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# WEEKLY NEW ERA.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

HOPKINSVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY KENTUCKY FRIDAY MARCH 10 1905

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## JURY IS GOOD TO DICK CARNEY WHO IS GIVEN A LIFE SENTENCE

Verdict a Surprise To The Public as Death Penalty Was Expected.--Eye Witnesses Said He Was One of The Murderers.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The jury in the case of Dick Carney returned the following verdict this morning:

"We, the jury, find the defendant, Dick Carney, guilty as charged in the indictment and fix his punishment at confinement in the state penitentiary at hard labor for life."

Signed: J. E. Taylor, Foreman."

This verdict came as a surprise to the public, for a sentence of death had been very generally looked for, as Charles Finch and Ed Moseley had testified positively that while standing in the road, from where they witnessed the murder, they saw Carney as one of the five who slipped up behind and murdered the sleeping man. The defense was an attempt to establish an alibi, but it resulted in little more than a general denial that the defendant was in any manner connected with the crime. Up

until the time when the sentence of life imprisonment was agreed upon, the jury is said to have stood four for hanging and eight for life imprisonment. This is the first of these cases where witnesses have been introduced by the prosecution who testified to have actually seen the man on trial take part in the murder.

Seventy-five citizens of the county are being summoned today to report tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from which number the jury in the case against Frank Meriwether will be selected if possible. The evidence against Meriwether will be along the same lines as that against Carney, the most important witnesses being Finch and Moseley. Both these witnesses have heretofore testified to have seen Meriwether strike the blows with the ax handle which killed the sleeping man.

## HAND OF DEATH ON SENATOR BATE

Noted Tennessee Statesman and Soldier a Victim of Pneumonia.

(Special to New Era.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9.—Major-General William B. Bate, Tennessee's senior representative in the United States senate, after a short illness from pneumonia, died today at his apartment at the Edwitt. It was not generally known that he was seriously ill, so his death came as a great shock to the public.

William B. Bate was a native of Tennessee and was about seventy-five years old. He entered the Confederate army in 1861 as a private soldier and by reason of merit he rose to the rank of major-general before the close of the war. He lost a leg in battle and since the war suffered much from old wounds. Since the war he had held public office most of the time, having been governor of Tennessee two terms, representative in congress for a number of terms and finally United States senator, in which office he was at the time of his death serving his fourth term. Besides the office of governor Gen. Bate held other state offices in Tennessee.

Arrangements for the funeral of the dead senator have not yet been decided upon.

### Has a Prisoner.

Deputy United States Marshal Jeff Cundiff will reach Owensboro probably tonight with Poley Hardeson, who was held to the federal grand jury on the charges of making and selling wild cat whiskey, at a point five miles northeast of Kirkmansville, in Todd county. He was examined before Commissioner Charles P. Mottley and held in bond of \$500. —Owensboro Inquirer.

### Ben-Hurs, Notice.

The Deputy Supreme Chief has decided to leave the charter of the Hopkinsville court open for a short time. The charter fee still remains in force. D. E. WILLIAMS, Deputy Grand Chief

## Notes About People

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Miss Ida Blumenstall has returned from a two week's stay in New York.

W. A. Cantrell has returned to Martin, Tenn.

J. E. Martin, a prominent merchant of Sacramento, Ky., is spending this week in the city, having his eyes treated by Dr. Edwards.

Miss Julia Elliott has accepted a position with Mrs. Lawdon at Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

Miss Frankie Campbell left today for the wholesale millinery markets to purchase spring goods for Campbell & Co.

Miss Sue Ray has gone to Madisonville to visit friends.

Miss Carrie Cornett, of Russellville, is visiting Mrs. George Bradley.

Major E. B. Bassett and son, Stanley, have returned from Washington, D. C.

Charles Hayden, representing the Eastman Kodak company, is in the city en route to the south where he has been assigned territory.

William Grau, of Memphis, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Grau.

Roger W. Harrison, who has been ill several days at Bethel college is reported to be better today.

Miss Kate Manson has returned from a visit to Mrs. E. A. Chavanne, at Lake Charles, La.

## ROOSEVELT DAY.

(Special to New Era.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9.—President Roosevelt will be Louisville between 9 and 11 a. m. April 4. This statement was made at the white house today. There is not likely to be any further change in the date.

### Little Damage.

An alarm of fire was turned in yesterday afternoon from Fifth and Liberty streets. The department extinguished the blaze before any serious damage was done.

### Notice to Farmers.

I have fitted up the Fallenstein tobacco houses, on East Fourth street, near Consumers' ice factory, and they are fully equipped with modern prize fixtures and I am now ready to receive tobacco for pricing. Liberal advance made on tobacco in store.

T. E. ELGIN, contractor, with Dark Tobacco District Planters' Protective Association. d1w8

## RUSSIAN ARMY FLEEING NORTHWARD WITH GENERAL KUROKI IN HOT PURSUIT.



GENERAL KUROKI, JAPAN'S PRESENT MILITARY HERO. The accompanying portrait is the first authentic recent one of the Japanese General Kuroki ever printed in this country. It was made from a photograph taken in Tokyo a few days before he set out for the front.

(Cablegram.)

TOKIO, March 8.—The Russian army evacuated the entire line along the Shakhé last night, taking advantage of the darkness to get a start, and it is now rapidly fleeing northward with Kuroki and his victorious troops in hot pursuit.

Mukden is doomed.

For ten days the Japanese and Russian armies in Manchuria have been engaged in mighty conflict, the issue of which has not yet been reached. Although the most of the news from the scenes of the battle comes through Russian sources, and, consequently, may be supposed to present the facts in as favorable a light as possible for Russian arms, it is evident that the Japanese made some gains yesterday.

St. Petersburg has an unofficial report that Gen. Kuropatkin's center has been broken, and that thirteen siege guns have fallen into the hands of the Japanese. These guns, which are of six and eight-inch caliber,

were given permanent emplacements on the line of the railroad north of Shakhé station, the fact evidencing the confidence of the Russians that the Japanese could not penetrate thither.

In St. Petersburg it is generally believed that Gen. Kuropatkin was yesterday fighting a rear guard action to cover his retreat, and that the night will have witnessed a large withdrawal of troops toward Tie Pass. All of the commander-in-chief's ability, it is considered, will be required to extricate his army from its present predicament.

The issue, it is expected, will be decided today, and a great deal unquestionably depends upon the comparative ability of the opposing armies to resist the effects of hunger and fatigue, the limit of human endurance having evidently been nearly reached on both sides.

Beyond the statement that the casualties exceeded those of the battle of Liao Yang, there is little known as to the number killed and wounded.

## AGED MINISTER

Killed Himself Rather Than Move From Parsonage.

(Special to New Era.)

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 9.—At East Hickman, in this county, Majah Brock, aged eighty years, shot himself in the head with a revolver, dying a half hour later. Brock, with his son, William Brock, and wife, resided in the parsonage of the East Hickman Baptist church, of which the younger Brock was care-taker. They had been notified to vacate the place, owing to the appointment of a new pastor. While discussing moving the old man left the room, saying: "It makes no difference to me, as I have not much longer to live." He took his son's revolver, and placing it to his temple pulled the trigger.

### The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from liver and kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney Disease by L. L. Elgin and Ray & Fowler, druggists, at 50c a bottle.

### Money to Loan

on good farm property at 5 and 6 per cent. Walter F. Garnett & Co. d4w11

## ALL INDICTMENTS AGAINST ASYLUM OFFICIALS DISMISSED BY JURY.

Had Been Resubmitted And After a Thorough Examination It Was Decided There Was No Case Against Any of Them.

The indictments which were returned against the officials of the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane at the September term of circuit court charging them with malfeasance in office in giving a cow to Senator Gus Richardson and against some of the commissioners for rendering paid services to the institution and for furnishing supplies, were resubmitted to the present grand jury which returned them with the endorsement, "Refused to re-indict after examining all evidence. Signed, B. C. Foster, foreman." The indictments were against Dr. Milton Board, superintendent; L. H. Davis, treasurer; J. C. Buckner, secretary; F. M. Quarles, M. W. Johnson, M. H.

Carroll, C. H. Bush, J. D. Hill, Mat Jones, Dave Smith and J. B. Chilton, commissioners. The indictment against Dr. Board and Commissioners Bush and Smith for giving the cow to Senator Richardson had previously been dismissed at the instance of the commonwealth's attorney. The indictments against the other officials on this charge and against officials individually still stood.

Commonwealth's Attorney Smith explained to the grand jury that law provided a penalty for the offenses charged in the indictments, but the grand jury decided that the offenses, if any, had been merely technical and that no graft or fraud had been practiced in any of the cases.

## NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS

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## VACANCIES FILLED. FINCH'S TRIAL STARTS IN CIRCUIT COURT CREED IS STRANGE

### BRADBURN AND SPALDING ON COMMISSION.

#### Richardson Resigns—Meeting of Goebel Reward Commissioners.

(From Saturday's Daily)  
For the purpose of filling vacancies caused by the deaths of Chairman J. H. Lewis and Maj. L. C. Norman, the three remaining members of the Goebel Reward Commission met last night at Hotel Latham.

The meeting was held in this city instead of at Frankfort on account of illness in the family of Commissioner John D. Clardy.

Dr. Clardy and Hon. W. M. Moore, of Cynthiana, had a preliminary meeting yesterday afternoon, conferring by telephone with Congress-elect James M. Richardson, at Glasgow. Recess was taken until 10:30 o'clock last night when Mr. Richardson arrived in the city and completed a quorum.

The commissioners elected C. C. Spalding, of Marion county, and Judge B. W. Bradburn, of Bowling Green, to fill the vacancies.

Mr. Richardson tendered his resignation, and at the next meeting of the commission his successor will be elected.

Mr. Moore and Mr. Richardson left early this morning for their respective homes. It was Mr. Moore's first visit to Hopkinsville in sixteen years. He was last here when he was a member of the joint legislative committee on charities and eleemosynary institutions and came to inspect the Western asylum. He was formerly speaker of the Kentucky house and is exalted ruler of the Elks lodge at Cynthiana. Mr. Moore has an unusual record for a Kentuckian, being sixty-five years old and having never smoked, chewed nor drunk intoxicating liquors.

#### Gives Health, Vigor and Tone.

Herbline is a boon for sufferers from anemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength is revived. The languor is diminished. Health, vigor and tone predominate. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Belle H. Shiras, Middleboro, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood, and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbline. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's lifetime." 50c at Ray & Fowler and L. L. Elgin.

#### Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat.

#### Old Preacher Dead.

Rev. Joshua Godbey, one of the most widely known Methodist ministers of southern Kentucky, died at his home at Bethel Ridge at the age of ninety-one years. He was a preacher for over seventy years, and took many thousands of confessions. He was father of fifteen children, twelve sons and three daughters. Two sons are dead and five are ministers of the gospel. Besides thirteen children he is survived by 110 grandchildren, 106 great grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren, a total of 288 lineal descendants.

#### A Dinner Invitation.

After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digestant and a guaranteed cure for indigestion, dyspepsia, gas on the stomach, sour risings, bad breath and all stomach troubles. N. Watkins, Lebus, Ky., says: "I can testify to the efficacy of Kodol in the cure of stomach trouble. I was afflicted with stomach trouble for fifteen years and have taken six bottles of your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which has entirely cured me. The six bottles were worth \$1.00 to me." Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

#### DeWitt's Zink Salve For Piles, Burns, Sores.

### SENTENCED WHEN CASE WAS FIRST HEARD TO DEATH ON THE CALLOWS

(From Friday's Daily)

The case of Charles Finch, one of the nine negroes charged with the murder of the unknown white man near Pembroke in November 1903, was called in the circuit court about 11:30 o'clock this morning and, both sides announcing ready, the work of impaneling the jury was begun. On account of the wide publicity given the former trials in these cases it is probable that considerable trouble will be experienced in securing a competent jury. Finch is represented by John Feland and the prosecution is represented by Commonwealth's Attorney Denny P. Smith, County Attorney Otho Anderson and Judge James Breathitt and Judge C. H. Bush.

Finch was tried at the special term held in January of last year, the jury returning a verdict of guilty and fixing his punishment at death, but he was granted a new trial by Judge Cook. In his testimony in his trial Finch admitted that he witnessed the murder from the road, where he was standing with Bill Garratt, Ed Holland and Ed Moseley, but that he was entirely innocent of having taken any part either in planning the crime or the actual murder and robbery or even of having any knowledge that such was intended. He stated that he went with the crowd down into the woods expecting to play cards.

George Holland, who was recently granted a stay of execution from his sentence of death, will probably be the chief witness in this trial for the commonwealth. Holland has never yet publicly said whether or not he would make a confession on the witness stand but it is the general opinion that he will. When he was tried he testified that he knew nothing of the crime and did not even go down into the woods that night but was at his own home, where he played cards all night with several of the other negroes charged with the crime.

The regular panel was exhausted this morning without a jury being secured, and court adjourned until tomorrow morning when seventy-five citizens will be summoned by the sheriff and their eligibility as jurors determined.

Robert Lewis, colored, was found guilty of manslaughter, this morning, and his punishment was fixed at two years confinement in the penitentiary. Lewis was indicted on a charge of wilful murder. He shot and killed James Carless, colored, early one morning several months ago on the farm of Stegar Bros., while the negroes were on their way to work. The defense was based on a plea of self-defense, Lewis testifying that Carless made a threatening move toward his pocket, in which was afterwards found a razor.

(From Saturday's Daily)

The jury in the case of Charles Finch charged with complicity in the murder of an unknown white man near Pembroke in November 1903, was completed this morning a few minutes before noon and court adjourned immediately until afternoon before beginning hearing the evidence. The jury is composed of the following citizens of the county: W. G. Teague, J. M. Alder, John Reese, W. T. Bone, Jesse Payne, J. W. Allen, J. W. Cooper, John H. Boyd, J. U. Long, C. S. Fuller, J. N. McChord, A. T. Simpson. The regular panel was exhausted yesterday with only one man, W. G. Teague, being accepted and a special venire of seventy-five names was drawn and the men were summoned yesterday afternoon to report at 9 o'clock this morning. Mr. Teague, the only man accepted yesterday, was also the first to be called to the jury box and to be questioned. Court adjourned yesterday at noon waiting for the special venire to be summoned, and during this time the lone jurymen was under the custody of Sheriff Davis, and was marched to and from the courthouse and to his meals by

the officer, and last night had Mr. Davis for his room mate. The order on the clerk's book at the opening of court this morning also had the following queer wording: "Then came the jury, W. G. Teague, who had heretofore been sworn, etc."

The taking of the testimony for the prosecution was begun when court was resumed this afternoon. It is still uncertain whether or not George Holland will go on the stand and repeat his alleged confession and in the event that he does it is probable that he will be one of the last witnesses introduced by the commonwealth, although the case may take such a turn that he will be placed on the stand at any point in the proceedings.

W. C. Dossett and T. B. Graham testified in reference to the discovery of the body. Undertaker Buck Dickerson told of the condition of the remains. Herbert McMath was introduced to show that Holland's confession of the crime had been made in Finch's presence. Several other witnesses will be examined this afternoon.

#### By the Tonic Route.

The pills that act as a tonic, and not as a drastic purge, are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure headache, constipation, biliousness, etc. Early Risers are small, easy to take and easy to act, a safe pill. Mack Hamilton, hotel clerk at Valley City, N. D., says: "Two bottles cured me of chronic constipation." Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

#### Personal Notes.

(From Friday's Daily.)  
Bertram Mann returned home yesterday from a business trip to Hopkinsville—Henderson Gleaner.

Miss Florence Duncan, of Hopkinsville, has returned home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Eugene Whitlow, in this city.—Cadiz Record.

Executive Chairman Felix G. Ewing and General Salesman Chas. P. Warfield, of the Planters' association, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Smith, nee Miss Margaret Clarke, visited friends in the city last night en route to Owensboro from Clarksville, Tenn. They will make their home in St. Louis.

Starling Thompson, of Henderson, is in the city.

Mrs. J. P. Nuckles, of Hopkinsville, has been visiting relatives in town. Miss Bess Waller, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Chatten, at Earlinton.—Madisonville Graphic.

Dr. J. M. Gill was in Hopkinsville Wednesday. V. R. Johnson was in Hopkinsville Tuesday.—Elkton Times.

(From Saturday's Daily)  
Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hiser will leave tonight for Louisville and will be absent until April 1st.

Mr. J. B. Galbreath left this morning for New Orleans on business trip.

Messdames Mattie Gaines and Nelson Green are guests of Mrs. Tandy Wadlington, at Gracey.

Mrs. R. L. Moore has returned from a visit to Oak Grove, Ky. Mrs. McKenzie, of Oak Grove, Ky., is visiting in the city.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

Misses Sallie and Jennie Hooser and Willie Harrison will leave Monday for Cincinnati to purchase their stock of spring millinery and also to study the prevailing styles.

Miss Annie Rutherford, of Elkton, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. George M. Steele, of Nortonville, spent Friday in the city.

Miss Florence Buchanan will leave today for St. Louis, where she will reside.

Mrs. Charles Craig has returned to Earlinton from a visit to Mrs. Robert Bellamy in this city.

Mr. J. W. Finley, of Madisonville, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. C. Lacy, on Brown street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Winfree and Miss Lula Moseley will leave this afternoon for New Orleans to attend Mardi Gras. On the return trip they will visit points of interest in Alabama and Georgia.

### SOME OF EVANGELIST BARNES' THEORIES.

#### Says All Ills and Misfortunes Are Inflicted By the Devil.

Evangelist Barnes who lately held a short revival meeting in this city has some curious beliefs.

He holds that there are three hells of future punishments, viz: The old-fashioned hells, Gehenna, where many professed Christians will go for a season, and Taurus, the temporary abode of the fallen angels. Rev. Barnes repudiates the popular theory that the devil is a fallen angel. He quotes scripture, which says that the devil was not only a liar from the beginning, but a murderer, and therefore he could never have been an angel of light. Rev. Barnes does not believe in eternal punishment. His idea is that souls will be punished a length of time commensurate with the sins they have committed and according to their standing before God. At the last grand wind up, the devil will be annihilated, and the imprisoned souls turned loose. He says Christ went to hell and tasted of its torments for every person. This, he avers, was unavoidable, from the fact that Christ took the part of a substitute for man in every sense of the word.

