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## TARIFF REFORM.

A BILL OFFERED BY THE REFORM CLUB OF NEW YORK.

Prepared by Statistician David A. Wells and Other Noted Statesmen.

### Features of the Measure.

New York, March 22.—A special committee of the Reform Club of this city, consisting of E. E. Anderson, Charles S. Fairchild, Thomas G. Shearman, David A. Wells, John De Witt Warner and Everett P. Wheeler, has completed a draft of a bill, which, when perfected, will be urged upon Congress as a substitute for the present tariff laws and a fulfillment of the pledges under which the Democracy has obtained control of the National Government.

This special committee was appointed immediately after the election of Mr. Cleveland. Its report, which is the product of much labor, assisted by competent expert knowledge, has been submitted to the regular Tariff Reform Committee of the club for suggestions and criticism. After careful consideration and amendment as may be thought advisable, the bill drawn in accordance with the recommendations of the report will be presented to Secretary Carlisle for his information and assistance in the work of formulating a measure which shall constitute the Administration scheme for reforming the tariff. The general principles upon which the proposed tariff has been framed are in the main as follows:

Crude materials to be used in the process of manufacture, are in general made free of duty. Taking other articles, the general object has been to fix such rates as would produce the largest amount of revenue in a series of years consistent with large importations. The purpose of obtaining the largest revenue has, however, been limited by consideration of the welfare and necessities of the people at large, and especially the poorer classes.

The purpose of obtaining revenue for the Government having been made in good faith the sole reason for levying any of these duties, it has not been thought necessary, and hardly wise, to reduce rates merely for the purpose of avoiding some incidental protection of domestic producers. All duties have been made strictly ad valorem, except some of those which have been levied as compensatory for internal revenue taxes upon similar articles produced at home.

In order to secure the honest administration of an ad valorem tariff, it is essential that the rates of duty upon the great mass of articles should be kept at very moderate figures. Upon articles of immense value and small bulk it is absolutely necessary to impose very low duties, because otherwise they will be smuggled by wholesale and no revenue will be obtained. Upon other articles experience has shown that duties cannot be raised above 25 per cent. without offering dangerous incentives to fraud; while if they were kept at or below that rate, the inducements to fraud are not often sufficient to compensate for the risk of punishment. A few articles of luxury may be excepted from the operations of these general rules, in deference to a widespread prejudice on that point; although it may be well doubted whether a duty of 25 per cent. is not as much as can wisely be levied upon anything whatever.

All the foreign articles, which, if made here, would be subject to internal revenue taxes must, of course, be subject to at least an equal tax. Silk is classed as a luxury, but silk ribbons are practically a necessity of life to the vast majority of women. Marble may be considered a luxury, and therefore we put a higher duty upon that than upon ordinary stone.

As to liquors and tobacco, the duties upon them should be made with a view to obtaining the greatest possible amount of revenue, without any concern in so doing as to whether we give or withhold protection to the domestic producer. Yielding in part to the popular opinion that silk is a luxury, we have placed silk manufactures generally in schedules at 20 per cent., instead of thread of, with cottons and sewing silk, which are now charged 30 per cent., and spun and thrown silk at 15 per cent., leaving raw silk of course, free.

The 25 per cent. schedule is the most important of any, and is purposefully made the most sweeping. Long experience has shown that this rate of duty upon the whole is the most productive of revenue.

The duty upon woollens and worsted manufactures of every description is placed at 20 per cent. Leather gloves and all other gloves, except of silk, are placed in the 20 per cent. schedule. Groceries are not a luxury; they are a necessity.

Tin plate should, certainly not be



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taxed more than 20 per cent., and perhaps more than 15 per cent.

Manufactures of wood in the most finished forms are placed in the 20 per cent. schedule, as are also buttons, except of metal or glass.

Most provisions are made free of duty; but some which partake in a mild degree of the nature of luxuries are put in the 20 per cent. schedule, while breadstuffs are mostly made free. Potatoes are left subject to a duty of 10 per cent.

Domestic books could not be admitted without the consent of the domestic publishers, and foreign books copyrighted here could not be admitted at all. On the other hand, so long as paper, binding materials and machinery are taxed, it is not just to make competing books free. The demand for revenue may well turn the scale; and 10 per cent. is probably the best revenue duty.

