country about the  
29th and 30th.

### Strong Firm.

Judge James Breathitt and Judge  
Douglas Bell have formed a partner-  
ship to practice law at the Hopkins-  
ville bar. The exceptional qualifica-  
tions of the members and their ex-  
tensive popularity will make the  
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Judge Bell will continue his services  
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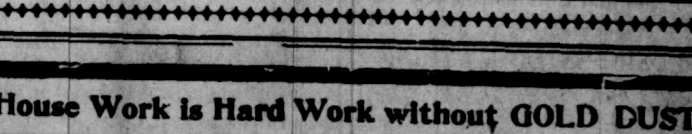


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