Mar, says Rev. Barnes, is made up of three elements, viz:—the body, the soul and the spirit. The body and the soul, he says, are mortal, while the spirit is that immortal, God-like attribute of every man, saint or sinner, which at death returns to God who gave it. His idea of the unpardonable sin is attributing to God the works of the devil in Christ's time, he says, this practice was reversed—attributing to the devil the works of God—but that it is the same thing either way, and that those who entertain this idea, whether preachers or laymen, will surely be damned. He says God never afflicted or punished anybody—that all physical or human ills or misfortunes come at the hands of the devil—"the prince of the power of the air." These are only a few of the salient points of his strange creed.

#### Night Prowling Thieves.

Group and whooping cough come like a thief in the night, stealing in to fasten the fangs of mortal disease upon the children as they peacefully sleep in their little beds. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar, the new discovery for coughs and colds, will drive out these death dealing demons before the doctor can arrive. It protects the lives and health of the little ones. Contains no opiates. Keep it handy. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

#### Jury's Report.

(From Saturday's Daily)

The grand jury today returned the report of the proceedings of the examining trial held in the city court of Gano Taylor, Henry Hughes, Geo. Smith and Aaron and William Brown, charged with stealing coal from L. & N. cars with the endorsement that the charge should be dismissed and the prisoners released. The negroes were arrested several weeks ago, and the crime of coal stealing having been made a felony by the new law they were held by Judge Knight, of the city court, to await the action of the grand jury.

#### A Destructive Fire.

To draw the fire out of a burn, or heal a cut without leaving a scar, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. J. L. Tucker, editor of the Harmonizer, Centre, Ala., writes: "I have used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve in my family for piles, cuts and burns. It is the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it on hand." Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

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## NEW ORLEANS GIDDY

### MARDI GRAS FESTIVITIES BEGIN

City in Gala Dress Welcomes Rex and His Retinue.

(Special to New Era.)  
NEW ORLEANS, La., March 7.—Rex ruled the Carnival City Monday, and the magnificent pageant of the merry monarch traversed the streets under the most favorable auspices. The day marked the thirty-third annual pageant of the king, and New Orleans was never more crowded with visitors, the throngs being immense. At an early hour in the afternoon the booming of cannon announced the arrival of the royal yacht bearing Rex and his retinue. The royal pageant proceeded to the city hall, where Rex received the keys of the city. Besides the Rex pageant, there were scores of parades, participated in by grotesque maskers. Last night was the street parade of the Krewe of Proteus, and this was followed by the customary tableaux and ball. The regular Rex parade and the parade of the Mystic Krewe of Comus are set for today.

### Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discomfies and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine smells the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as many people suppose. Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder troubles, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling how to get it. Write all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and enclose this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

### Commissioner's Sale.

Christian Circuit Court, Kentucky. L. D. Watson's Adm'r. et al. against Howard D. Watson, et al. Equity. By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Christian circuit court, rendered at the Feb. term thereof, 1906, 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 Saturday, the 25th day of March, 1906, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m., upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: The following described tract or parcel of land in Christian county, Ky., near Casey, Ky., and which is bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone S. Garnett's original corner; thence S 6 W 26 1/2 poles to a stone, a corner to the Fields' tract; thence with a line thereof S 77 E 168 1/2 poles to a stone; thence again with Fields' line S 89 E 8 poles to a stone; thence N 5 W 41 1/2 poles to a stone near an elm, Whitaker's, Henry's and Garnett's corner; thence with the Garnett line N 81 W 168 poles to the beginning, containing by actual survey and estimation, 34-55 acres. Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money ordered to be made, amounting to \$1,788.26. 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.

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## TO THE PEOPLE OF HOPKINSVILLE

### Open Letter From Kind Hearted Ohioan.

The following letter will be of great interest to our readers. It breathes the true spirit of charity, of helping others. May it do the good that Mr. Carpenter hopes for. "To the People of Hopkinsville: Although I may be unknown to you, yet I hope my experience will carry the weight that earnestness always should. I believe in doing good to my fellow men, and in no way can I help them better than in pointing out the road to health. Hyomei, the treatment that cures catarrh without stomach dosing, has done me so much good that I want everybody to know of its merits. I had a very bad case of catarrh, and Hyomei completely cured me. I have recommended it to my neighbors, and they, too, have been cured. Now I want everybody in all parts of the country to know what Hyomei has done for me. George W. Carpenter, Vincent, Ohio."

Hyomei contains the healing balsams that are found in the air upon the mountains, where catarrh is unknown. It destroys all catarrhal germs in the air passages of the head, throat and lungs, and makes complete cures. A complete outfit costs but \$1.00, while extra bottles can be obtained for 50 cents. Ask L. L. Elgin to show you the strong guarantee under which he sells the treatment. Feb 28-mar 7

### Reward Offered.

Gov. Beckham has offered a reward of \$300 each for the apprehension of Lewis Wilbert and Jeff Morgan, and \$150 for the apprehension of John Hall, Jr., and their delivery to the jailer of Hopkins county. The men broke jail at Madisonville. They are charged with murder.

The mother who would be horrified at the thought of letting her daughter wander away to a strange country without guide or counsel, yet permits her to enter that unknown land of womanhood without counsel or caution. Then, in utter ignorance, the maiden must meet physical problems whose solution will affect her whole future life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been well named a "God-send to women." It corrects irregularities and imparts such vigorous vitality to the delicate womanly organs, as fits them for their important functions. Many a nervous, hysterical, peevish girl has been changed to a happy young woman after the use of "Favorite Prescription" has established the sound health of the organs peculiarly feminine.

Every woman should own a copy of the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. The same book of 1008 pages in substantial cloth for 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

### Dedication Postponed.

The dedication of the Knights of Pythias Widows' and Orphans' home, which was scheduled to take place at the new home at Lexington May 1 next, has been postponed until after the meeting of the grand lodge in October. The meeting of the grand lodge, which was to have been held in Hopkinsville this year, has also been transferred to Lexington in order that the members of the grand lodge can be on the scene and make a thorough inspection of the home before any final conclusion is reached.

### READ THIS.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 7, 1901. Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: I have sold your Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, for the past three years and from experience I can say I have never sold any kidney and bladder remedy of superior merits. Most respectfully, THOMAS D. ARMISTEAD.

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One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by druggists and Thomas D. Armistead.

## FOR A SANITARIUM

### FORMER CRUMBAUGH PROPERTY BOUGHT.

### Dr. C. B. Petrie With Proper Encouragement Will Establish Institution.

Hopkinsville may have a first-class sanitarium. With this idea in view the former Crumbaugh property has been purchased from J. M. Starling, the consideration being \$5,000 cash in hand. The prime mover in the project is Dr. C. B. Petrie. Whether he will personally conduct the sanitarium in the event of its being established, or have other physicians associated with him, will be determined later. Ample financial backing has been arranged, and if adequate encouragement in the enterprise may be expected from the city and citizens, the plans which have been formulated in reference to opening the sanitarium will be put speedily into execution. It has long been an ambition of Dr. Petrie to open an institution of this character here and he returned to Kentucky from Athens, Ga., with this purpose in mind. He thought it proper to wait until he was well-known by the citizens and had assurances of their confidence before announcing his plans. It is the intention of Dr. Petrie and those associated with him to make the sanitarium, if it is established, one of which the community may well be proud. It is to be appointed with complete therapeutic and surgical equipment, with commodious operating rooms and apartments for the sick. It will be open to local physicians for the treatment of their patients, and will be conducted on the plans that obtain in the successful sanitariums of the larger cities. The benefits that are to be derived from such an institution, both to the city and the people in general, are obvious, and it will be universally hoped that the establishment of the sanitarium may soon be positively announced.

## PASSES AWAY

### Mrs. Amanda Phipps Dies Of Heart Failure.

From Tuesday's Daily. Mrs. Amanda Phipps, widow of the late W. W. Phipps, died yesterday at the residence of her son-in-law, Robert H. Brown, on East Seventeenth street. The end was unexpected. She had been in declining health for some time, but had not been confined to her bed. Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock she complained of not feeling well, and rose from her chair and went to her bed. She was seized with a heart attack and died a few minutes after lying down. Mrs. Phipps was sixty-six years of age, and a noble Christian woman whose admirable traits of character had endeared her to a wide circle of friends and kindred. She leaves four daughters and two sons—Mrs. Robert H. Brown, Mrs. E. H. Hurt, Mrs. James Phelps, Mrs. Bradshaw and James and Louis Western. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at three o'clock at Mr. Brown's residence, conducted by Rev. H. D. Smith, and the remains will be interred in Hopewell cemetery.

## TO FARMERS.

The American Society of Equity will meet at the court house in Hopkinsville Saturday, March 18th, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of organizing a county union. Every local union is requested to appoint delegates to attend same. All members are invited to be there as business of importance will be discussed. Respectfully, R. C. HOPSON.

### Dean Lee.

Dean Baker P. Lee, of Christ church cathedral at Lexington, has accepted a call to become rector of the parish of Christ church at Los Angeles, Cal., and will assume his duties after Lent.

### Merchant Assigns.

C. W. Bennett, a grocery merchant at Trenton, Todd county, has filed a deed of assignment, naming E. C. Stokwell as assignee. The assets and liabilities are considered almost equal. Slow collections are the cause of the failure.

## Gline-White.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) George W. White, of Clardy, and Miss Susie Gline will be married at the home of the bride at Macedonia, tomorrow night. The ceremony will be pronounced by Rev. John W. McCarroll.

### More Time.

The state board of health has extended the time for quarantining Trigg county ten days. This was done because of the fact that the authorities there are having the people vaccinated as rapidly as possible and it is believed that they will be able to control the situation.

### Hotels Not Burned.

The local office of the Illinois Central Railroad company has received advices from C. F. Cooley, secretary of the business men's league of Hot Springs, Ark., that the recent fire at that place did not extend to any of the hotels, bath houses or resorts and will, therefore, not interfere with the Hot Springs tourist business.

### Modern Woodmen.

J. T. Willis, district deputy, has organized at Pembroke a camp of Modern Woodmen with fifteen charter members. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C. E. Mann, consul; J. S. Quarles, advisor; B. J. Garnett, banker; J. H. Rose, clerk; T. L. Watts, watchman; J. S. Denny, sentry; H. R. Bollinger, escort. Managers—one year, J. F. Combs; two years, J. S. Ditto; three years, O. J. Smith.

### Exell-Eliett.

Mr. Walter Esell, a well-known merchant of Lafayette, Ky., and Miss Kate Eliett, of this city, were united in marriage this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of the bride's uncle, R. L. Fuqua, on Main street. The wedding was quite a surprise to friends of the bride. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Esell left for their future home at Lafayette. The bride for several months has been employed at the Mammoth store. She is an attractive young lady, who is quite popular with all who know her. Their friends extend congratulations.—Clarksville Daily Chronicle.

## MR. WATT'S DEATH

### Native of Virginia and Confederate Veteran.

Richard Watt, a highly respected citizen of the Gracey neighborhood, died Monday night. Appendicitis was the cause of his death. The deceased was 70 years old and a native of Virginia. He was a Confederate soldier. He is survived by a large family.

### SPECIAL CLUBBING OFFER!

The Twice-a-Week Republic, of St. Louis, the best semi-weekly newspaper in the country, and Farm Progress, America's leading Agricultural and home monthly, will be sent to any address, or to separate addresses when so requested, for \$1 a year. The Twice a Week Republic for near a century has earned and maintained the confidence of half a million readers. It covers the news of the world thoroughly and accurately and issues special state editions, each containing the latest and most reliable reports of the particular locality in which it circulates. Its special departments are edited by experts, and its artists and contributors are among the best in the country. It is published every Tuesday and Thursday—eight pages each issue, sixteen pages a week. Farm Progress, issued on the first Thursday of every month, contains sixteen pages or more full, standard size newspaper pages, filled with up-to-date farm literature, and special departments for the home, fashions, boys and girls, fiction, etc. It is published by The Republic—a guarantee of its excellent and high character. It will pay you to take advantage of this special offer now. Use this ORDER BLANK.

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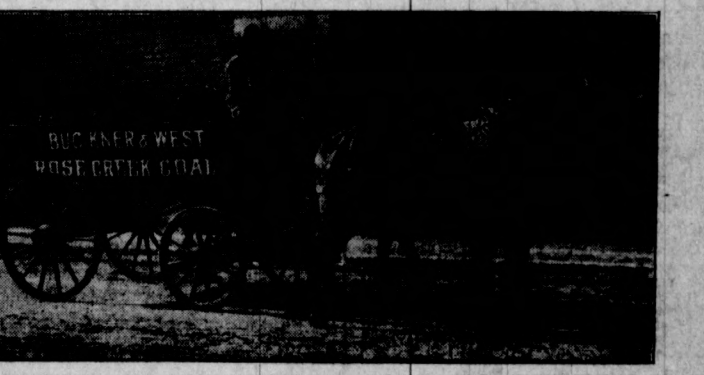
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## CABINET IS INTACT

EXCEPT THAT CORTELYOU SUCCEEDS WYNNE

General Transfer of Ministers at the Capitals of Europe.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The president has nominated all the present members of his cabinet to succeed themselves, with the exception of George B. Cortelyou, as postmaster general. Mr. Wynne is now named as consul general at London.

The president has nominated to be ambassadors, Whitlaw Reid, N. Y., to Great Britain; Robert S. McCormick, Ill., to France; G. V. Meyer, Mass., to Russia; Edwin H. Conger, Ia., to Mexico; Henry White, R. I., to Italy.

To be envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary: W. W. Rockhill, D. C., to China; David Hill, N. Y., to The Netherlands; Henry Lawson, Wash., to Belgium; William Miller, Collier, N. Y., to Spain; Brutus J. Clay, Ky., to Switzerland; Thos. J. O'Brien, Mich., to Denmark; Chas. H. Graves, Minn., to Sweden and Norway; Edward C. O'Brien, N. Y., to Paraguay and Uruguay; John B. Jackson, N. J., to Greece and Montenegro and diplomatic agent to Bulgaria; John W. Riddle to Romania and Serbia; Samuel R. Gummers, N. J., to Morocco.

Ex-Senator Francis Marion Cockrell, Missouri, to be an interstate commerce commissioner; Edward Walker Sims, Illinois, to be solicitor of the department of commerce and labor; Robert L. Devlin California, to be United States attorney for the northern district of California; J. V. Quarles, Wisconsin, to be United States judge for eastern district of Wisconsin; James W. Workman, Alaska, to be district judge of Alaska.

## CANCER CURED BY BLOOD BALM

All Skin and Blood Diseases Cured.

Mrs. M. L. Adams, Fredonia, Ala., took Botanic Blood Balm which effectually cured an eating cancer of the nose and face. The sores healed up perfectly. Many doctors had given up her case as hopeless, hundreds of cases of cancer, eating sores, suppurating swellings, etc., have been cured by Blood Balm. Among others Mrs. B. M. Guernsey, Warrior Stand, Ala. Her nose and lip were raw as beef, with offensive discharge from the eating sore. Doctors advised cutting, but it failed. Blood Balm healed the sores, and Mrs. Guernsey is as well as ever. Botanic Blood Balm also cures eczema, itching humors, scabs and scales, bone pains, ulcers, offensive pimples, blood poison, carbuncles, scrofula, risings and bumps on the skin and all blood troubles. Druggists \$1 per large bottle. Sample of Botanic Blood Balm free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and special medical advice sent in sealed letter. It is certainly worth while in investigating such a remarkable remedy as Blood Balm cures the most awful, worst and most deep-seated blood diseases.

## Cold Grub

You may get plenty of exercise and at the same time your stomach and bowels will get out of fix. You wonder why? It's easy. You eat a cold meal in the middle of the day, wash it down with hot coffee or cold beer, finishing off with a lot of indigestible pastry and go back to work. If you take a dose of

## Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

every night, it will unload your stomach and bowels and you will soon be able to eat anything without suffering.

W. E. Oswalt, of Ottumwa, Ia., writes under date of April 1, 1901: "I will take this means to inform you of the benefit I have received from using your Syrup Pepsin. I have been troubled for three years with my stomach. In fact could hardly keep down anything I could eat, and had spent between \$100 and \$200 with doctors without getting relief. One day I saw Syrup Pepsin advertised and as I had tried everything else, I gave Syrup Pepsin a trial, and after the first dose, I could eat without nauseous feeling. I have recommended Syrup Pepsin to a number of persons who used it with entire satisfaction. I will add that a friend stated he would have been willing six months ago to part with a \$500 acre farm for the relief he has obtained."

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## LITTLE ONE ONE SOLID SORE

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## ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE BY CUTICURA

Writing under date of Sept. 7, 1904, Mrs. Mattie Shaffer, of Cumberland, Miss., says: "Some time ago I ordered and received your wonderful Cuticura Remedies, which I used on my little afflicted babe with wonderful results. I had tried many other remedies without any benefit whatever, and Cuticura came to the rescue when my doctors and all other remedies had failed. One doctor pronounced it scrofula, the other eczema. The little one was one solid sore, with scales and scabs from head to foot, when I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The result was wonderful, and now my baby's face and body are smooth and clear."

(Signed) Mrs. Mattie Shaffer.

## THE DUTY OF MOTHERS

At the First Sign of Disfiguring Humors is to Use Cuticura.

Every child born into the world with an inherited tendency to torturing, disfiguring humors of the Skin and Scalp, becomes an object of the most tender solicitude, not only because of its suffering, but because of the dreadful fear that the disfiguration is to be lifelong and mar its future happiness and prosperity. Hence it becomes the duty of mothers of such afflicted children to acquaint themselves with the best, the purest, and most effective treatment available, viz.: the Cuticura Treatment, consisting of warm baths with Cuticura Soap, and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure. Cures made in childhood are speedy, permanent, and economical.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold through the world. Foster Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, Sole Traders. Send for "How to Cure Disfiguring Humors."

## TWO NEW OFFICERS

ARE ELECTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL

Nixon and Mullen Are Policemen.—Regular Meeting of Board.

(From Saturday's Daily)

The March meeting of the city council was held last night. All the members of the board were present, Mayor Henry presiding, and the usual reports were received and accounts allowed.