It would be exceedingly desirable to have no specific free list, but to make everything free which is not made expressly subject to duty. All articles upon which the revenue collected is too small to pay for collection and upon which it is not probable that any more reduction of rates would produce substantial revenue, have been placed on the free list.

We are satisfied that the proposed tariff would produce an immediate revenue of \$120,000,000, if not more. If the existing duty of half a cent a pound on refined sugar should be retained, it is suggested by two of our number that a specific duty of seven

sixteenth cent per pound might be imposed on raw sugar, which would produce an additional revenue on 500,000,000 pounds of probably \$15,000,000, besides reducing the bounty by \$2,000,000. To this, however, one of us is entirely opposed and three express no opinion. The amount of revenue which will be produced by this duty is so large as to make a full discussion of the tax necessary.

### The Grand Jury's Work.

The Grand Jury of the present court returned 94 indictments, the largest list returned by any Jury here for years. Of these 55 were for violating the prohibition law, 11 for carrying concealed weapons and the others distributed as follows:

- Disturbing a lawful assembly, 2.
- Malicious stabbing and wounding, 3
- Killing a tippling house.
- Playing craps, 2.
- Assault and battery, 1.
- Shooting with intent to kill, 2.
- Unlawfully setting up and conducting a game of cards, 1.
- Furnishing liquor to minors, 3.
- Violating the Sabbath, 1.
- Gambling, 3.
- Assault, 1.
- Perjury, 1.
- Unlawfully shooting at another, 1.
- Grand larceny, 2.
- Petty larceny, 1.—Princeton Banner.

### ORDERED TO FIGHT.

The Chinese to be Urged to Resist Arrest After May 5 by Force of Arms.

San Francisco, March 26.—It is reported here to-day that the Chinese Six Companies have prepared a proclamation that will be posted up here and sent throughout the coast urging all their members to resist arrest on May 5 by force of arms. The Chinese in Frisco are so ugly over the crusade made by the police upon the gambling games and high-binders' resorts that a considerable number will be ready to obey the order. If they fortify themselves in their houses it would require the regular army and the military to bring them into submission, and the work would cause more bloodshed.

### Pete's Luck.

(San Francisco Examiner.)

T. S. Minott, of Marshfield, Oregon, the center of the elk, bear and cougar country, has arrived here. Mr. Minott, though a business man, is at the same time one of the most noted sportsmen of the wild mountains of Western Oregon. He has just been on an elk hunting expedition to the Humpulips river.

"I went up on the Humpulips," he said, "with Ben Foss, who is a noted hunter of Marshfield. There are two ways of hunting elk and deer there, by a till hunt and with hounds. We chose the former. We followed

the trail which we had found, and soon came in sight of quite a band. Then we just shot. That's all, and brought down an elk apiece. It was something like killing a cow in a barnyard—no frills to it, nothing dramatic, but easily done.

"About this time along came an old Indian known as Humpulips Pot, who lives at the mouth of Humpulips. He saw the band of elk and commenced blazing away. The elk were rounding a ridge, and as one got to the top in the clearing he would fire. He kept this up till he had fired eight shots and he didn't stop one. They all ran on and disappeared. The Indian looked at his rifle, sighted it again, and then examined it all over carefully. Mr. Foss and I, who had by this time come up, saw he was much disgusted, and told him he had better go over the hill, for he believed he had killed some of the elk and he would do well to go and see anyway. He shook his head, appeared more put out than ever, and finally left us and went toward his cabin on the Humpulips. We were busy skinning the two elk we had killed, chopping off their heads, and saving some meat, so that we didn't think of him again for some time. When we got through we went down to the Indian's cabin.

"As we approached we heard an awful shrieking and sounds of somebody beating somebody else. We rushed in and there Indian Pete was hammering the life out of his squaw. She was almost killed. We hauled him off and finally got from him a story that she had bewitched his gun. He said that was the reason that he had not killed the elk. We explained to the superstitious Indian that there was nothing in that, and that he had probably shot some of them, and if he would go over there we would go with him. We finally got him to consent to it.

"All of us went back, and just below the hill we found eight elk lying dead. He had hit one every time—shot in the panache—and they had run a long way before dropping. They'll do that when they are shot in that way. It was such a killing as I never saw before. There the elk were, all scattered out in a row in a distance of an eighth of a mile."