The election of two policemen to fill vacancies on the force was the principal business of the meeting.

W. H. Nixon and Otho Mullen were elected, and begin their duties today. Mr. Nixon has had former experience as a policeman, and has always made a valuable officer. He has done some highly creditable detective work and owns two well trained bloodhounds. Mr. Mullen has for several years been connected with the asylums of the state in the capacity of attendant. For two summers he has been playing professional baseball and was one of the stars of the K. I. T. league, being reserved by Henderson for the coming season. He will hereafter catch criminals instead of flies, and he is splendidly qualified for his new position.

A committee composed of Councilmen Jackson, Twyman, Benton and Fire Chief Randle was appointed to purchase transparent dials for the big city clock to be placed in the new fire building. The city engineer was instructed to remove the works and bell to the new building.

An ordinance was adopted ratifying the sale of a franchise for water works. This ordinance and one amending the present pool room ordinance are published elsewhere in this impression of the New Era.

## SHOT THROUGH BODY.

CROFTON, Ky., March 4.—By the accidental discharge of a pistol at Daniel Boone, in Hopkins county, Claude Laffoon, a merchant, was shot through the body at noon, and was probably fatally wounded.

## Teachers' Examination.

Examinations for teachers to all vacancies and for new teachers for the new Seventh street school will be held April 7th and 8th. Those who intend taking this examination are requested to notify Superintendent J. B. Taylor.

## INAUGURATION OF ROOSEVELT.

(Special to New Era) WASHINGTON, March 4.—With ceremonies of unusual splendor and an immense attendance, Theodore Roosevelt was formally inaugurated today as president of the United States. The event eclipsed in splendor and size any similar affair of the past.

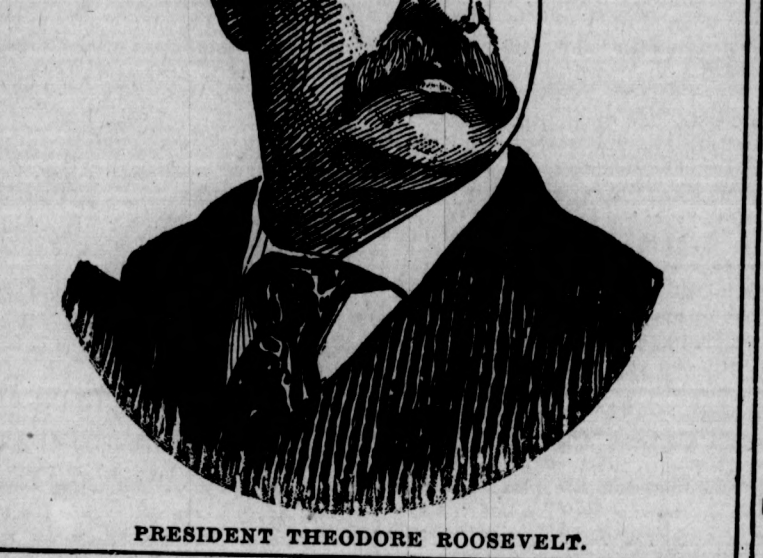
At 10:30 o'clock President Roosevelt, escorted by the congressional committee on arrangements, arrived at the capitol.

At 11:55 o'clock, after the senate

right hands a holy bible. While standing in this position Chief Justice Fuller chanted the oath: "I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States, and to the best of my ability, preserve and defend the constitution of the United States."

The president-elect repeated this oath after the chief justice, and then, as all other presidents have done, kissed the open pages of the bible.

The president then delivered his inaugural address, which, according

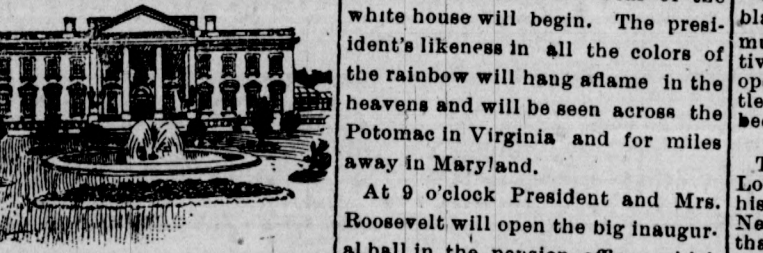


PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

chamber had been opened to ambassadors and foreign ministers and high officials of the government, he was announced and took a seat in the chamber directly in front of the desk of the presiding officer. President Pro Tem. Frye, of Maine, declared the senate adjourned, and at twelve o'clock administered the oath to Mr. Fairbanks, who then delivered his inaugural address. Senators-elect were sworn in and the senate organized.

With this done the entire assemblage, including both houses of congress, moved to the stand erected on the great plaza at the east front of the capitol. Here the president was greeted by a multitude of citizens extending as far east as the congressional library and both wings of the capitol.

On reaching the platform the president-elect took the seat reserved for him, the chief justice on his right and the committee of arrangements and the sergeant-at-arms of the senate on his left. The associate justices of the supreme court, the vice president, secretary, members of the senate and ex-senators occupied seats on the right. The retiring members of the house and



THE WHITE HOUSE.

members-elect were seated on the right of the president, next to and behind the senate. The diplomatic corps occupied seats on the left of the president.

When all were assembled Mr. Roosevelt rose with Justice Fuller. They held between them in their

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## A BAD DISORDER

In the fall of 1895 I contracted that fearful disease, Blood Poison. It gained such headway that I was forced to resign my position and seek relief at Hot Springs. After spending all the means I had I went to Memphis. In less than three weeks I was in a hospital, and after nine weeks of suffering I was discharged as cured. In less than a month every bone in my body seemed to be affected and felt as if they would break at the least exertion. Again I was compelled to resign, and I returned to the hospital for a seven weeks stay. When I came out I was advised to try farming. When I first went on the farm I prevailed on the only firm who handled drugs to get me one dozen bottles of S. S. S. At that time both of my hands were broken out with blisters and I was covered with boils and sores. In the meantime my druggist had gotten two dozen bottles of S. S. S. for me and I began its use, and after taking the thirteenth bottle not a sore or boil was visible. R. B. POWELL, East 9th St., Little Rock, Ark.

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Father and Son Had Money With Which to Close The Deal.

A New York special dispatch to the Louisville Post says:

Thanks to the vigilance of house detective at the Astor House, two men giving their names as Harris H. Hight and Oscar Hight, of Hopkinsville, Ky., father and son, were saved from losing \$565 in the hotel yesterday. They had the money in the hotel safe and were waiting in their room to meet a man who had advertised to show them a scheme to make big money.

The house detective and two police detectives took the Kentuckians before United States Commissioner Shields. He discharged them. The detectives put them on a west bound train at Jersey City. The two registered at the Astor House yesterday morning. They at once attracted general attention in the corridor, and when at the desk they were watched closely by D. M. Sanderson, the hotel's detective. The elder man drew \$565 from his pocket, after being assured it would be placed in the hotel safe. The Kentuckians admitted, according to the detectives' that they had brought \$565 to New York to exchange it for certain property in answer to a circular.

The men had with them a small black handbag. There had been much speculation among the detectives as to what it contained. It was opened, and inside were found a bottle of whisky, a large piece of boiled beef and two loaves of bread.

The elder Hight is a merchant at Lobelia, in North Christian. He and his son left Hopkinsville Monday for New York. He had told friends that he was going to Nashville on business.

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## MARRIED IN BUGGY

PRETTY SCHOOL GIRL BE-  
COMES A BRIDE

Some Other Nuptial Notes  
That Have a Local  
Interest.

(From Friday's Daily)

Mr. Albert M. Charlton and Miss Lucy Roberts Hankins were married Tuesday about six o'clock p.m. while sitting in their buggy by Rev. Mr. Hyde in front of the minister's residence on East Seventh street. The bride is the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hankins who reside on Durrett's avenue. She is only eighteen years old, and has been attending school this session. The groom is a prosperous young farmer of Oak Grove, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Charlton, and is twenty-four years old. The only witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Charlton. It was a surprise to the many friends of the happy young couple. They will be with the bride's parents for about two weeks and will then reside with the groom's parents near Oak Grove.

Miss Patsy Sullivan, daughter of Mrs. S. H. Sullivan, of this city, and Mr. William B. Long, of Louisville, were united in marriage at Jellico, Tenn., where the bride was visiting friends, Wednesday evening of last week. Mrs. Long returned to this city the following Thursday for a visit and it was then that the news of the marriage, which came as a complete surprise to family and friends, first became known.

The bride is twenty years of age and one of the most attractive and popular young ladies of Elkton's society circles. She has the very best wishes of an extensive circle of friends here and elsewhere in the state.—Todd County Times.

John R. Johnson and Miss Josie Spicer were married Thursday in the office of the county clerk, the knot being tied by Judge Fowler.

Licenses were issued this morning and forwarded by mail to the prospective groom, for the marriage of Eugene Graves and Miss Melissa Lee, a popular young couple of Johnson's neighborhood, near the Muhlenberg county line.

### The Best Cough Syrup.

S. L. Apple, ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa, Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Ray & Fowler and L. L. Elgin.

### Native of Christian.

Mr. Robert S. Cash, a first cousin of Dr. J. H. Lackey and T. H. Fuqua, of Canton, died at Hamilton, Caldwell county, Mo., on February 4th. He was born in Christian county, Ky., August 10th, 1851, and after arriving at the age of young manhood moved to Missouri, where he had since lived. He became quite prominent as a citizen and business man, and the news of his death has brought sadness to many relatives in Kentucky. The father of Mr. Cash died in 1890, and a brother, Oscar Cash, died only about a month ago in the far West.—Cadiz Record.

### Cured Consumption.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Charwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Ray & Fowler and L. L. Elgin.

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## THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Discussed by John Temple Graves

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Theodore Roosevelt, by grace of God and by will of the people the twenty-sixth president of the United States, is playing a large part just now not only in the affairs of his country, but in shaping the future policy and destiny of the Democratic party.

The president is a natural Democrat he says so himself—a "Benton Democrat," he calls it. How he managed to get mixed up with the Republican camp and to prosper in it is a mystery that can only be explained by environment—and luck. The Republican leaders never liked him. They always protested his free, bold ways, and they most deliberately tried to shelve him by making him vice-president against his will at Philadelphia.

But the Providence which shapes the destinies of nations and of men reserved him for service to the people, and for the revivification of the great Democratic party which carries now and always the best hope of the plain people of America.

The president has climbed into the Democratic band wagon and has actually seized the reins and is doing the driving without any apology to the owners. He is fighting the trust iniquities as if his name was Hearst or Bryan. He is taking the lines of the Democrat platform in remedial legislation, and he is fighting the railroad rate iniquities in almost the exact terms of the Hearst bill of last March. He is demonstrating a regard for popular rights and a fearlessness for corporate displeasure which is as wholesome as it is unRepublican; and he is setting an example of courage in high place which is bracing the backbone of all parties and of all citizens in a republic that has been too much inclined to cower and tremble before the supposed omnipotence of the colossal trusts and syndicates.

I do not fear or hesitate to say this much of the Republican president, because it is true, and because I am sure that his present policies will all work out to the good and glory of the Democratic party, whose platform he is now vindicating, and the correctness and practicability of whose creeds he is advertising to the amazement of his own ranks and to the delight of ours.

Theodore Roosevelt is making Democrats every day—making them out of men who have been Republicans, and making over those who have forgotten to be Democrats, or who have been discouraged in the hope of success.

Do not for a moment imagine that the president can ever carry his old hide-bound party of privilege and tariff fed parasites along with him in this Democratic way. They are following him rather dumbly now, because they have scarcely gotten their breath in the astonishment which his boldness and his popular courage have produced. They are afraid, too, of this young and now untrammelled political athlete, whose prowess and daring do not particularly invite difference or attack. But there is a muttering all through the ranks of the Republican party, and the murmur will deepen to a storm, in which the spoilsman's organization will go down to defeat. The prophets of party are already foretelling the speedy future in which Theodore Roosevelt will stand and as Cleveland did—at odds with all the leaders of his political army, and as a wedge to split in twain an organization that has already performed its mission and ought to be ready to die.

Nor is the president himself to reap the fruits of a career which must be unselfish because it is without the expectation of political reward. He has definitely and distinctly put behind him the desire or expectation of another term of office. He has pledged himself to be no more a candidate for presidential honors. He cannot in honor lead again. His party will not deserve the credit for

his popular administration. He himself is out of the race for indorsement. By the next national campaign the Republican party will be split into fiercest factions over the Rooseveltian reign. The faction of corporate greed and special privilege which furnish the money will be implacable against a Democratic president in a Republican administration. They will stand in a phalanx for the old creeds of protection and favoritism. There is no compromise and no concessions to be expected from them. They will force the old craft back to its selfish moorings and have faith in another safe voyage to the presidential haven.

But there are thousands of honest Republicans who since the war in loyal and unquestioning faith have followed the fortunes of the party of Lincoln and Grant. They have kept the faith and never broken ranks because their traditions were set. To these men Roosevelt is a revelation. He is preaching them Democracy from a Republican pulpit. He is showing them that the things which Democrats have pleaded for for forty years, and which they have been taught to believe would bring ruin to the country, are good things and righteous things and that they can be done and ought to be done.

Those men can never be Republicans after the old fashion any more. Roosevelt has opened their eyes. They see the light and love it because it is the light of popular liberty.

Now, who will these men follow? They cannot follow the spoilsman and the trust magnate. Not all the fat of syndicates can tempt them any more.

They will not have Roosevelt to follow, for the Reform President will not be there to lead.

What, then, but the Democratic party is left to carry the creeds and policies which these honest men have been taught by a great example to respect?

If only the Democratic party shall be true to itself and to its great traditions. If only the Democratic party will rise to the level of the great opportunity which is presented to it in this tremendous movement. If only the trimmers and cowards and half-Republicans will be quiet or quit, and give a real Democracy free course to be glorified.

No half-hearted platform, no cumbersome platitudes, no straddling protestations and no halting and uncertain candidate can rally the brave, true men who have been liberated and inspired by the splendid movements of this eventful year.

The man and the platform must meet in a definite and aggressive campaign. The issues must be clear. The sentences must be short. The platform must be brief enough for every American voter to paste in his hat.

First—Reform the robber tariff.

Second—Regulate the criminal trusts.

Third—Equalize taxation, if it takes an income tax to do it.

Fourth—Arbitrate the differences of labor and capital.

Fifth—Make reasonable the hours of labor.

Sixth—Put child slavery out of the factories.

Seventh—And put in stripes every man who buys or bullies an American ballot.

Go to the country in seven ringing sentences and the country will respond in a storm of ballots that will bury the Republican party.

Every convert that Roosevelt is making now to the doctrines of popular rights and liberty—and they are thousands—must pin his faith hereafter to the party from whom the president is borrowing his thunder.

There are many Democrats, it is true, whose creeds and personal interests will carry them to the ranks of the old conservative party of property and privilege.

Let them go and the sooner the better. For the great rank of the Democratic army—the plain people of America—reinforced and recruited by the great army whom Roosevelt has liberated from Republican tradition, will make a majority mightier than Roosevelt's own.

And in that majority will be written the rebuke of the selfish and greedy spoilsman, and the triumph of the great people—the greatest good of the greatest number—for whom the government was builded by the fathers and for whom it must be administered if it hopes or deserves to survive.

It shall be the purpose of this and subsequent letters to point the Democratic people to their splendid opportunity and to the way to meet it.

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

## TALK OF NEW STATE

MOVEMENT IS AGAIN ON  
FOOT

Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia and North Carolina  
To Constitute Part.

The movement is again on foot to organize a new state, to be formed out of portions of Tennessee, Kentucky, Virginia and North Carolina, with the appropriate name of Cumberlandland, says the Elizabethtown News. The new state would be one of the richest, if not the richest, in the great sisterhood of states, in natural resources, such as coal, iron and timber and advocates of the proposed commonwealth claim that industrial development of the sections embraced within the boundary of the new state be slow as long as the sections mentioned remain as part of the old states. In the event of the formation of the new state of Cumberlandland, it would be allotted about seven representatives in the federal congress at the outset, which would undoubtedly be increased at such apportionment, as the state would rapidly develop and increase in population. Politically, the state would be almost solidly Republican, but the states from which it was formed would thenceforward be safely Democratic at every election. The capital would very probably be located at Knoxville.

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### Mrs. Cooley Resigns.

The Paducah Register says: Mrs. Mammie Cooley McMannon has resigned her position as official stenographer for the Third judicial district on account of the duties as official stenographer for the First district being so heavy they consume all of her time. She has been stenographer for the Third district for the past year, while since the first of this year she has been the stenographer for Judge Reed's court, having succeeded Lawyer Albin Barkley, who resigned to actively prosecute his canvass for the Democratic nomination for county attorney. The Third district is the circuit court presided over by Judge Thomas P. Cook, of Murray.

### Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Bilioussness." 25c at L. L. Elgin's and Ray & Fowler's, druggist.

## HUNG JURY.

**Result of Taylor Trial Before Mock Tribunal.**  
(Special to New Era.)

DES MOINES, Iowa, March 3.—The jury in the case of the commonwealth of Kentucky against William Taylor, formerly governor, for complicity in the murder of Governor William Goebel, which was tried in mock court at the Drake's University College of Law, reported it failed to reach an agreement. A message was dispatched to former Governor Taylor in Indianapolis telling of the result.

The jury was composed of eleven Republicans and one Democrat. It stood six for conviction and six for an acquittal. The jury was out a long time.

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## SENT UP FOR LIFE

FINCH WILL APPLY FOR NEW TRIAL.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The jury in the case of Chas. Finch returned the following verdict this morning shortly after court convened: "We, the jury, find the defendant, Charley Finch, guilty as charged in the indictment and fix his punishment at confinement in the state penitentiary for life.—Signed: James M. Alder, one of the jury." Motion for a new trial will be made and if overruled an appeal will be taken.

Out of the nine negroes arrested for complicity in the murder of the unknown man, all have now had a trial except Ed Moseley, who is out on bond. George Holland is under sentence of death. Frank Massie, Frank Sherman, Ed Holland and Bill Garrett are now in the penitentiary serving life sentences. Charlie Finch was sentenced to death but was granted a new trial and the verdict sentencing him to life imprisonment has just been returned. Frank Meriwether and Dick Carney were also sentenced to hang, but their cases were reversed by the court of appeals. Carney's trial has just been completed and his fate is now with the jury.

The case of Mack Horn charged with the murder of his father on July 4 last year, was called this afternoon having been set especially for this day, and was continued until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

It was expected that the case against Frank Meriwether would be called this afternoon; and trial begun at once but it will probably not be reached until tomorrow morning and possibly even later.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)  
This morning both sides announced ready for the trial of Dick Carney and the work of impaneling the jury was begun. Seventy-five men had been summoned yesterday from which to select the jury and so no time was lost in this way. The jury is composed of the following citizens of the county:

J. W. Alexander, John Wynn, L. B. Hamby, J. V. Boyd, H. F. Boyd, Dennis Durham, Emmett Roper, J. C. Duke, W. R. Barnes, R. H. Baker, J. W. Gresham, J. E. Taylor.

Robt. Lander, colored, is the attorney for Carney while the prosecution is represented by Commonwealth's Attorney Smith, County Attorney Anderson, Judge James Breathitt and Judge Charles H. Bush.

From present indications the case against Carney is especially strong for the prosecution. The circumstantial evidence introduced at his previous trial and which was then strong enough to influence the jury to bring in a death verdict, Charles Finch and Ed Moseley were both placed on the stand today, and told the same story they have told throughout, that they saw Meriwether, George Holland, Frank Sherman, Dick Carney and Frank Massie creep up on the sleeping man and murder him, when they ran. They both claim they knew nothing about these having been a murder planned and were standing in the road talking when they saw the blows struck and the man's throat cut.

Neither of these stories was shaken in the main details and both of the witnesses had made substantially the same statement while they were in jail at Pembroke and before they were brought here. At Carney's former trial the defense was an attempt to establish an alibi but it failed and the death verdict was returned. One of the most important pieces of circumstantial evidence introduced in the former trial against Carney was the one dollar bill which was found in his pocket when arrested. Witnesses who had seen the stranger display his roll of money in the saloon when he bought the bottle of whiskey testified that a one dollar bill was wrapped around the outside of the roll.

(From Monday's Daily.)  
The taking of testimony in the Finch trial was resumed this morning, the commonwealth only introducing one witness, Marshal J. E. Jackson, of Pembroke. He was asked as to an alleged conversation between Holland and Finch while they were still in jail at Pembroke before being brought here, but the court sustained the objection of the defense that these alleged confessions were incompetent and the testimony was excluded.

Charles Finch was the first witness

## NEW PRISON IS OCCUPIED



CHRISTIAN COUNTY'S HANDSOME JAIL.

Jailer John Boyd and his family have moved into the new jail building. The new building is much more commodious and conveniently arranged than the old one, not only in the prison proper but just as much so in the apartments for the jailer and his family. The building is heated

by steam and the installing of the heating plant is what kept the jailer from moving in sooner, as there was no means of heating the building until the plant was ready. Last night the jail was lighted from top to bottom by the electric lights and it showed up from the outside like a fine hotel.

placed on the stand by the defense and he barely finished by noon. He stated that he went to Pembroke on the afternoon of Nov. 14, 1903 where he staid until about dark. He claimed not to have seen any of the other nine negroes while in Pembroke except Frank Massie, who invited him to come to George Holland's that night for a card game. He said he went to Holland's, no one being there except Holland and his family, and that in a few minutes they went to Ned Moseley's where they found Massie and others and where they played cards, afterward returning to Holland's house. He then told of leaving Holland's and going down the road and meeting Meriwether, Sherman and Carney about distance before reaching the spot where the man lay sleeping.

He told of Holland's and Massie's joining the three newcomers in the woods and of their holding a whispered conversation while the other four, Finch, Ed Moseley, Ed Holland and Bill Garrett stood in the road, Ed Holland trying to borrow a nickel from Ed Moseley with which to enter the proposed game. When the five in the woods started off they first went away from the body but then turned and made their way through the woods toward where the man lay asleep, the four in the road walking on down in the same direction but staying in the road. He told of seeing Meriwether strike the deadly blows with the axe handle, and of seeing George Holland jump astride the sleeping man with the large knife in hand, when he ran, going through Chilton's wheat field and directly to his home on the farm of John Bond three miles distant. He admitted having told Mr. Bond on the following Tuesday after the body had been found that he knew nothing whatever of it and said that he told this falsehood through fear that if he told the truth the other negroes implicated would kill him. Judge Breathitt conducted the cross examination and at the outset Finch stated that he spent nearly the entire afternoon of Saturday in Smith's saloon, leaving about dark, but that during the entire time he did not see Dick Carney, who was employed in the saloon, not any of the other negroes charged with the crime, with the exception of Frank Massie. Judge Breathitt also asked him directly if it was not a fact that the four negroes in the road were there for the purpose of acting as a guard to give notice of the approach of any one, but the witness stoutly denied this or of having any connection either with the plot or murder. He stated that as nearly as he could judge it was about midnight when the murder was committed. He also said that when he left the scene, he went directly home, where he laid down for a few minutes, after which he did various chores around the place, he met Mr. Bond at the lot gate, and that when questioned by Mr. Bond he told him that he had spent the night at George Holland's.

Under direct questioning the witness admitted that the place where the man lay asleep was almost in the opposite direction from where they usually played cards out that when the other five started through the woods in that direction the four in the road followed without knowing anything of their object.

The commonwealth expected to introduce George Holland in this trial but when questioned as to what he

would say, he doggedly stuck to the story he told on the witness stand in his own trial that he was not at the killing, took no part in it and knew nothing whatever about it, but that he was at home the entire night. If he sticks to this in the other trials he will prove valueless as a witness for the prosecution.

This afternoon Jack Finch, father of the defendant, and Ed Moseley, were introduced by the defense to corroborate the defendant on minor points.

In rebuttal the prosecution recalled Finch to ask him specifically whether or not he had returned to George Holland's house on the night of the murder. This he positively denied. Dudley Bowles, a niece of George Holland, stated that Finch and Holland left the house early in the night and returned some time later in company with Frank Massie and two others whom she did not know. These left again and again returned some time before daylight and played cards on an upturned tub until about daylight. After the witnesses had been cross-examined both sides announced through. There will probably be only one speech on each side in this case and these will be heard this afternoon and the case will go to the jury.

The cases of Frank Meriwether and Dick Carney were then called and the prosecution announced ready. Attorney Lander, for the defense, tried to get a continuance to the next term of court on the grounds that the mandate of the court of appeals in reversing the previous decision had not been duly filed and notification given. The court overruled this as the notice of the decision had been forwarded direct to the attorney. The sheriff was then ordered to summon a venire of seventy-five or a hundred men to be here at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Attorney Lander demanded separate trials for his clients and it is not yet known which one will be called first. Attorney Lander also stated that he did not think it was possible to get an impartial jury in this county but the court stated that the attempt would be made here then if it was found that it was impossible a special venire from an adjoining county would be summoned.

## LITTLE DAUGHTER

Of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Monarch Is Dead.

Anada Monarch, the lovely little six-years-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Monarch, died Sunday night of the grip at the home of her parents at Oak Grove. Her illness was brief. The child was a grand daughter of the late James A. McKensie. The remains were taken to Owensboro for interment in the Catholic cemetery, services being conducted by Rev. Father Fitzgerald.

## Kentucky Derby.

The full list of eligibles to the Kentucky Derby has been announced as follows:

Saulsbury, Palm Tree, Agile Broadcloth, Kurtzman, Drexel, Ivan the Terrible, John Smulski, Savoir Faire, McQuellan, Braden, Layout, Nat B. Flaxman, Retort, Clydeo, Councilman, Dr. Leggo, Lobo, Norway, Freebooter, Ed. Sheridan, Pinkerton, Jack Lory, Lucillus, Uncle Charley, The Englishman, Ram's Horn.

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## HANDSOME COUPLE

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT CLARKSVILLE.

Reside in Christian County—  
Divorce Wanted Next Door.

From Wednesday's Daily

Miss Eliza Barnett and Mr. Clarence Gossett, a youthful-looking couple from Christian county, were married at the courthouse this noon by Squire Z. Smith. The blushing bride was quite pretty, and after the gallant magistrate had given his admonition and good wishes to the husband and wife, they were congratulated by the spectators, who had gathered to witness the ceremony. Among the latter were a number of club women, who had just been in attendance on a meeting of the federation. In contrast to this happy occasion, in Clerk C. D. Bailey's office was the granting of a divorce in the circuit court by Judge B. D. Bell. It was a sad-looking young woman who had applied for release from bonds that the husband had already broken by desertion, and she was granted an absolute divorce. She was accompanied by her father and relatives and as she left the courtroom came face to face with the happy bridal couple. They left by the opposite doors, the joyous two, facing the "land of promise," leaving by the eastern door.

Squire Smith claims powers as a special mascot in matrimonial ventures and made the assertion that divorces played no part in the marriages sealed by him.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

Mrs. John Young Owaley and little daughter have returned from a visit to Mrs. John Garrett near Bell.

## NAMES NEGRO

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—

President Roosevelt sent to the senate the nomination of the negro Charles W. Anderson to be collector of internal revenue for the Second district of New York. The New York senators have agreed to the appointment and will not oppose confirmation. The nomination was hurried along, it is asserted, because of the report that vigorous protests were coming from New York.

## RUSH OF IMMIGRANTS.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Nearly 20,000 immigrants, forerunners of the spring rush, are scheduled to arrive this week. Last week 14,585 were brought in by thirteen ships. Of the eighteen ships scheduled to arrive seven will bring 7,587 Italians. Of the large number now coming from Italy, the majority will go west.

## Coming Home.

A Washington despatch to the Courier-Journal says:

Hugh L. Gardner, of Elizabethtown, J. S. Bassett, of Hopkinsville; Guthrie Birkhead, of Owensboro, and Jo V. Neal and G. C. Stoll, of Louisville, five of the ten Kentucky high school boys, who came to Washington to participate in the inaugural parade, left for home tonight.

The others leave tomorrow afternoon. The boys made a fine showing in the parade and have had the time of their life in Washington. They went to Mt. Vernon this afternoon.

## RUNAWAY MARRIAGE

Joel W. Cayce and Miss Kate Duke were married at the courthouse on Tuesday, the ceremony being performed by Judge W. M. Pollard. They came from Hopkinsville, the marriage being a runaway affair.—Nashville American.

## CAUGHT AT KELLY

OTHO ARMSTRONG RETURNED TO PRISON

Says an Employee of the Jail  
Furnished The Tools.

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Otho Armstrong, aged thirteen, one of the prisoners who escaped from jail at Madisonville Friday night, was arrested by Sheriff Ashley at Kelly Christian county yesterday. Armstrong was being held in jail for housebreaking until April, when he was to have been sent to the School of Reform. He confessed to the authorities that a negro whose name he did not know and who was an employee at the jail, furnished the implements with which to break from prison.

## TWO MORE CAPTURED.

MADISONVILLE, Ky., March 8.—County Attorney Ruby Lafoon and ex-Sheriff Burt Stanley yesterday afternoon captured John Hall and Jeff Morgan, two of the prisoners who broke jail here last Thursday night. The prisoners were at the home of Hall's brother, near Providence, stripping tobacco. A reward of \$400 had been offered by the governor for their capture. They are under indictment for murder.

## FOR SALE.

A nice stock of general merchandise with a good trade built up. This business is located in a good railroad town in the southern part of Christian county, Ky., and is a full and up-to-date stock and the owners are doing a good business. The postoffice is located in the store and will be turned over to the purchaser of the business. We can sell this stock with or without the store house, as desired. See us for terms, price, etc. WINFREE & KNIGHT.



## GRAND JURY'S WORK.

### BATCH OF INDICTMENTS BROUGHT IN.

#### Dr. Lackey's Answer to Bourland Charges—Cases In Court.

The grand jury has returned the following batch of indictments, all the parties indicted being in jail:

Isaac Poindexter, malicious shooting and wounding.  
John Campbell, Ernest O'Neal and John Hargrave, stealing from a common carrier. These negroes were arrested at the same time as those recently released by the grand jury.  
Dave Cunningham, petit larceny.  
James Dawson, malicious shooting and wounding.  
Frank White, malicious shooting and wounding.  
Frank Stevens, assault and battery.  
Frank White, carrying concealed a deadly weapon.  
Columbus Pepper, manslaughter. Pepper is the negro who killed his brother with a shovel.

Downer & Russell, attorneys for the defendant, this morning filed their answer to the petition of Mrs. Mary Bourland, mother of Spiegel Bourland, for \$10,000 damages for an alleged assault upon the plaintiff while he was a patient in the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane.

In the answer it is denied that Dr. Lackey unlawfully and maliciously assaulted the patient while he was being held by two attendants as is charged in the plaintiff's petition. It is further stated in the answer that Bourland was subject to violent outbursts of anger and that while in one of these rages he assaulted another patient and attempted to assault the physician. Dr. Lackey claims in his answer that he only warned off the blow aimed at him and struck the patient a light blow on the head, not enough to injure him at all.

The case of S. M. and K. R. McKee, doing business under the firm name of McKee Bros., against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., for running into a wagon and team belonging to the plaintiff was submitted to the court for judgment this morning and damages in the sum of \$250.50 was awarded the plaintiffs.

The suit of Charles D. Campbell against the Hopkinsville Water Co., for alleged damage to his land by reason of overflow of water caused by the dam of the water company has been dismissed as settled.

#### Gives Bond as Receiver.

The Planters Bank and Trust company has given bond as receiver in the case of Robert McClelland and others against Theodore Troendel and others. The property which goes into the hands of the receiver consisting of a large farm in Christian county and certain houses in Hopkinsville. A suit for the adjustment of the estate is pending in the United States district court. It is a most complicated suit, covering in its details the life time of three generations.

## WANT OFFICE.

Monday was entry day for the candidates before the Todd county primary to be held March 21. The following entries were made: County judge, P. O. Duffy; county attorney, Jas. R. Mallory; sheriff, Tom Mims, J. E. Patton, W. S. Shelton, Lucien Lindsay and John C. Dickinson; jailer, James Gill and J. C. Johnson; county clerk, Coleman E. Gill; superintendent of schools, A. S. Johnson and McD. O'Brien; representative, S. M. Russell; coroner, Dr. T. E. Bruce; assessor, J. L. Cardin, J. B. Miller, S. T. Slaughter, J. N. Stokes, W. F. Chestnut, L. S. Oliver, K. K. Christian and M. B. Henderson.

#### Sent to Asylum.

Mr. Robert L. Downey, a prominent and prosperous farmer of the Woodburn vicinity, whose insanity we mentioned Saturday, says the Bowling Green News, was brought to the city yesterday morning, and in the afternoon in the circuit court before a jury he was adjudged of unsound mind and was ordered sent to the Western Asylum at Hopkinsville.

## Ayer's

We know what all good doctors think of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor and find out. He will tell you how it quiets the tickling throat, heals the inflamed lungs, and controls the hardest of coughs.

### Cherry Pectoral

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is well known in our family. We think it is the best medicine in the world for coughs and colds.

For Hard Coughs

One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative.

## MR. WHITE IS DEAD

### PROMINENT AND HIGHLY RESPECTED CITIZEN.

Eighty-four Years Old.—Funeral at Christian Church Thursday.

(From Wednesday's Daily)

Samuel R. White, one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens in the county, died at three o'clock this morning of a complication of diseases at his home near Julian.

He was eighty-four years of age on the second day of this month, and nearly all of his useful life had been spent in Christian county. He was born in Louisa county, Virginia, but came here when a boy, and had since that time continuously resided in the county. He was a successful farmer and trader and an extensive tobacco dealer. He was married fifty years ago to Miss Rebecca Rives. His widow and two sons, J. C. and W. H. White, and one daughter, Miss Lizzie White, survive him. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Christian church in this city, conducted by Rev. H. D. Smith, and the remains will be interred in Hopewell cemetery.

## M'CUTCHEEN IN.

### Presents Commission From Governor.

(Special to New Era.)  
FRANKFORT, Ky., March 8.—H. S. McCutcheon, of Russellville, whom Governor Beckham appointed a member of the state prison commission to succeed J. M. Richardson, of Barren county, presented his commission and sat with that body.

Paroles were granted by the commission as follows: Wm. Haynes, colored, of Hickman county, sent up eighteen years ago for life for murder; Charles Inman, of Laurel county, sent up two years ago to serve six years for manslaughter. He is ill of consumption.

#### Preparing to Leave.

It has been finally determined to establish a Republican paper at Madisonville at least during the present campaign. Mr. McDonald, who has been connected with the Hopkinsville Messenger, will be the editor and manager of the paper. The press and equipment to be used come from Greenville, and were once used on a paper at that place. It is stated on reliable authority that the Republican leaders guaranteed 700 cash subscribers as an inducement for Mr. McDonald to establish the paper here. Mr. McDonald seems to be a very nice gentleman and has had previous newspaper experience.—Madisonville Hustler.

Dr. Edwards, specialty eye, ear, nose and throat. Test made for glasses. Phoenix Building, Main St., Hopkinsville

## COL. LIGE SEBREE.

### WANTS TO BE APPOINTED COLLECTOR.

Former Hopkinsville Citizen Has Filed Application At Washington.

Our fellow-townsman, the Hon. E. G. Sebree, has filed an application with the authorities at Washington to be appointed collector for this district.

It gives the Gleaner great pleasure to bear testimony to the personal worth and attractive social qualities of Col. Sebree. As a lawyer and practitioner he occupies a high position among his professional brethren. For years past he has been attorney for the St. Bernard Coal Co. at Earlington. The multifarious and exacting demands of that huge corporation have all but monopolized the professional labors of Col. Sebree, leaving him but scant time to devote to the general practice of the profession.

Col. Sebree was born April 30, 1857, on his father's farm near Trenton, in Todd county. He attended the village schools and in 1873 entered Bethany College, West Virginia, from which he was graduated in the class of 1877 as valedictorian. He worked in the Henderson circuit clerk's office under David Banks, and at the same time studied law under S. B. Vance until the fall of 1878. He then entered the Louisville law school and graduated in one term in the year of 1879. In the same year he began the practice of the law in Hopkinsville, and in the following year formed a partnership with the Hon. John Feland, Sr.