### Condemned to Death.

Paducah, Ky., March 23.—Bob Brown, colored, who with another man and woman killed Albert Kelley, white, at Mayfield in December last, for robbery, got a death verdict today. His pals are yet to be tried.

### Sat On George's Knee.

Martinsville, Ind., March 22.—Miss Nancy Marvin, of Monrovia, this county, died yesterday, aged 103 years. She was born in London England, but moved to this country when but three years old. She remembers well the visits of Washington and Lafayette to her father's house, and says the former often took her upon his knee.

### THE OLD LIBERTY BELL.

To Be Taken to the Fair in a Special Car and Strongly Guarded.

Philadelphia, March 25.—It has been decided by the Councilmanic World's Fair sub-committee that the liberty bell, the ringing of which proclaimed the independence of the thirteen original States, shall be taken to Chicago, the date of departure from this city being fixed for April 23. The bell will be transported in a special car, and four stalwart policemen will go along as its special custodians, and will never lose sight of their charge while it is in Chicago. A number of city officials will go to Chicago at the time the bell is taken there. On the way to the fair stop will be made in all large cities enroute, so that their citizens may have an opportunity of seeing the bell that rung out liberty to the land.

### Heavy Sentence.

San Francisco, March 22.—District Judge Morrow today sentenced Captain Dering of the schooner Louis Olsen, convicted of smuggling twenty-nine Chinese into this country at Monterey, to one year imprisonment in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$14,500, which is at the rate of \$500 for each Chinese landed. The trial of the members of the crew commences Monday next, after which the case of the owner of the vessel, Wm. Olsen, will be called.

### COMMUNICATED.

The Strength of Marion Rests Not in Her Public School.

There is not subject that demands the interest of the people of Marion so much, as that of the new school house should.

Not only the common education of their children is depending on this house, but the children's health, their personal appearance, the wear and tear of the teachers' mind, and the self respect of the town.

There are many of the patrons who do not realize the horrible condition of the building; if they should chance to visit this institution of learning on some cold December morning when the snow is two feet out doors, and one foot in the halls and part of the rooms, and the wind whistling through holes in the wall large enough for a loose boy to crawl through, and hear, the loose windows rattling and banging, while around the stove are sixty or seventy blue-nosed children crowding and pushing to get warm, they would hold up their hands and exclaim in horror,—"Marion, Marion, the name art stings!"

Beside the impaired condition, there is not sufficient room for the public school of Marion.

In the Primary and Second Intermediate Departments are enough pupils to keep four teachers busy, while only two are employed. Now whose fault is this? The patrons of course.

The public money will not pay as many teachers as are needed even if there were room to accommodate all. Something must be done if our citizens intend to educate their children. The children themselves see the need of a new house; it is a "long felt want" with them.

Marion needs a graded school and her enterprising citizens should see that she has it. These boys and girls need something to make them ambitious; a desire to be something ennobling.

Which do you think will improve your children, town, religion, community and happiness the most: to great men and women of the world; or keep your money in your pockets, let things run on in the same old groove, your children attend school two months in the fall and stay at home the remainder of the term, when the spring mud finds them stuck up on stilts some where in the mire, knowing just as much, probably, but no more than they did the year before.

We must say of a fact, that the strength of Marion rests not in her public school.

Now, go to work and dig all around that part of your physical organization that you term conscience, and see if you can not squeeze a few dollars out of your rusty old pocket books to aid your children and your neighbors' children, in attaining something in this life that they can not lose, sell or give away.

HENRY T. THURBER,



PRIVATE SECRETARY TO CLEVELAND.

The President's private secretary is the power behind the throne and is perhaps more influential than a cabinet minister. He is in hourly communication with the chief, knows all his secrets and must possess a high degree of tact.

Henry T. Thurber is a man under forty, and a native of Michigan, having been born in Monroe. His father was at one time Speaker of the Michigan House and well known to Democrats of that State. Shortly after graduating from the University of Michigan, Henry Thurber entered the law office of Don Dickinson, in Detroit, and to-day he is a member of the well known firm, and is considered an extremely able lawyer. Mr. Cleveland, it is said, desired a man with knowledge of law and who had the advantage of active practice, in order to assist him the consideration of bills which will come before him.