In 1882 he was elected county attorney of Christian county and served one term. He then served in the state legislature in 1887 and 1889, being nominated and elected without opposition. At the close of the session he came to Henderson and opened a law office. Four years later he was a delegate from the Second and congressional district to the national Republican convention and two years later was the nominee of his party for congressman from the Second district of Kentucky, and though it is normally a Democratic district and the majority given the Democratic nominees are always large, Col. Sebree was beaten by only 2,800 votes. It was in this campaign that Col. Sebree took a position against free silver, the first time it was made an issue in this state. Last year he was again delegate to the national convention of his party.

So it is seen that he has served his party well. Col. Sebree's entrance into the race gives Henderson two candidates for the place, either of whom would grace the office of collector. It being a Republican fight it would be manifestly improper for the Gleaner to express a preference, but we would be pleased to see a Henderson man given the position. Not only because either is capable, but for a more selfish reason perhaps, the good it will do the city. Both are staunch and tried Republicans. Both are deserving. Likewise is Henderson deserving of something in the way of Federal patronage.—Henderson Gleaner.

## REPORT IS MADE

The monthly report of the state agricultural commissioner, the first for the present year, was issued Monday from that department.

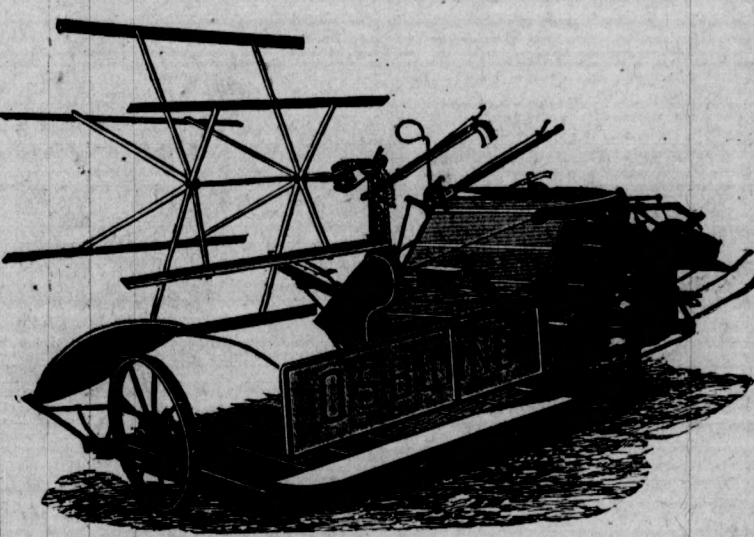
The report shows a wheat acreage of 90 per cent. of a full crop, and its condition is reported as 85 per cent. The acreage of winter oats is given as 91 per cent. of a full crop, and the condition as being 80 per cent. The acreage of rye is given as 92 per cent. of last year, and the condition is 88. The condition of clover is given as 80, and of meadows as 93.

The percentage of the Burley tobacco crop reported sold is 55 and of dark tobacco 87 per cent.

## CONSTIPATION LOSES ITS GRIP

upon you the moment you begin taking the celebrated DR. CARLSTEDT'S GERMAN LIVER POWDER. All stomach disorders cured by this greatest of all constitutional remedies. Ask your druggist—if he hasn't it we will send it to you, prepaid. \$1 per bottle. Trial size, 25c. Address, at once, AMERICAN PHARMACAL CO., Manufacturing Chemists, Evansville, Ind.

## The Osborne



We took the agency for the Osborne when comparatively a new machine in this section. We have worked up a big trade on it, which we could never have done were it not a machine of great merit. Of the large number sold last year all gave perfect satisfaction, and we could get testimonials from every man that used one

## FULL LINE OF MOWERS HAY RAKES ETC

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## FORBES MFG. CO

### REPUBLICAN SCRAP

#### FOR NOMINATION FOR STATE SENATOR

#### Christian County's Time To Furnish the Democratic Nominee.

Indications point to a right interesting scrap between Wm. Lynch, Latt F. McLaughlin and Ben T. Robinson for the Republican nomination for state senator from the district composed of Hopkins and Christian counties. This is Hopkins county's time to furnish the Republican nominee and Christian county's time to furnish the Democratic nominee. Mr. McLaughlin was the Republican nominee for representative four years ago. Mr. Lynch was the Republican nominee for congress a few years back, and Mr. Robinson represented the county one term in the legislature.—Madisonville Hustler.

#### Church Dedication.

The handsome missionary Baptist church edifice erected at Guthrie two years ago will be dedicated the fifth Sunday in April. Rev. John Cheek has been selected to preach the dedicatory sermon.

### Personal Notes.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)  
Mrs. R. H. Wilson, of Gracely, spent yesterday with relatives in the city.  
Mrs. Claud Siak has returned from Pembroke where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Trice.  
Miss Ruby Rosh returned from Hopkinsville after a short visit to her aunt, Mrs. Nuckolls.—Madisonville Hustler.  
Mrs. Perry Bromberg, of Nashville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. Frankel.  
Misses Sallie and Lee Campbell are visiting in Nashville.  
Miss Annie McPherson is in the country visiting Mrs. Will Glass.  
Guy Starling is in New Orleans attending the Mardi Gras festivities. From Tuesday's Daily.  
Mrs. T. L. Bacon went to Cadiz today to visit relatives.  
W. R. Bowles has returned from a business trip to Nortonville.  
Lieut. V. M. Elmore, of the U. S. army, is a guest of Walter A. Radford, near Pembroke.  
Henry and Sam Frankel have returned from New York where they purchased spring goods.  
The following persons from Clarksville attended the wedding of Ben Klein and Miss Sarah Klein in this city Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Klein and daughter, Annie, Mrs. S. Rubenstein, Mrs. I. Schindler and son, Dave, Mrs. Hyman Brenner and son, Harry, and daughters, Misses Lena and Sarah, Mrs. Joe Goldberg, Max Friedberg and Miss Mollie Goldstein.

### COURT OF BEN-HUR

#### IS ORGANIZED IN THIS CITY

#### Officers Elected.—Lodge Instituted by Deputy Supreme Chief Williams.

No. 21 Hopkinsville Court of Ben-Hur was organized last night with an enthusiastic membership of thirty-eight. The following officers were elected and installed:  
Past chief, L. H. Grubbs.  
Chief, O. G. Craig.  
Judge, R. E. Harter.  
Teacher, Mrs. Florence Lidsell.  
Scribe, E. M. Moss.  
Keeper of Tribute, T. D. Bell.  
Captain, Maxey Wade.  
Guide, J. H. White.  
K. of I. G., Mrs. Carrie Fears.  
K. of O. G., Ben F. Grove.  
The court was organized by D. E. Williams, deputy supreme chief.

#### Sells Tobacco For \$25,000.

James W. Parish, the largest tobacco grower in Woodford county, sold his crop of 240,000 pounds of tobacco at an average of about 10½ cents per pound, or over \$25,000 for the crop.



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Forty-six—\$37.10  
Forty-seven—\$37.90  
Forty-eight—\$38.70  
Forty-nine—\$39.50  
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Fifty-one—\$41.10  
Fifty-two—\$41.90  
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Fifty-four—\$43.50  
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Fifty-six—\$45.10  
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Fifty-eight—\$46.70  
Fifty-nine—\$47.50  
Sixty—\$48.30  
Sixty-one—\$49.10  
Sixty-two—\$49.90  
Sixty-three—\$50.70  
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Seventy-two—\$57.90  
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Eighty-six—\$69.10  
Eighty-seven—\$69.90  
Eighty-eight—\$70.70  
Eighty-nine—\$71.50  
Ninety—\$72.30  
Ninety-one—\$73.10  
Ninety-two—\$73.90  
Ninety-three—\$74.70  
Ninety-four—\$75.50  
Ninety-five—\$76.30  
Ninety-six—\$77.10  
Ninety-seven—\$77.90  
Ninety-eight—\$78.70  
Ninety-nine—\$79.50  
One hundred—\$80.30

### COURT DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court—First Monday in June  
and fourth Monday in February and Sep-  
tember.  
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in January, April, July and October.  
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The younger Mr. Rockefeller, son of  
the Standard oil king, is a Sunday  
school teacher, and it is said that his  
favorite text is the warning to "Keep  
your lamp trimmed and burning."

A Chicago man with an income of  
fifteen thousand dollars has set the  
pace for spouse pin money allowance  
with reckless prodigality he pays  
his wife seven dollars a month.

The joke now is on the United  
States which was the loudest in mak-  
ing fun of the French for their slow-  
ness in digging the Panama canal.

There is another revolution in Ven-  
ezuela. Only the war editor can tell  
where one begins and the other  
leaves off.

It is sad to think that Senator  
Quay, no matter how old he would  
have grown, could not have lived to  
hear the beautiful things that have  
been said about him since his death.

A boy has been arrested in Wash-  
ington for stealing books from a de-  
partment store. Copies of Shakespe-  
peare, Byron and Burns have been  
found on him and he says it was the  
only way he could get books to read.

Dr. Osler says a man is useless af-  
ter forty years, but it is the age at  
which some women are fairest, false.

### CONSUMPTION'S WARNING



Inside facts soon become evident in outside  
symptoms.—DR. G. G. GREEN.

The aid of scientific inventions is not  
needed to determine whether your lungs  
are affected. The first symptoms can be  
readily noted by anyone of average in-  
telligence.  
There is no disease known that gives so  
many plain warnings of its approach as  
consumption, and no serious disease that  
can be so quickly reached and checked,  
if the medicine used is Dr. Boschee's  
German Syrup, which is made to cure  
consumption.  
It is in the early stages that German  
Syrup should be taken, when warnings  
are given in the cough that won't quit,  
the congestion of the bronchial tubes and  
the gradual weakening of the lungs, ac-  
companied by frequent expectoration.  
No matter how deep-seated your  
cough, even if dread consumption has  
already attacked your lungs, German  
Syrup will surely effect a cure—as it has  
done before in thousands of apparently  
hopeless cases of lung trouble.  
New trial bottles, 25c. Regular size,  
75c. At all druggists.

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### THE GREATEST EPOCH OF MARRIAGE

The first is the most crucial time.  
If for the first time the greatest  
event in your married lives is about  
to occur, how expectant, how wrapt  
up in it you find yourselves.  
You try to overlook, but in vain,  
that element of uncertainty and dan-  
ger that you have been led to expect  
from the experience of those mothers  
and fathers who have struggled  
through this ordeal in ignorance of

### Mother's Friend

what it is, and what it does.  
If at this time every expectant man  
and wife might know of this greatest  
of boons, devised for the express  
purpose of alleviating and dispelling  
the suffering and consequent danger  
of child-birth, how quickly would all  
doubt and worry be dispelled.  
Mother's Friend is an invaluable  
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whose potent agency countless moth-  
ers have been enabled to experience  
the joy of parturition for the first  
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their off-spring.

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eat and most effective. What child of  
twenty and five could have done the  
work of Mrs. Chadwick?

Compulsory education became a  
law in the District of Columbia be-  
cause a law by the action of Congress  
this week. This is designed not so  
much for the education of the child-  
ren, though that is, of course, a con-  
sideration, but as the first step to-  
ward abolishing child labor.

Kansas has voted down the wom-  
an's suffrage law. Politics in Colo-  
rado didn't seem to have undergone  
the purification that the injection of  
the feminine vote promised and  
Kansas being a near neighbor decided  
to defer the enfranchisement of  
women for awhile.

State of Ohio,  
County of Lucas,  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that  
he is senior partner of the firm of F.  
J. Cheney & Co., doing business in  
the city of Toledo, county and state  
aforesaid, and that said firm will  
pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars  
for each and every case of catarrh  
that cannot be cured by the use of  
Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY,  
Notary Public.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed  
in my presence this 6th day of De-  
cember, A. D., 1898.  
(SEAL) A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken inter-  
nally and acts directly on the blood  
and mucous surfaces of the system.  
Send for testimonials free.  
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.  
Sold by druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for con-  
stipation.

### BROKE JAIL.

(Special to New Era.)  
MADISONVILLE, Ky., Feb. 8.—  
Lee Abbott, charged with forgery,  
Lewis Wilbert, charged with the  
murder of Gus McIntosh at Man-  
nington, Jeff Morgan and Tom Hall,  
charged with the murder of Perd Lu-  
sin and Otto Armstrong, broke jail  
last night. A posse of officers is  
searching for the men, but none has  
been captured.

### Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible bru-  
tality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syr-  
acuse, N. Y., had not done the best  
he could for his suffering son. "My  
boy," he says, "out a fearful gasp  
over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's  
Arnica Salve, which quickly healed  
it and saved his eye." Good for burns  
and ulcers too. Only 25c at L. L. El-  
gin's and Ray & Fowler's drug store

### FOR SALE.

A nice stock of general merchan-  
dise with a good trade built up. This  
business is located in a good railroad  
town in the southern part of Chris-  
tian county, Ky., and is a full and  
up-to-date stock and the owners are  
doing a good business. The postof-  
fice is located in the store and will  
be turned over to the purchaser of  
the business. We can sell this stock  
with or without the store house as  
desired. See us for terms, price, etc.  
WINFREE & KNIGHT.

### CASTORIA

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Beware of Imitations  
J. H. P. H. H.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON XI, FIRST QUARTER, INTER-  
NATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 12.

Text of the Lesson, John viii. 31-40.  
Memory Verses, 31, 32—Golden Text,  
John viii. 34—Commentary Prepara-  
ed by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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What a searching and helpful word is  
this with which our lesson opens: "If  
ye continue in My word, then are ye  
My disciples indeed!" The previous  
verse said that many believed on  
Him, but only such as continue to be-  
lieve are believers indeed. In ii. 23;  
iv. 20, 41; vii. 31, we read that many  
believed, but in vi. 66, we also read  
that many of His disciples went back  
and walked no more with Him. It  
might be said of them, "They went out  
from us, but they were not of us, for  
if they had been of us they would have  
continued with us, but they went out  
that they might be made manifest that  
they were not all of us" (I. John ii. 19).  
Faith and patience, patient continu-  
ance, are the characteristics of a true  
believer. It is on the same principle  
as "faith without works is dead." "Not  
every one that saith, but he that doeth"  
(Jas. ii. 20; Matt. vii. 21).

We must remember that before God  
neither works nor patience nor continu-  
ance is necessary to salvation. God  
reads the heart, and wherever He sees  
the honest acceptance of Jesus Christ  
and His finished work He sees one who  
is truly saved and in whom He will  
perfect what He has begun (Phil. i. 6).  
But before men who cannot read the  
heart the works and faith and patient  
continuance are the evidence that there  
has really been the new birth. By the  
precious blood of Christ every true be-  
liever is washed, sanctified, justified,  
perfected forever (I. Cor. vi. 11; Heb.  
x. 10, 14), but by the word of God and  
the Spirit of God there is a work of  
sanctification and perfection ever be-  
ing carried on (John xvii. 17; Phil. iii.  
13, 14).

But these self righteous Pharisees,  
not knowing the righteousness of God  
and therefore going about to establish  
their own righteousness (Rom. x. 3),  
assert that they have no need to be  
made free, as they were never in bond-  
age to any man. It is often convenient  
to some people to forget or profess to  
forget some things. They must have  
left the evil and some other pains out  
of their past. They prided them-  
selves on being Abraham's children,  
but they did not act like Abraham.  
What they were and who they were are  
fully shown forth in the opening inci-  
dent of this chapter, where we see  
them bringing a poor sinful woman to  
Christ that He may condemn her,  
but He, not seeming to hear them,  
stooped down and wrote with His fin-  
ger on the ground, thus saying, as loud  
as such an act could say, that their  
names were not written in heaven, but  
in the earth, because they had forsaken  
the Lord, the fountain of living waters  
(Jer. xvii. 13).

When He gave opportunity for any  
man without sin to cast the first stone  
at her and again stooped down and  
wrote on the ground, they all went out  
one by one, each man convicted by his  
own conscience. Thus was made man-  
ifest what they were and where their  
names were written. The woman be-  
ing left alone, He said, "Neither do I  
condemn thee; go and sin no more"  
(verse 11), thus illustrating John iii. 17,  
where it is written that He came not  
to condemn, but save. He came as the  
Light of the World (verse 12), but  
those who love the darkness could not  
abide Him. His comfort was that the  
Father sent Him; that the Father never  
left Him alone; that He said only  
what the Father told Him and taught  
Him, and that He did always those  
things that pleased the Father (verses  
16, 18, 26, 28, 29). When accused by  
His enemies of saying what was not  
true and of having a devil (verses 13,  
48) He could be calm and unmoved,  
because the Father was with Him and  
approved.

As His disciples it is our privilege to  
be made free from sin and as servants  
of righteousness, servants of God, have  
fruit unto holiness (Rom. vi. 18, 22),  
and find our comfort where He found  
His. We must be content to receive  
the treatment which He received and  
not be surprised to find, as He found,  
that many very religious people are  
children of the devil and not children  
of God (verse 44).

There is a suggestion in verse 35 of  
our lesson of Ishmael and Isaac, the  
latter prefiguring the true Isaac, who  
was not spared (Rom. vii. 22), but  
who, having offered Himself a sacrifice  
for our sins, obedient unto death, will  
live in us His life over again of pleas-  
ing the Father, not seeking His own  
will nor His own glory (verse 50), but,  
freeding us from all self and all error  
and all darkness, will make it mani-  
fest to those who know us best that we  
are His disciples indeed. Coming back  
to the first thought of our lesson, that  
of continuing or abiding in His word,  
my mind runs to John xiv. 23, "If a  
man love Me he will keep My words,  
and My Father will love him, and we  
will come unto him and make our abode  
[mansion] with him."

Think of these bodies being mansions  
in which Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
dwell and desiring that we yield the  
property fully, as the lad did the five  
bares, and we often refuse. Are we  
anything like these Pharisees? Is it  
possible that any of us think we are all  
right and yet may be all wrong and not  
yet children of God? See also our abid-  
ing John xv. 7, "If ye abide in Me and  
My words abide in you ye shall ask  
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still further inspiration.

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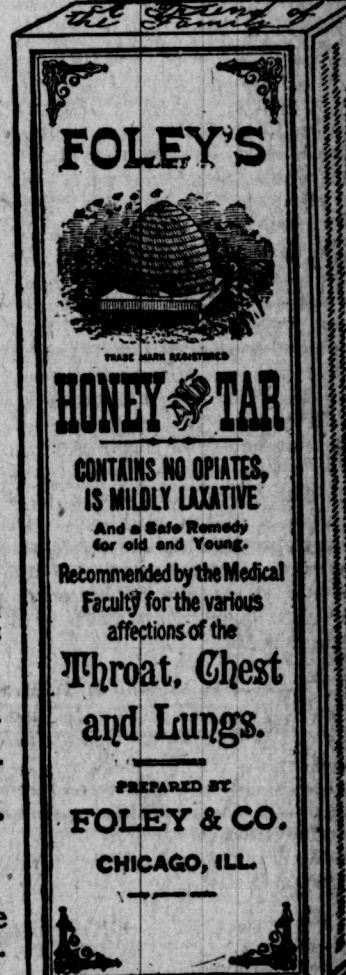
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# Talmage Sermon

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

Los Angeles, Cal., March 5.—The secret so long sought by the ancient alchemists is the topic discussed by the preacher in this sermon, in which he shows how, though the body may grow old, the spirit may retain its youth and freshness. The text is Job xxix, 5, "When my children were about me."

Misfortunes are generally gregarious. They are not recluses. They live not a hermit's existence. Like the beasts of the field or the birds of the air or the fish of the sea, they browse in herds or fly in flocks or swim in schools. If one appears upon the edge of our horizon others often follow it with great rapidity, as the clouds return after the rain. They pile themselves upon each other in great drifts, as do the snowflakes. They tell their death knells in chorus. As "nothing succeeds like success," so "nothing destroys like misfortune." Where there is one emissary of destruction roaming there are, as a rule, many emissaries treading closely upon its heels. Even when they are small and insignificant they cripple us by the persistency of their attack. Naturalists tell us that the small, insignificant humming bird sometimes alights upon the head of a mighty eagle. There he sits and pecks and pecks, no matter how fast or how high his huge winged carrier may fly. There he sits and pecks and pecks until after awhile he buries his small beak in the brain of his gigantic foe, who could crush him as easily as a hawk might kill a sparrow, if the eagle could only get at him. Trouble is like unto the humming bird.

When trouble struck the grand old patriarch Job, it hit him again and again. First came financial trouble, then domestic trouble, then physical trouble. It was pain in the head, pain in the heart, pain in the limbs, pain in the back and pain everywhere. Then what happened? Job tried to gain comfort from his reminiscences. Job looked back upon the scene of the happiest time of his life. He pictured himself when he was a young husband planning and working for his future. He thought of himself when his young wife was by his side and his little boys and girls were playing around in his nursery. Then Job breaks forth in the lamentation of my text, which has come to most fathers and mothers after they have reached their twoscore years and ten, "Oh, that I were as in months past, . . . when my children were about me." It is a pathetic longing not only that time be halted in its onward sweep, but be compelled to retrace the steps it has already taken.

Not a Sinful Desire.  
Is Job's longing a sinful desire? Is it wrong for us to want to become young again or at least to stay young just as long as we can? I think not. Therefore the purpose of this sermon is to show how we can turn back the shadow on the dial of Ahas not only ten, fifteen, but even twenty and thirty years for some of us. There is an old proverb which says, "A man is not as old as he looks, but as old as he feels." I am going to prove that a man can always feel about thirty or thirty-five years of age, even though his hair is white, his nose is bridged with a pair of glasses and he has to walk about with a staff.

How shall we renew the days of our strong, young manhood? First, by associating with young people, and especially with children; by making the intimate companions of our mature years and of our old age those who are on the threshold of life or playing in the nursery; by stealing or rather continually borrowing from our married children, their babies; by making our grandchildren come home and live with us, or, if we have no married children of our own, by borrowing the children of some neighborly grandfather and loving them as we would our own; by firmly and deliberately making a vow with ourselves and with God, "Though I may live to be sixty, seventy, eighty, ninety or a hundred years old, I will never allow myself to outgrow my fondness for little children, and my sympathy for their joys and sorrows, and my unceasing desire for their daily companionship."

Daily association with young people, especially with children, is essential in many ways for a man's development. It keeps his heart young. Yes, it does more than that. It teaches him what should be his attitude toward Christ and toward his fellow men. Some people cannot understand what this educating power of a child's life is upon a matured man. Why? Like some of us, they have not placed themselves under the tutelage of children. Some months ago I hired a big wagon. I put into this wagon not only my own children, but I went around and raided the neighbors' houses and piled in some of theirs. I was the only grown person among them. We took a long drive of about fifteen miles. Then, at the head of my cohort of little ones, I proudly marched into a restaurant to give them ice cream before we started back. As we went in a gentleman standing upon the sidewalk said: "My, isn't it pity you! What have you got there—an orphan asylum?" "No," I answered; "I have no asylum. I have a lot of teachers here who are making me love God and love mankind and love life and love everything God has made upon his beautiful earth."

How to Be Young.  
When we took that long ride I was the greatest winner. When those little

folks began to sing I found myself singing in spite of myself. When they talked and asked questions I found myself saying to myself: "Yes, just as these little children are wondering about causes and effects, which are so plain to me I am wondering about troubles in this world the causes of which are plain to God and will yet be made plain to me. All that I must do is to wait, and God will explain all." When the children became hungry I found myself becoming hungry. When they had their little differences in the wagon I found myself the peacemaker, which taught me a good lesson—how to be a peacemaker among the big boys and girls called grownup men and women. And, my friend, if you ever want to have that old withered heart of yours beat and throb with happiness, this is what you need to do: Gather all the babies, the boys and the girls of your neighborhood, together, pile them into a wagon if you are out in the country, leave your wife and the nurse at home, or at least make them ride along in another vehicle, and then by the grace of God you go forth and learn one of the mightiest lessons of life—how to keep young by bearing part of the joys and the sorrows of the young.

Do you know how Thomas Chalmers was able to accomplish his great work of life? He always kept his heart young and fresh and loving by associating with the young. His daughter, Helen Chalmers, told my father that during the darkest days of the Free church controversy he would spend part of each day in playing with the children in the house or flying kites with the boys upon Edinburgh common. Do you know how Walter Scott kept his heart young? He always sought the companionship of the young. He continually had his children or other people's children about him. No more beautiful word picture was ever drawn by author's pen than a description of that love by John Brown. In that essay the great author of "Kenilworth" is pictured going through the snow and the sleet to his neighbor's home and there bundling up Marjorie Fleming, a little girl of five or six summers. In her shawl or his cloak he carries her back to his study. There, while his pen runs rapidly over the pages of his immortal books, Marjorie chatters on. Study Eugene Field and his love for little children. Study the lives of our authors like Longfellow and our preachers like Beecher and our merchants like Cooper and our electricians like Morse and our editors like Greeley and our presidents like William McKinley—you will find that, without exception, they kept young by keeping in touch with young people.

The Influence of Children.  
If I did not have any babies of my own I would adopt some. No man can defy the instincts of time unless he continually associates with the young folks. "What would an engine be in a ship if it were lying loose in the hull?" said Beecher. "It must be fastened to it with bolts and screws before it can propel the vessel. Now, a childless man is like a loose engine. A man must be bolted and screwed to the community before he can work well for its advancement, and there are no such screws and bolts as children." That is true. There is no screw or bolt that holds man to the duties of his station as the children. But I go even further than did Mr. Beecher. I hold that there are no influences more effectual to keep us young while we are performing those duties than these same little ones. The best way to see the sunbeams dance is to watch them through the dancing eyes of a little child. The best way to smooth out the wrinkles of old age is to bury them in the dimpled cheek of a smiling baby girl. The best way to send the blood coursing through the withered arteries of threescore years is to play "blind man's bluff" or "hide and seek" with the boys and girls after the supper table is cleared and the school lessons have been learned. The best way to grow young is to associate with the young. God pity you if you cannot find any enjoyment in making the snows of December melt before the life giving rays of May or June.

How shall we renew youth? By compelling our minds year in and year out to seek new fields for mental and moral and spiritual investigation and new applications for doing our regular work, by forcing ourselves to take up new lines of study, by saying to ourselves, "Though I may live to be fifty or sixty or seventy years of age, yet I will never cease to be a student, and I will never cease to be interested in the advancement which is going on all around me." Yet we find the strange fact that many men after they have made their success in one line of work as a rule are satisfied with that success, and because they are satisfied they begin to wither and shrivel up and gradually go into mental and physical decadence.

How They Became Fossils.  
This mental and physical depletion which comes from being satisfied with a past success cannot be better illustrated than by some of the faculties of our old colleges. Now, the college faculties of both the east and the west were originally made up of picked men. The presidents and trustees of those institutions in almost every case selected the very brightest and best students of their classes. They were the honor men of the colleges who were asked to fill the honored professorial chairs. But, marvelous to say, although the college faculties of the old institutions in my day had been recruited from the brightest men, yet almost without exception those faculties had a large percentage of men who seemed to be simple relics of the past. They seemed to be mummified men, entirely out of touch with present day events. They were walking "cube roots" or incarnated "dative cases" or petrified examples of Doric or Corinthian architecture. They seemed to be men who

had learned one thing well, but as soon as they had mastered that one line of study all their mental faculties were then allowed to become dormant. Thus they withered up into a fossilized and embalmed old age.

Conditions in our college faculties have radically changed since the time I went to college. Dr. William R. Harper, the great president of Chicago university, has led in this mighty reform. As the head of one of the greatest universities of the west he has practically said this: "We do not want any of our college professors to mark time in this mental advancement. We expect them not only to do their class room work, but to keep on in their original investigations. These investigations each year are expected to take wider and wider scope." And what will be the result? Instead of Chicago university faculty being burdened in the future with a lot of old men at forty or fifty years of age it will be blessed with a number of young men—young in heart, young in mind, young in purpose at seventy or even eighty years of age.

"Oh, no," says some one to me; "that is not right. If I work and work hard up to sixty years of age I have a right to retire from work and have a good rest. If I live ten years more I intend to land over the business to the boys and just turn myself out to grass and do nothing but play and play and play. I know if I can stop work I can live longer and have a good time besides." Is that your idea of the way of spending your years when you pass the three-score milestone? Well, my friend, if that is your expectation of spending your life when your hair has become silvered I tell you you will be doomed to bitter disappointment. In the first place, you will not have a good time. You stop working. In the second place, if you stop working, instead of prolonging your life, as you expect, you will shorten it by many years. I have rarely seen it fall where a man voluntarily gives up work so that he can pass a lazy old age that he is miserably unhappy being and finds a premature grave. And I have rarely found it to fall if an old man branches out in new work that the years of his earthly life are increased.

Hard Work and Long Life.  
As a rule, the greatest thinkers and the hardest mental workers in the world have been among the longest lived men. Study the long list of men old in years, but young in heart, branching out into new work when at seventy years or beyond. Marden, in his book "Pushing to the Front," has a marvelous collection of illustrations in reference to this fact. Dandolo, the doge of Venice, was a warrior who led his soldiers in battle at ninety-four and was offered a crown at ninety-six. Titian at ninety-nine was struck down with the cholera in Venice when he was at work on one of his canvases. Pope Leo XIII. at ninety-three was the most powerful personality in all Europe both on account of his pontifical throne and his own powerful mental equipment. When an American bishop said to him, "Your holiness, we hope God may let you live to become a centenarian," the pope answered: "My friend, do not try to limit the power of God. I expect to be as hard at work as I am now." Dr. Samuel Johnson wrote his greatest book when nearly eighty. James Watt learned German when he was eighty-five. Isaac Newton and Benjamin Franklin were hard at work on scientific subjects when over eighty. Lord Palmerston and William E. Gladstone were both prime ministers of England at fourscore years. "Robert Hall," says Marden, "learned Italian when past sixty. Noah Webster mastered seventeen languages after he was fifty. And some of the best works of Longfellow, Whittier and Tennyson were written after they were seventy."

Aged friend, the reason you are growing old and withering up is because you have stopped branching out. You have taken in sail and are drifting, simply drifting, toward the rocks of death, and drifting fast. Take a new lease of life by taking a new interest in things. Study, study, study. Work, work, work. Go and hear every one slinger and every good speaker and read every new book that you can. The most foolish law the United States government ever made was when it established old soldiers' homes, where the old veterans of the civil war could go and live and do nothing. If an old soldier is physically helpless, then, of course, he should be cared for. But a well soldier in Danville, Ill., or Santa Monica, Cal., or Milwaukee, Wis., or the Old Soldiers' home in Washington should be encouraged to work, if he is able to. Stagnation means premature death, mental and physical as well as spiritual. "It is better to wear out than to rust out," is a poor maxim. We have no right to do either. But I would tell those who are coming on toward old age there is more danger for most of us of rusting out than of wearing out.

Don't Talk of Troubles.  
How should we renew the strength of young manhood? By never talking about our ailments or misfortunes if we can avoid it. If the rheumatism will pull at our nerves and swell our joints, then as far as possible don't mention it. If the holidays bring up sad memories, then if we must cry let us go to our rooms and have a good cry alone, but not before others. If we were once wealthy and some old friends of better days will now have nothing to do with us, then do not keep burdening those who are still faithful to us with our never ending tales of woe. The most common sense prescription I ever saw written by a physician was not to be taken in small pills, but in knockdown doses. The prescription was a sign placed in the rotunda of a large sanitarium in the central part of New York city. It was in a most conspicuous position, where all the patients could see it. It read thus: "Don't talk about your pains and your ailments."

Doctor, why did you put that sign up?" I asked. "Why," said he, "that sign has cured more of my patients than any twenty prescriptions I ever wrote. Every morning my sick people would come down and greet each other as follows: 'Good morning! How do you feel? Did you sleep well last night? Is your headache better?' Then the person accosted would begin to rehearse all the hours she lay awake and all the pains she had. By the time she was through the story her pains would again begin to gnaw and her nerves to twitch and she was on the way to another sleepless night. Don't talk about your ailments. It is by talking about the troubles of old age that we increase these troubles."

But, though talking about the troubles of old age always increases those troubles, yet most people love to rehearse the misfortunes of the past. They never seem to be happy unless they are talking about their miseries. And, furthermore, they never seem to be happy unless you are ready to talk about them also and to expatiate upon them. Benjamin Disraeli, late premier of England, well understood this law. One day he was walking through one of the streets of London when he met a gentleman. This man spoke to him as though they were old friends. "Well," said Disraeli, "how is the old complaint?" With that the gentleman started off on a long account of his troubles.

After they separated another man who was walking with the English statesman at the time said, "Disraeli, who is your friend?" "I do not know; I do not remember ever seeing him before." "Why did you ask him, then, 'How is the old complaint?'" "Oh," said Disraeli, "all old people have troubles of some sort, and it pleases most of them to talk about them. I rarely make a mistake if I say, 'How is your old complaint?' It pleases them to recount their troubles, and it does not hurt me." Yes, it may not have hurt Disraeli when that man talked about his troubles, but it did hurt the speaker. The easiest way to lighten the burdens of old age is to hide them from the eyes of others.

Fit Them to Take Your Place.  
But lastly, I remark, the easiest of all ways to renew youth is to try to fit others to take your place after you are gone. Of course I take for granted that I am today talking to Christians. Now, as aged Christians, you are nearing the great dividing line which is going to bring you to your eternal reward. As you are nearing heaven shall you spend most of your time talking about heaven and its eternal rewards? Oh, no. You must spend nearly all of your last days in fitting the young men and women by your side to take your place. You must be to your son and your daughter and your friends what Paul was to Timothy, and Elijah was to Elisha, and Christ was to his disciples. In the anxiety to fit others to put on your own armor you will find your own heart throbbing with the ambitions of youth. You will then find old age taking on the beauties of youth, even as in the Indian summer the flowers of the late autumn start to grow again after the forests have incarnadined the leaves with their life's blood.

Old age should pass its twilight hours in fitting the few interesting persons who are passing the intervening days prior to making a long journey away from home. If I was to go to Africa or Europe or Asia as an American soldier would I spend my last days here in weeping? Oh, no. I would spend the few days before I sailed in preparation. I would say to my wife: "My dear, you do this or that or the other thing after I am gone. I must put other money in the bank in your name to meet your wants." If I was a merchant, I would say to my son: "Son, you are now to take charge of the store. I do not want you to run into debt. Keep the business going along on its old lines." If I had one boy who was a wayward son I would talk to him about God and his future. I would try—oh, try so hard—to lead him to Christ. Each moment of my life would be spent in the best way I could for those I would leave behind. And in looking after their interests I would find my life growing in beauty and in joy. Aging men and women, are we spending our last earthly days like this? Are we trying in every way to fit those who are to take our places to do as well as we have done or even better? As old doctors are we helping the young physicians? As old ministers are we guiding the young ministers? As old Christians are we trying to make every one with whom we come in contact Christians? Ah, this is the chief way and the happiest way that we can renew our youth and prepare ourselves for the eternal joys of the never ending youth of heaven.

When my father made his last visit to his old classmate, Dr. Suydam, he said: "Well, Suydam, we are coming near the end of our earthly journey. How do you feel about it?" Some of us are not as old as was my father when he asked that question at seventy years of age, but we are all heading toward old age. How will we feel about it when it comes? We shall feel about old age all right if we live according to the Christ law. We will feel about it all wrong if we do not do as Christ would have us do in fitting others for life's battles and fitting ourselves for heaven. May God make the twilight of our earthly life the most beautiful and the happiest part of our day. May the twilight of our earthly life, sinking behind the western hilltop of our grave, be colored with the same beauties as is the beautiful sunrise of heaven, which even now we can see gleaming in the east over the hill of Calvary and over the central cross upon which once hung the dying body of Christ, who died that we might forever live in him and through him and with him.

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Property with 8 or 10 acres of land, 3 dwellings, one store house with good trade established, blacksmith shop and postoffice with daily mail. The mill is in a fine agricultural section with a good local custom. Capacity of 50 barrels of flour per day. Thoroughly equipped short system roller mill. About 4 miles from railroad and no other mill within four miles. A splendid chance for investment. Will sell at a bargain. Good reason for selling.