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## CIRCUIT COURT.

### FIRST DAY.

Monday was a typical Circuit Court day in Marion. People were in from all parts of the county, some came because they were summoned on juries, some to look after litigation, some to see the new Judge and Attorney, some to trade horses, and some to see the people in general. When the court house bell rang, the court house was crowded with people, everybody anxious to hear Judge Pratt give his charge to the grand jury. The jury was called and empaneled and the Judge's talk was given marked attention.

The Judge said he was mindful of the grave responsibilities resting upon him. The present term of court was important; it was the first session in the county under the new constitution; we had a new district and new officers. I have a high sense of these responsibilities; my official position makes me the sponsor in a measure of your freedoms, the protector of your churches, of your liberties and your property. In all civilized countries differences arise. All honest, conscientious men differ, they can not see things. For the adjustments of these differences, the courts were established and were necessary. Crimes must be punished and courts were established to apply the remedies the provided. No matter how good the laws were, they were useless unless enforced. Our liberties, our happiness, our safety depends upon the enforcement of our laws. Our country has made vast progress during the decade, and the circumstances that have arisen demanded new laws; the new constitution is the result of this demand. The adoption of the constitution marked a new epoch in the history of the Commonwealth. Many of the old things had passed away. One of the important things of the new era, was the secret. It drives the bribe giver away, it gives a fair election, a free election. God bless the secret ballot, it is the safety of our country. The laws protecting it should be enforced.

The Judge then enumerated the various crimes, defining many of them. He dwelt upon the awfulness of homicide; referred to arson, burglary, robbery, perjury, rape, embezzlement, larceny, getting money by false pretenses. He called attention to the following cases:

After the jury retired the report of the officers was called for and the following were filed:  
W. M. Morgan, fines collected, \$10.00  
L. A. LaRue, .01  
J. A. Moore, County Judge, 179.74  
H. A. Haynes, Circuit Clerk, 37.50  
J. T. Franks, Sheriff, 3.50  
D. Woods, County Clerk, 163.37  
J. C. Stephenson, 21.00

### SECOND DAY.

The following cases were called and filed away with leave to restate: Commonwealth vs Walker, Lysenbeck, Bass and Albert Gardner. The following cases were continued and alias bench warrants awarded in each:

Commonwealth against, Robert Hodge, G. B. Millican, Wm. Maynard, D. A. Gregory, Dick Carr, Emory Brown, Horace Walker, Maggie Yates, H. Stembridge, Phil Martin, John and James Burton, Geo. Hazel, Lee Brooks, Thos. Myers, Ed. McCaslin, Frank Deboe, Prof. Hays, Ralph Bugg, J. T. Hughes. Commonwealth vs Pete Buckalew, carrying concealed deadly weapons, fine \$25. The cases of the Commonwealth vs W. L. Bigham, Elsie Barley were dismissed. Same vs Emily Yates, continued. Same vs A. J. Chittenden, erecting fence across public road, fined \$20.00. Same vs Boyd Lynn, continued. Same vs John Melton, dismissed. Same vs Jimmy Sullenger, continued. Same vs Ira Brown, continued. Same vs Wm. Holdman, continued. Same vs Wm. Burton, adultery, dismissed. Same vs Wm. King, rape, continued upon motion of defense. Commonwealth Attorney Grayott, filed the following: "I am reliably informed that Kate Moore is a person of unsound mind and an idiot, and therefore ask that a jury be empaneled to pass upon the subject. A jury was sworn in and returned the following verdict: We find from the evidence that Kate Moore is a person of unsound mind and an idiot, that the unsoundness of mind was caused from a spell of fever when quite young, that she has no estate and she is not capable of laboring."

It was therefore adjudged by the court that Kate Moore is an idiot. THIRD DAY. Commonwealth vs Robt. Dill, selling liquor on election day, continued. Same vs Wyatt McNeely, betting on election, continued. Same vs J. H. Spillman betting on election continued. Same vs Wm. Johnson, selling liquor on election day, continued.

John Imboden, cock fighting, fined \$10. Plead guilty.

Jas. Herrington, carrying concealed deadly weapons, fined \$25 and 10 days in jail.