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A fine productive farm of 135 acres in one of the best neighborhoods in Christian county, about five miles from Hopkinsville and quarter mile from railroad station. New dwelling of six rooms and hall, new barn and large stable, two good cabins, good cistern, fine orchard and about 20 acres in timber; balance in fine state of cultivation.

A splendid farm of 300 acres in one of the best sections of Southern Kentucky; fine red clay foundation. It has on it a good comfortable dwelling house, cistern, ice house, 3 cabins for hands, 2 tobacco barns with capacity for 4000 bushels of tobacco, fine orchard; in one mile of depot on one railroad and 8 miles from depot on another. Good schools and churches convenient. Plenty of water and timber. Will be sold at a bargain.

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 shifts, 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 county. Improvements first class and in perfect repair, fine two-story frame dwelling with fine rooms, veranda in front and porch in rear, four frame tenant houses, two large new tobacco barns, two grain barns with capacity for 10,000 bushels of wheat, 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 in first-class condition. Will be sold on easy terms to suit purchaser.

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, 24 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. This place has a fine 10 room residence, large barn, good pond, 7 good cisterns, 8 tenant houses, plenty of negro labor, is well fenced and located on good public road, in Montgomery County, Tenn., 7 miles north of Clarksville and 5 miles from nearest station.

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. Trice farm of 142 acres within 3 miles of Hopkinsville, on good public road. Good dwelling, tobacco barn, stable, outbuildings and plenty of timber and water. Desirable place will be sold cheap.

One of the most desirable residences on S. Vir. St., corner lot 88 feet front by 285 feet deep. House with beautiful shade and fruit trees, good cistern, stable and all necessary outbuildings. All in excellent repair. Price and terms reasonable. 60 acres of fine land 1 1/2 miles from Hopkinsville on Canton pike, good spring and barn, fenced and has 20 acres of timber. Very desirable property.

Good farm of 160 acres, 2 miles from Bennettsville Ky. Good house 3 rooms, tenant house, good well, large tobacco barn, good frame stable 28x30 feet, 40 acres in fine timber, good level land and a desirable farm convenient to schools and churches and on good road.

One of the most desirable residences on S. Virginia St., corner lot, 88 feet front by 285 feet deep. House with beautiful shade and fruit trees good cistern and all necessary outbuildings. All in excellent repair. Price and terms reasonable.

Good residence on corner of Main and 1st streets, fronting 60 feet on Main by 200 feet deep. House has six rooms, good cistern, stable and necessary outbuildings. For sale.

Two good residence lots on Main St. in Hopkinsville, well located. The only vacant lots on West side of Main St. for sale at a low price.

Nice new cottage on South Virginia street. Has six rooms and bath room, good cistern and stable. Lot fronts 86 feet and runs back 192 feet to a 16 foot alley. This place will be sold on reasonable terms.

The S. T. Fox farm of 512 acres, situated on the Millers Mill road about seven miles Southwest of Hopkinsville, large two story dwelling and all necessary farm buildings, good fences, orchard and plenty of water and timber. This is a fine farm and located in one of the best farming sections of the county and will be sold on reasonable terms.

Elegant lot 80x200 ft. on Jessup avenue. Good home with 4 large rooms, 2 porches, cistern outbuildings, shade and fruit trees. Price \$1,400.

An elegant farm of 115 acres of land, on good public road, in one of the best neighborhoods in South Christian county, convenient to postoffice, schools and churches, in a high state of cultivation, good dwelling 3 rooms and hall, one large tobacco barn, good stables and cow house, buggy house, 2 new cabins, smoke house, hen house, new wire fence, nice young orchard, grapes, rasp-berries and strawberries, plenty of water, very desirable, will be sold cheap and on easy terms.

Some beautiful vacant lots on Walnut street. 400 acres of desirable farming land in Montgomery county, Tenn, heavily timbered, 10 miles from Howell, Ky. Price \$7,000 per acre.

Fine farm of 283 acres in neighborhood of Howell, Ky., at a great bargain.

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lot of 10 acres, six room cottage and two room office in yard; good servants house, large good ice house, large stable and carriage house and all necessary outbuildings; splendid shade and fruit trees, never failing well, good cistern; convenient to depot, school and church; 5 miles from Hopkinsville with good pike nearly the whole distance. Splendid location for a doctor.

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Nice cottage on corner of Brown and Broad streets, 7 rooms, good outbuildings, cistern, etc. Cheap and on reasonable terms. Residence, 5 rooms, stable, carriage house and all necessary outbuildings good cistern and orchard. Two acres of land adjoining South Kentucky College, \$1,500. Will sell this place at low price and on easy terms. Farm of 405 acres of fine land in 1/4 mile of mill, post office and church. Splendid house of ten rooms, large stable, 7 cabins for hands, 8 large tobacco barns, 80 acres fine timber good orchard. Farm in good condition and very productive. Will be sold at a bargain.



## Unhappy Women!

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## UNDER THE BARGE

### BOATING PARTY HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

### Pembroke Young Ladies Undergo Thrilling Experience at Paducah.

Misses Rena and Nora Graham, of Pembroke, Ky., who have been visiting Mrs. P. G. Rose, of the South Side, returned home today.

The Misses Graham, Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Tom Lewis with two young men were boat riding yesterday afternoon in Tennessee river when they came near capsizing, and only the fact that they were near the bank prevented them from being swamped by the strong current.

They were sucked under a barge by the current and the young ladies were struck in the head by the barge in the collision. Miss Rena Graham and Mrs. Rose were knocked down and came near falling out of the boat and in the general excitement the young ladies came near sinking the craft. One of the young men succeeded in working the head of the boat around and getting a line out to a man on the barge. The boat was pulled ashore and the young ladies placed on terra firma.—Paducah Sun.

### MORE EVIDENCE.

It is Coming In Rapidly From Hopkinsville.

Evidence on the following subject will prove of interest to every Hopkinsville reader. So many people go through the same experience daily. This public statement should be proof positive to every wavering doubter. Read it carefully.

Wm. O. Davis, cooper of No. 608 North Main street, says: "A dull bearing down pain across my kidneys and through the small of my back made it so painful for me to stoop or lift anything that I was unable to do any work or to have any pleasure. Whenever I took cold it settled in my back and at night bothered me a great deal while lying in bed. Sharp twinges often kept me awake for hours and in the morning arose feeling tired and devoid of all energy and ambition. The condition of the kidneys was especially annoying and distressing at night. I doctored and used many remedies until I became discouraged for instead of getting better I seemed to grow worse. Finally I happened to read an advertisement of Doan's Kidney Pills and as they were highly recommended by people near by I could not help but believe that they were a good remedy. I got a box at L. A. Johnson's drug store and after using it a few days I could see a decided improvement. I kept on with the treatment and the pains in my back left me entirely and the action of the kidneys was restored to a normal and healthy condition.

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## RETURNED SOLDIER VICTIM OF TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

### CRUSHED UNDER TRAIN'S HEAVY WHEELS.

### DROGS HIMSELF AWAY.

### Leg Mangled and Toes Cut Off—Amputation Was Necessary.

(From Monday's Daily)

A. S. Bagby met with a terrible accident Saturday night on the L. & N. railroad, and is lying in a serious condition at the home of his brother on Jesup avenue.

Mr. Bagby is about thirty years of age, and has lately returned from the Philippines, where he served several years as a soldier. He is a carpenter by trade.

About nine o'clock Saturday night he was run over by a freight train in the vicinity of Ellis' ice factory. His right leg was frightfully mangled, being mashed to a pulp below the knee, and toes on his left foot were cut off.

Being unable to make himself heard with cries for help, the young man, who despite the great pain and shock of the accident had not lost consciousness, showed marvelous pluck and endurance by dragging himself inch by inch towards the L. & N. depot. He was finally heard by Messrs. Lee Ellis and Lewis Elgin who carried him to the station. Dr. T. W. Blakey, the railroad physician, was summoned, and the injuries were given prompt and skillful attention. The unfortunate man was removed to his brother's dwelling, and the mangled leg was amputated by Dr. Blakey and Dr. Thomas.

Mr. Bagby stated that he had been calling on friends and was returning home when he was struck by the train.

### Kitty Sherrill Dead.

(From Monday's Daily)

Kitty Sherrill, an aged negroess who for the last forty years or more has resided in a cabin in the rear of the row of law offices just back of the courthouse, died Sunday from old age, being very near a hundred years old. Not only was she one of the oldest, but she was also one of the largest persons in the county, weighing about 350 pounds. It was necessary to make a coffin for her, as the ordinary stock kept by undertakers contained none large enough. The funeral took place this afternoon.

### Coming Back.

Lawyer J. B. Allensworth, who removed here six months ago from Hopkinsville, is preparing to return there this week to remain.—Paducah Register.

### Death of Boy.

James E. Childers died last week in Sedalia, Mo. He was a son of T. J. and Nannie Edwards Childers, and was twelve years old. Mr. Childers was a native of Christian county and moved to Missouri in 1902.

### Returns to Asylum.

Fletcher Warder, a well-known negro, was adjudged insane Saturday and sent to the asylum. He had been an inmate of the institution, having lost his mind pending a trial on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

## WANT AMENDMENT

### To Stock Law of the City of Hopkinsville.

The following petition is being circulated and large numbers of citizens and property owners have signed it. It is addressed to the mayor and city council:

"We, the undersigned citizens and tax payers of Hopkinsville, Ky., would most respectfully petition your honorable body to amend the present stock law so as to make it apply to all stock, and especially to cows which are now allowed to run on the streets for the greater part of the day. We petition that all stock be kept off the streets of Hopkinsville, Ky."

This movement is the crystallization of a sentiment which has long existed among a large proportion of the citizens.

## JOHN H. REAGAN DIES OF PNEUMONIA

### Postmaster General of Confederacy and U. S. Senator.

(Special to New Era.)

PALESTINE, Texas, March 6.—John H. Reagan, aged 87 years, postmaster general of the Confederate States of America, died here today of pneumonia. He served since the war both as a representative and a senator in the congress of the United States, and later as railroad commissioner of the state of Texas.

### Personal Notes.

(From Monday's Daily)

Mr. T. M. Jones has returned from New York.

Messrs. Morton Cooke and Louie Wetstein, of Clarksville, visited friends in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Monroe Bullard is attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Nell, near Russellville, who is suffering from an asthmatic affection.

Mrs. J. P. Nichols has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Madisonville, Ky. Misses Rubie Rash and Martha Laffoon accompanied her home and will be the guests of Mrs. Nichols, on Virginia street.

Thomas L. Morrow, who is engaged in business at Nashville, spent Sunday with his family here.

Robert J. Johnson, of Nashville, was here Saturday and Sunday.

W. H. Rabold, of Bowling Green, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. L. A. Johnson.

Arthur Jackson spent Sunday in Bowling Green.

Miss Eula Burrus has gone to Elkton to visit relatives.

Syd Winston, of Clarkston, Mo., after a short visit to Mr. J. I. Buckman at Corydon, was in the city yesterday en route to Hopkinsville to visit other relatives before returning home. Mrs. L. A. Bristow, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Towles on Powell street.—Henderson Gleaner.

Miss Lula Lawson spent yesterday with friends and relatives in Nortonville.

Mrs. James H. Anderson and children have returned from quite a long visit to Florida.

Mrs. Will Joslin, of Hopkinsville, is visiting relatives in the city.—Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle.

Dr. J. R. Moore, of Chilton, Tenn., returned home Sunday after spending several days with friends in the city.

Mr. L. McF. Blakemore and grandson, McFarland Wood, left this morning for New Orleans.

Mrs. Jas. D. Hill left Saturday for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras.

Mrs. A. E. Richards and Mrs. J. T. Willis are visiting relatives in Springfield, Tenn.

## GOOD MAN GONE.

### Dabney Stewart a Victim of Pneumonia.

Dabney Stewart, a highly respected citizen, died Saturday at his home south of the city, on the Canton pike. He was sixty-three years of age, and leaves a widow and nine children. Pneumonia was the cause of death. Funeral services were held Sunday, conducted by the Rev. J. U. Spurlin, and the remains were interred in Hopewell cemetery.

## BRUTUS J. CLAY TO SWITZERLAND.

(Special to New Era.)

WASHINGTON, March 6.—President Roosevelt today nominated Brutus J. Clay, of Richmond, Ky., for United States minister to Switzerland. He is fifty-eight years old and a son of the late Gen. Cassius M. Clay, United States minister to Russia under President Lincoln. He was a delegate to the Republican national convention at Chicago and nominated Mr. Roosevelt for the presidency.



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## SPLENDID SUCCESS

### WAS PRESENTATION OF "A MODERN ANANIAS."

Lysander Lyon, M. D., (with a vivid imagination)..... Mr. Alfred H. Eckles Col. Richard Lyon, (with a forgiving disposition)..... Mr. Wallace Kelly Derby Dashwood, (with a Pica-dilly accent)..... Mr. T. C. Underwood Francisco, (with an elastic conscience)..... Mr. Guy Starling Baby, (with the sobriquet of "Little Tootay wootay")..... Mrs. Herbert L. McPherson Nellie Goldengate (with a fluke fancy)..... Mrs. W. H. Cummings, Jr. Prudence Mayflower, (with New England notions)..... Miss Eugenia Goldthwaite Kitty, (with so much a month and board)..... Miss Annie McPherson

Before a sea of faces swept repeatedly by waves of laughter "A Modern Ananias" was admirably presented at Holland's opera house Saturday night by a rarely talented company of amateur actors. Artistically the performance was a thorough success, and the net proceeds, which go to support the Hopkinsville Public library, were probably larger than ever before realized by a local entertainment.

It was indeed a brilliant audience. Almost every seat on the lower floor had been reserved, and when the doors were opened people were massed in front of the box offices. The total sale amounted to about \$800. Parquet, dress circle, balcony and gallery were crowded and many people stood in the aisles. The Hopkinsville orchestra, composed of Mrs. R. C. Hardwick, pianist, Fritz Fallinsteel, violinist, Dr. R. F. McDaniel, flute, Stanley Long, cello, Harry Lebkuecher, clarinet, and Carl Witky, cornet, furnished delightful music before the performance and between the acts.

The production was sumptuously staged, and it is generally agreed that handsome settings have never been seen here. Each act presented a charming picture.

"A Modern Ananias" is built solely for amusement and entertainment and it fully accomplished its worthy purposes. It provoked roars of laughter from beginning to end.

## TOBACCO CLUB.

The Tobacco club of Howell will meet Saturday, March 11, at 2 p. m. A very important matter is to be discussed. Every tobacco grower in the neighborhood is requested to be present.

Rufus Rives, Chairman.

### LENTEN SERVICES.

Lenten services at Grace church are announced as follows:

Sundays—Morning, prayer and sermon, 10:45 a. m. Evening, prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. Holy communion, first Sunday.

Week Days—Lectures on Mondays and Wednesdays, 4:00 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon on Fridays, 7:30 p. m.

Holy Week—Daily service (except Sunday) 4:00 p. m.

Good Friday—Sermon and holy communion, 10:00 a. m.

Easter Day—Holy communion, 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer, 10:45 a. m.

Evening prayer, 7:30.

Subjects of Friday evening sermons by the rector, Rev. G. C. Abbott, follow:

March 10—Self Examination.

March 17—A Full Surrender.

March 24—Confessing Christ.

March 31—Letting Your Light Shine.

April 7—The Vine.

April 14—The Christian Warrior's Retrospect.

# OUR CLUB OFFERS

As an extra inducement to secure new subscribers, as well as renewals, we have decided to make the following club offers:

Weekly New Era and Weekly Courier-Journal one year for \$1.25 (This offer will positively expire April 1, 1906)

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Weekly New Era And Home and Farm One year, \$1.20

Weekly New Era, Twice-a-Week St. Louis Republic (and Farm Progress) One year for \$1.50 Three papers.

Weekly New Era And Richmond, Va., Times Dispatch One year, \$1.50

Weekly New Era and Daily Nashville American One year for \$4.65 [except Sunday]

Weekly New Era and Weekly Nashville American One year for \$1.20

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If you don't find what you want in this list we will be pleased to quote you lowest club prices on any newspaper, magazine or other periodical published in the United States. The Weekly New Era has been enlarged and now contains from ten to sixteen pages each week brimful of the latest and most authentic news. All important items published in the Daily appear also in the Weekly, thus giving a complete telegraphic as well as local service for the Weekly. Sample copies cheerfully mailed on request.

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## Moran of the Lady Letty

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### CHAPTER XII.

THE winter season at the Hotel del Coronado had been unusually gay that year, and the young lady who wrote the society news in diary form for one of the San Francisco papers had held forth at much length upon the hotel's "unbroken succession of festivities." She had also noted that "prominent among the newest arrivals" had been Mr. Nat Ridgeway of San Francisco, who had brought down from the city aboard his elegant and sumptuously fitted yacht Petrel a jolly party, composed largely of the season's debutantes.

To be mentioned in the latter category was Miss Josie Herrick, whose lavender coming out tea at the beginning of the season was still a subject of comment among the gossip and all the rest of it. The Petrel had been in the harbor but a few days, and on this evening a dance was given at the hotel in honor of her arrival. It was to be a cotillon, and Nat Ridgeway was going to lead with Josie Herrick. There had been a coaching party to Tia Juana that day, and Miss Herrick had returned to the hotel only in time to dress. By 9:30 she emerged from the process—which had involved her mother, her younger sister, her maid and one of the hotel chambermaids—a dainty, firm cosseted little body, all tulle, white satin and high piled hair. She carried Marchal Niel roses, ordered by wire from Monterey, and about an hour later, when Ridgeway gave the nod to the waiting musicians and swung her off to the beat of a two-step, there was not a more graceful little figure upon the floor of the incomparable round ballroom of the Coronado hotel.

The cotillon was a great success. The enigmatis and younger officers of the monitor, at that time anchored off the hotel, attended in uniform, and enough of the members of what was known in San Francisco as the "dancing set" were present to give the affair the necessary eclat. Even Jerry Haight, who belonged more distinctly to the "country club set" and who had spent the early part of that winter shooting elk in Oregon, was among the ranks of the "rovers," who group themselves about the drafty doorways and endeavored to appear unconscious each time Ridgeway gave the signal for a "break."

The figures had gone round the hall once. The "first set" was out again, and as Ridgeway guided Miss Herrick out to favor one of the younger enigmatis, she suddenly looked over the array of shirt fronts, searching for Jerry Haight.

"Do you see Mr. Haight?" she asked of Ridgeway. "I wanted to favor him this break. I owe him two already, and he'll never forgive me if I overlook him now."

Jerry Haight had gone to the hotel office for a few moments' rest and a cigarette and was nowhere in sight. But when the set broke and Miss Herrick, despairing of Jerry, had started out to favor one of the younger enigmatis, she suddenly looked against him pushing his way eagerly across the floor in the direction of the musicians' platform.

"Oh," she cried, "Mr. Haight, you've missed your chance—I've been looking for you!"

But Jerry did not hear. He seemed very excited. He crossed the floor, almost running, and went up on the platform, where the musicians were meaningfully glancing through the mazes of "La Paloma," and brought them to an abrupt silence.

"Here, I say, Haight," exclaimed Ridgeway, who was near by, "you can't break up my figure like that!"

"Gf me a call there on the bugle," said Haight rapidly to the cornetist. "Anything to make 'em keep quiet a moment."

The cornetist sounded a couple of notes, and the cotillon paused in the very act of the break. The shuffling of feet grew still, and the conversation ceased. A diamond brooch had been found, no doubt, or some supper announcement was to be made. But Jerry Haight, with a great sweep of his arm, the forgotten cigarette between his fingers, shouted out breathlessly: "Ross Wilbur is out in the office of the hotel!"

There was an instant's silence and then a great shout. Wilbur found! Ross Wilbur come back from the dead! Ross Wilbur, hunted for and bootlessly traced from Buenos Ayres in the south to the Aleutian Islands in the north; Ross Wilbur, the puzzle of every detective bureau on the coast, the subject of a thousand theories, whose name had figured in the score heads of every newspaper west of the Mississippi; Ross Wilbur, seen at a fashionable tea and his club of an afternoon, then suddenly blotted out from the world of men, swallowed up and engulfed by the unknown, with not so much as a button left behind; Ross Wilbur, the elusive; Ross Wilbur, the murdered; Ross Wilbur, victim of a band of kidnapers, the hero of some dreadful story that was never to be told, the mystery, the legend—behold he was here, back from the unknown, dropped from the clouds, spewed up again into the bowels of the earth, a veritable figure from the machine who in a

single instant was to disentangle all the unexplained complications of those past winter months!

"Here he comes!" shouted Jerry, his eyes caught by a group of men in full dress and gold lace who came tramping down the hall to the ballroom, bearing a nondescript figure on their shoulders. "Here he comes—the boys are bringing him in here! Oh!" he cried, turning to the musicians, "can't you play something—anything? Hit it up for all you're worth! Ridgeway—Nat—look here! Ross was Yale, y'know—Yale '95. Ain't we enough Yale men here to give him the yell?"

Out of all time and tune, but with a vigor that made up for both, the musicians banded into a patriotic air. Jerry, standing on a chair that itself was standing on the platform, led half a dozen frantic men in the long thunder of the "Brek-kek-kek-kek, co-ex!"

Around the edges of the hall excited girls, and chaparons themselves no less excited, were standing up on chairs and benches, splitting their gloves and breaking their fans in their enthusiasm, while every male dancer on the floor—enslaved in their gold faced uniforms and "rovers" in starched and immaculate shirt bosoms—cheered and cheered and struggled with one another to shake hands with a man whom two of their number, old Yale grads, with memories of athletic triumphs yet in their minds, carried into that ballroom, borne high upon their shoulders.

And the hero of the occasion, the center of all this enthusiasm, thus carried as if in triumph into this assembly in evening dress, in white tulle and whiter kid, odorless of delicate sachets and scarce perceptible perfumes, was a figure unhandsome and unkempt beyond description. His hair was long and hanging over his eyes; a thick, uncurled beard concealed the mouth and chin. He was dressed in a Chinaman's blouse and jeans, the latter thrust into slashed and tattered boots. The tan and weather beatings of nearly half a year of the tropics were spread over his face, a partly healed scar disfigured one temple and cheekbone; the hands, to the very finger nails, were gray with grime; the jeans and blouse and boots were fouled with grease, with oil, with pitch and all manner of the dirt of an uncarried for ship. And as the dancers of the cotillon pressed about and a hundred kid gloved hands stretched toward his own palms there fell from Wilbur's belt upon the waxed floor of the ballroom the knife he had so grimly used in the fight upon the beach, the ugly status still blackening on the haft.

There was no more cotillon that night. They put him down at last, and in half a dozen sentences Wilbur told them of how he had been shanghaied—told them of Magdalena bay, his fortune in the ambergris and the fight with the beachcombers.

"You people are going down there for target practice, aren't you?" he said, turning to one of the Monterey's officers in the crowd about him. "Yes? Well, you'll find the coolies there, on the beach, waiting for you. All but one," he added grimly.

"We marooned six of them, but the seventh didn't need to be marooned. They tried to plunder us of our boat, but, by—, we made it interesting for 'em!"

"I say, steady, old man!" exclaimed Nat Ridgeway, glancing nervously toward the girls in the surrounding group. "This isn't Magdalena bay, you know."

And for the first time Wilbur felt a genuine pang of disappointment and regret as he realized that it was not.

Half an hour later Ridgeway drew him aside. "I say, Ross, let's get out of here. You can't stand here talking all night. Jerry and you and I will go up to my rooms, and we can talk there in peace. I'll order up three quarts of fizz, and—"

"Oh, rot your fizz!" declared Wilbur. "If you love me, give me Christian tobacco."

As they were going out of the ballroom Wilbur caught sight of Josie Herrick, and, breaking away from the others, ran over to her.

"Oh!" she cried, breathless. "To think, and to think of your coming back after all! No, I don't realize it—I can't. It will take me until morning to find out that you've really come back. I just know now that I'm happier than I ever was in my life before. Oh!" she cried, "do I need to tell you how glad I am? It's just too splendid for words! Do you know, I was thought to be the last person you had ever spoken to while alive, and the reporters and all—oh, but we must have such a talk when all are quiet again! And our dance—we've never had our dance. I've got your card yet. Remember the one you wrote for me at the tea? A facsimile of it was published in all the papers. You are going to be a hero when you get back to San Francisco. Oh, Ross, Ross!" she cried, the tears starting to her eyes. "You've really come back, and you are just as glad as I am, aren't you—glad that you've come back—come back to me?"

Later on, in Ridgeway's room, Wilbur told his story again more in detail to Ridgeway and Jerry. All but one portion of it. He could not make up his mind to speak to them—these society fellows, clubmen and city bred—of Moran. How he was going to order his life henceforward—his life, that he felt to be void of interest without her—he did not know. That was a question for later consideration.

"We'll give another cotillon," exclaimed Ridgeway, "up in the city—give it for you, Ross, and you'll lead. It'll be the event of the season!" Wilbur uttered an exclamation of contempt. "I've done with that sort of foolery," he answered.

"Nonsense! Why, think, we'll have

it in your honor. Every smart girl in town will come, and you'll be the lion of—"

"You don't seem to understand!" cried Wilbur impatiently. "Do you think there's any fun in that for me now? Why, man, I've fought—fought with a naked dirk, fought with a coolie who snapped at me like an ape—and you talk to me of dancing and functions and german favors! It wouldn't do some of you people a bit of harm if you were shanghaied yourselves. That sort of life, if it don't do anything else, knocks a big bit of seriousness into you. You fellows make me sick." He went on vehemently. "As though there wasn't anything else to do but lead cotillions and get up new figures!"

"Well, what do you propose to do?" asked Nat Ridgeway. "Where are you going now—back to Magdalena bay?"

"No."

"Where, then?" Wilbur smote the table with his fist. "Cuba!" he cried. "I've got a crack little schooner out in the bay here, and I've got \$100,000 worth of loot aboard of her. I've tried beachcombing for awhile, and now I'll try filibustering. It may be a crazy idea, but it's better than dancing. I'd rather lead an expedition than a german, and you can 'chew on' that, Nathaniel Ingeway."

Jerry looked at him as he stood there before him in the filthy, reeking blouse and jeans, the ragged boots and the mane of hair and tangled beard, and remembered the Wilbur he used to know, the Wilbur of the carefully creased trousers, the satin scarfs and fancy waistcoats.

"You're a different sort than when you went away, Ross," said Jerry.

"Right you are," answered Wilbur. "But I will venture a prophecy," continued Jerry, looking keenly at him.

"Ross, you are a born and bred city man. It's in the blood of you and the bones of you. I'll give you three years for this new notion of yours to wear it self out. You think just now you're going to spend the rest of your life as an amateur buccaner. In three years at the outside you'll be using your 'loot,' as you call it, or the interest of it, to pay your taxes and your tailor, your pew rent and your club dues, and you'll be what the biographers call 'a respectable member of the community.'"

"Did you ever kill a man, Jerry?" asked Wilbur. "No? Well, you'll kill one some day—kill him in a fair give and take fight—see how it makes you feel and what influence it has on you, and then come back and talk to me." It was long after midnight. Wilbur rose.

"We'll ring for a boy," said Ridgeway, "and get you a room. I can fix you out with clothes enough in the morning."

Wilbur stared in some surprise and then said: "Why, I've got the schooner to look after. I can't leave those coolies alone all night."

"You don't mean to say you're going on board at this time in the morning?" "Of course."

"Why—but—but you'll catch your death of cold!" Wilbur stared at Ridgeway, then nodded helplessly and, scratching his head, said, half aloud:

"No. What's the use? I can't make 'em understand. Good night. I'll see you in the morning."

"We'll all come out and visit you on your yacht," Ridgeway called after him, but Wilbur did not hear.

In answer to Wilbur's whistle Jim came in with the dory and took him off to the schooner. Moran met him as he came over the side.

"I took the watch myself tonight and let the boy turn in," she said. "How is it ashore, mate?"

"We've come back to the world of little things, Moran," said Wilbur. "But we'll pull out of here in the morning and get back to the place where things are real."

"And that's a good hearing, mate." "Let's get up here on the quarter deck," added Wilbur. "I've something to propose to you."

Moran laid an arm across his shoulder, and the two walked aft. For half an hour Wilbur talked to her earnestly about his new idea of filibustering, and as he told her of the war he warmed to the subject, his face glowing, his eyes sparkling. Suddenly, however, he broke off.

"But, no!" he exclaimed. "You don't understand, Moran. How can you? You're foreign born. It's no affair of yours!"

"Mate, mate!" cried Moran, her hands upon his shoulders. "It's you who don't understand—don't understand me. Don't you know—can't you see? Your people are mine now. I'm happy only in your happiness. You were right—the best happiness is the happiness one shares. And your sorrows belong to me, just as I belong to you, dear. Your enemies are mine, and your quarrels are my quarrels." She drew his head quickly toward her and kissed him.

In the morning the two had made up their minds to a certain vague course of action. To get away—anywhere—was their one aim. Moran was by nature a creature unfit for civilization, and the love of adventure and the desire for action had suddenly leaped to life in Wilbur's blood and was not to be resisted. They would get up to San Francisco, dispose of their "loot," outfit the Bertha Millner as a filibuster and put to sea again. They had discussed the advisability of rounding the Horn in so small a ship as the Bertha Millner, but Moran had settled that at once.

"I've got to know her pretty well," she told Wilbur. "She's sound as a nut. Only let's get away from this place." But toward 10 o'clock on the morning after their arrival off Coronado

and just as they were preparing to get under way, Hoang touched Wilbur's elbow.

"Seem ill one piece smoke boat. Him come chop-chop."

In fact, a little steam launch was rapidly approaching the schooner. In another instant she was alongside. Jerry, Nat Ridgeway, Josie Herrick and an elderly woman, whom Wilbur barely knew as Miss Herrick's married sister, were aboard.

"We've come off to see your yacht!" cried Miss Herrick to Wilbur as the launch bumped along the schooner's counter. "Can we come aboard?" She looked very pretty in her crisp pink shirt waist, her white duck skirt and white kid shoes, her sailor hat tilted at a barely perceptible angle. The men were in white flannels and smart yachting suits. "Can we come aboard?" Wilbur gasped and stared. "Come along," he added desperately.

The party came over the side.

"Oh, my," said Miss Herrick blankly, stopping short.

The decks, masts and rails of the schooner were shiny with a black coating of dirt and grease; the sails were gray with grime; a strangling odor of oil and tar, of cooking and of opium, of Chinese punk and drying fish, pervaded all the air. In the waist, Hoang and Jim, bare to the belt, their cues hooked around their necks to be out of the way, were stowing the dory and exchanging high pitched monosyllables. Miss Herrick's sister had not come aboard. The three visitors—Jerry, Ridgeway and Josie—stood nervously huddled together, their elbows close in, as if to avoid contact with the prevailing filth, their immaculate white outing clothes detaching themselves violently against the squalor and sordid grime of the schooner's background.

"Oh, my!" repeated Miss Herrick in dismay, half closing her eyes. "To



"I'm very pleased to meet Miss Sterners."

think of what you must have been through! I thought you had some kind of a yacht. I had no idea it would be like this." And as she spoke Moran came suddenly upon the group from behind the foremast and paused in abrupt surprise, her thumbs in her belt.

She still wore men's clothes and was booted to the knee. The heavy blue woolen shirt was open at the throat, the sleeves rolled halfway up her large white arms. In her belt she carried her hatless Scandinavian dirk. She was hatless as ever, and her heavy, fragrant cables of rye hued hair fell over her shoulders and breast to far below her belt.

Miss Herrick started sharply, and Moran turned an inquiring glance upon Wilbur. Wilbur took his resolution in both hands.

"Miss Herrick," he said, "this is Moran—Moran Sterners."

Moran took a step forward, holding out her hand. Josie, all bewildered, put her tight gloved fingers into the calloused palm, looking up nervously into Moran's face.

"I'm sure," she said feebly, almost breathlessly—"I'm sure I'm very pleased to meet Miss Sterners."

It was long before the picture left Wilbur's imagination. Josie Herrick, petite, gown in white, crisp from her maid's grooming, and Moran, sea rover and daughter of a hundred vikings, towering above her, booted and belted, gravely clasping Josie's hand in her own huge fist.

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## SEASON OF LENT

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Good Catholics and Episcopalians to Observe Period  
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(From Thursday's Daily.)

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the Lenten period and for forty days Catholics and Episcopalians will observe the season by abstaining from unseemly amusements. Masses were held in all Catholic churches yesterday and services will be held every Wednesday and Friday night during Lent. At yesterday morning's mass the ceremony of sprinkling foreheads with ashes was observed. The Lenten season closes on Easter Sunday. The week preceding Easter, known as Passion Week, is rigorously observed.

Rt. Rev. W. G. McCloskey, of Louisville, has issued the annual regulations for Lent and they were read in all the Catholic churches last Sunday. They are published below. All amusements are forbidden and no marriages will be solemnized until after Easter, which is always forty days after Ash Wednesday.

The regulations for Lent in this diocese are as follows:

"All the week days of Lent from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday are fast days of precept, one full meal, with the allowance of a moderate collation in the evening.

"The church excuses from the obligation of fasting (but not abstinence from flesh meat, except in special cases of sickness) the infirm, those under twenty-one years of age, those whose duties are of an exhausting and laborious character, women in pregnancy or nursing infants, and those who are enfeebled by old age.

"The following dispensations are granted for this diocese by the authority of the Holy See:

First—The use of flesh meat, as also of eggs, is permitted at any time on Sundays, and at the principal meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturday, with the exception in Ember weeks and Holy Saturday.

"Second—Custom also allows the use of eggs, butter, milk, etc., at the evening collation, and also at the principal meal on the days on which the use of flesh meat is forbidden.

"Third—The quality of food allowed at a collation in this diocese is bread, fruits, salads, vegetables, cold fish, butter, milk and eggs.

"Fourth—A small piece of bread with a cup of coffee, tea or chocolate can be taken in the morning.

"Fifth—Where it is not convenient to take the principal meal at noon, it is lawful to invert the order, taking the collation then and the dinner in the evening.

"Sixth—Drippings and lard may be used in the preparations of the kinds of food which are permitted.

"Seventh—On Sundays there is neither fasting nor abstinence.

"Eighth—On the days including Sundays, on which permission is granted to eat meat, both flesh meat and fish are not to be used at the same meal.

"Ninth—Those who are exempt from the precept of fasting can partake of flesh meat at every meal during the day, when by special indulgence, flesh meat is permitted at the principal meal.

"The time for fulfilling the Easter precept of communion in the diocese extends from the first Sunday in Lent to the Trinity Sunday, inclusive.

"By virtue of the indulgence granted to us for ten years by the Holy See March 15, 1895, we permit to all workingmen and their families the use of flesh meat once a day on all fast days and abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception of Friday, Ash Wednesday and Saturday of Holy Week and the eve of Christmas.

"Those who are exempt from the

obligation of fasting are free to take meat more than once on the days mentioned.

"Those who avail themselves of this indulgence are not allowed to use flesh meat and fish at the same meal, and they are earnestly exhorted to perform some other act of mortification, such as abstinence from intoxicating liquors.

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### Town Incorporated.

The town of Nortonville has been incorporated and the following officers were appointed to serve until the election of such officers:

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### Tried to Kill Himself.

Driven temporarily insane by the pain from an old wound, Peter Snapp, a resident of the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley, attempted to commit suicide Tuesday afternoon by slashing at his throat with a razor. Dr. R. B. Pryor was summoned and found that the man's injuries were not serious. Snapp was a member of Company E Second Infantry, Orphan brigade, in the Confederate army. He went to the home from Owensboro two years ago.

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During Revival.

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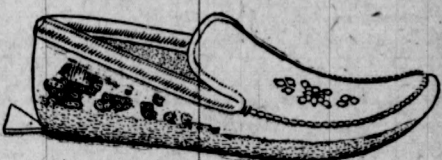
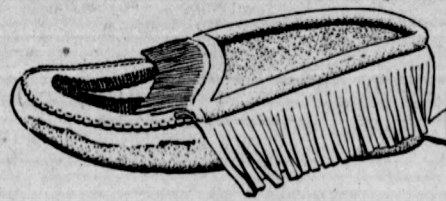
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