Same vs Geo. Hall, selling liquor on election day, three cases fined \$25 in each.

Same vs Geo. Fortman, selling liquor without licenses, continued.

Same vs Gus Armstrong selling liquor without licenses, fined \$50.

Same vs J. H. Mott, murder, continued.

Same vs Thos. Butler, four cases for selling liquor without licenses, dismissed two, acquitted in one, and other continued.

Same vs Jas. Johnson concealed weapons, fined \$25 and 10 days in jail.

Same vs J. H. Tate trespass, acquitted.

Same vs P. C. Barnett, selling liquor on election day, acquitted.

Same vs J. H. Tate, shooting with intent to kill, acquitted.

Same vs S. F. Watson, violating election laws, three cases, continued.



Mr. John W. Skelton who is asking for the Democratic nomination for the Legislature in the district composed of Crittenden and Livingston, was born in Livingston county Sept. 18, 1857. His father was Dr. Seabree Skelton who died in Livingston some years ago. John Skelton attended the public schools of the county, and received a good English education. He began teaching school when quite young and was for many years a successful teacher in the public schools of his native county. He also taught vocal music. Up to 1888 he taught in the winter months and worked on the farm in the spring and summer. In 1888 he came to Marion and began the publication of the Farmer's Advocate. After engaging in this business, he accepted the position of lecturer for the Farmer's Union in this county.

The paper was published several months, then Mr. Skelton embarked into the mercantile business, and is at present selling goods in Marion. He opened the canvass for the Legislature in a speech at the court-house Monday, and will prosecute an active canvass for the nomination. "I want it distinctly understood," he says, "that I never was in any way connected with the Third party, but during all my connection with the Union was a warm advocate of keeping the organization separated from politics, and when I saw the tendency was to politics and a new party, I ceased to work for the Union."

## FREDONIA.

If the "Tolu Scribe" wants a new ground plow, he can buy a good one from A. S. Threlkeld.

If he wants a suit of clothes Howerton can supply him.

If he wants a chicken, Ed Young can furnish it.

If he wants to attend to his own business, no one will object.

If his advice should be needed, it will be called for.

Mrs. M. J. Wyatt and daughter Miss Orphaetta went to Louisville last week.

Miss Mary Wilson, of Eldysville has been visiting relatives in town for the past week.

W. B. Ray and wife of Kuttawa, was visiting his parents, Mr. Pulaski Ray and wife, last week.

J. T. Morgan has sold his stock of goods to C. B. Loyd and Grant Bugg. Tom will cultivate the soil.

Several farms in the neighborhood have changed hands recently.

Nathan Wigginton has moved to the Duer house and Duer has moved to the Kelsey Hotel.

H. C. Parr of Kelsey has sold his stock of groceries to Jones & Dye of Lyon county.

S. R. Cassidy has a complete assortment of everything in his line and at prices that will please everybody.

The wind damaged several roofs around here on the 23rd.

This looks like hard weather on garden truck.

For anything you need for yourself or family to wear, call on Cassidy and save money.

The Princeton Presbytery is in session at Bethlehem this week.

A. S. Threlkeld will sell you a good shovel plow.

If you want to see something stylish in the clothing, or dress goods call on Cassidy.

A. S. Threlkeld will fix up your

buggies for use, new shafts, single trees or any part of iron work.

R. L. Wigginton and family were visiting in Dogwood last Sunday.

Cash sales and low prices is the motto at Cassidy's.

Rev. Davis was in town Monday and went up to Princeton Tuesday.

S. R. Cassidy has the best line of fine shoes to be found in this part of the State, it will pay you to see them and get their prices.

W. C. Glenn will furnish Oxford Teacher's Bible cheaper than any one else in this county.

Old Mr. Loney who lived in the edge of Crittenden, died Sunday and was buried at Piney Camp Ground Monday.

Dr. J. D. Buckner and son have a fine lot of late Irish potatoes for sale, also a lot of best home-made sausage.

Z. J. Crider will build a large roller flouring mill and C. A. Wilson a large store house at Crider Station during the summer. The mill will be ready for the present crop of wheat.

If you want to dress in style for the least outlay of cash go to S. R. Cassidy for your outfit he defies competition for the same class of goods.

Several of the citizens of this county are a great deal wealthier than they claimed to be a few weeks ago.

Sam Howerton wants to pay the cash for twelve large fat hens if the "Tolu Scribe" can furnish them.

Mrs. Mattie Myers, of Troy, Tenn., has been visiting relatives here for some time. Her little boy has been quite sick for a week or two, but, is improving.

I've been late weeks past that the "Tolu Scribe" tells the readers of the press what we-us don't like, I would like to no how we-us, in an we-us up here would like for den we-us at Tolu to tell we-us what den duz lik. Sum no the people up here has had lots of munny bi tendin' tu ther on bimes.

Mr. Wm Gray and wife, of Princeton came down a day or two ago to see the sick child of Mrs. Myers.

Observer.

## WESTON.

River receding slow.

George L. Rankins who returned home Sunday morning from his trip to Louisville was well satisfied with his daughter's condition—She will continue there until June.

Rev. Duval, of Caseyville, was in this burgh one day last week on a visit to Dr. Ford's family.

Mr. P. C. Stephens candidate for nomination for State Senator was cur-

Pearl Cook and Mr. Peter Cook wife favored me with a complimentary call upon trip to Caseyville Thursday evening and on my unlucky return the cyclone behind a heavy shower of rain overtook me and the fierce waves washed the skid at a terrific rate. I steered it home with skill and walked dry land rejoicing.

Mr. W. L. Clement raised steam in his grist mill Saturday to grinding in town.

Mr. J. I. Hughes family went to Lake Clement on a visit Sunday.

Mr. Louie Cook and Cook Bros., told us that they were negotiating for the sale of their hotel in Caseyville, and in case of success they will move back to Weston and revive the rock quarry at once to operation.

We understand that Mr. O. C. Iron, and family will move to the Dye house lately purchased from Mr. Peter Stephens.

Heavy frost Sunday morning, and turned quite chilly during the day.

Fishing enjoyments are fast approaching.

Bible reading at the C. P. church every Sunday evening.

Several of our citizens who have been working in the country about the poor-house during Thursday's storm, reported its playful havoc with the houses, barns, fences, and timber.

The hardest workingman on the earth is the weather prophet. He thinks that he had to pull off his coat and drop the sweat of his brows in looking at the moving planets. None but God knows only.

## DYCUSBURG.

Geo. Graves is very sick of pneumonia fever.

Capt. T. J. Yeates and Judge W. M. Hill, went to Marion Monday.

T. J. Johnson and Ed Ramage of Kelsey spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Pickens, of Evansville, Ind., is visiting the family of Mrs. A. C. Couch.

Mr. Gheens, of Kuttawa, moved to our town yesterday. Mr. Gheens is a first class brick mason and will burn a kiln here this summer.

P. K. Cooley will attend court at Marion this week.

T. H. Prewett and family spent Sunday in New Bethel neighborhood.

The steamers B. S. Rhea and W. K. Phillips are doing an immense business and are putting off more goods here than for many years past.

Mosses Boyd Neel, Buckner James and several traveling men were here this week.

Prewett is cutting prices on plows

King's Daughters in Turkey. Smyrna, Turkey, has an active circle of King's Daughters engaged in the practical charitable work for which this order is noted. By sewing, embroidering, scrubbing floors, blackening shoes, or any work for which money would be paid, they have distributed rice and coal among the poor, visited the sick, educated children, provided medicines, paid for holidays, they divide into committees for the purpose of decorating the rooms where poor families live and providing small remembrances for the children.—New York Sun.

this spring and is selling lots of them every day. He will go to the country soon in the interest of the Buckeye Harvesting Machines. And persons wanting a machine this year would do well to call on him early and leave their orders.

## FLAT LICK.

Not very many at the McDowell sale Saturday.

The wife and four children of Jas. Gilland who died in the poor house some time ago, is now at Jim Gilland of this neighborhood.

A wind and rain storm past through this part last Thursday evening, no serious damage was done here, but a mile above here several houses and stables was unroofed and blown down.

"Uncle" Edson Hill and John Riley of Clay Lick was at the McDowell sale Saturday.

O! my didn't Rob Roy hit Observer a hard one last week.

S. L. Watson went to Marion last Saturday.

Prayer meeting at Robt. Hearrells Saturday night.

Mrs. Logan Belt has gone to live with Bennett Barnes of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood.

Mr. John Consett has sold his farm to Daley Barnes, and moved to Lola.

We learn that the new school house at Pleasant Grove was blown off of the pillars Thursday evening.

Crowfoot.

CROOKED CREEK.

Rev. Blackburn has been called as our pastor this year.

B. F. Yandell and family and Andrew Davis and family, left Sunday night for Oklahoma. They have left many affectionate friends behind who wish them much success and happiness and that they may reach their destination safe and sound.

Chas. McEwan is suffering with mumps this week.

W. H. Thurman visited Mrs. Hughes of Seminary Springs Sunday.

The storm Thursday evening done considerable damage to timber and fences in this section.

Miss Susie Wilborn was visiting in our parts last week.

Pet.

J. H. MOTT.

No case has ever attracted more attention in the Crittenden Circuit Court than that of the Commonwealth against J. H. Mott. On the 25 of July, 1892, Lefe Mott, a young farmer of this county, was found in the road dead. Circumstantial evidence pointed to J. H. Mott, an uncle of the dead man, as the murderer. He was arrested and has since been in jail at this place. At the present term of court the case was called and continued by the Commonwealth. The accused stoutly maintains his innocence, and expressed himself as being disappointed because of the court's decision.

Not to Be Outdone. Governor Turner, of Tennessee, tells a good story and has a keen appreciation of fun. Once while his regiment was in winter quarters with a Georgia regiment a religious revival was started in camp. An officer told him one day that twelve converts had been made.

"How many of our men professed Christianity?" he asked.

"None, sir."

"What!" he said, "none of my men converted? It will never do for Georgia to get ahead of Tennessee. Sergeant, detail eighteen of my men for baptism at once."—New York World.

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How It Feels to Be in a Railway Wreck. "A man who has never been in a wreck wouldn't believe how long it takes for the cars to get through piling up," said another. "After the first crash there is a rebound clear to the back of the train, and then the whole thing takes another lunge, something gives way, and maybe three or four more cars telescope. Then there's another jerk backward and another lunge, and it seems as if the cracking and groaning and tumbling of the cars for five minutes. When a man is mixed up with the trucks under the whole stack it seems like an hour."

"Make it an hour and a half," said an ex-brakeman as he scratched his nose with the only clawlike finger remaining at the end of a twisted and shriveled stump of a hand. The crowd knew how he had been dug out with a derrick and laughed at the joke.—Chicago News-Record.

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Not to Be Outdone. Governor Turner, of Tennessee, tells a good story and has a keen appreciation of fun. Once while his regiment was in winter quarters with a Georgia regiment a religious revival was started in camp. An officer told him one day that twelve converts had been made.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

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We are authorized to announce H. T. FLANARY as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR THE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce S. O. NUNN as a candidate for the State Senate in the district composed of the counties of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce P. C. STEPHENS as a candidate for the State Senate in the Fourth Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Caldwell, Crittenden and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### LOCAL GOSSIP.

Town lots for sale by R. C. Walker. Go to Crider & Guess for bargains. Tolu, Ky.

Clover seed \$9 per bushel at Crider & Guess, Tolu, Ky.

Paints and oils in any quantity at Moore & Orme's drug store.

Try our White Star Flour. Crider & Guess, Tolu.

If you want big bargains go to Crider & Guess, Tolu, Ky.

Crider & Guess have the largest stock of clothing ever brought to Tolu.

Those laces and veils at Mrs. P. W. Lovings are lovely.

Take your eggs to Crider & Guess and get 16¢ cents per dozen for them.

Crider & Guess will sell you goods cheaper than any house in Tolu. Try them.

Ready mixed paint; formerly \$1.50 per gallon, can be found at Moore & Orme's drug store for \$1.15.

Two tons of Collier's best white lead, and the best oils on the market at Moore & Orme's drug store, Marion.

Walker & Olive, the furniture dealers and undertakers, have purchased a fine hearse.

Get your window shades at Walker & Olive. They have a big stock and great variety.

Paint! paint, ready mixed chemical pure, one dollar and fifteen cents per gallon, can be found only at Moore & Orme, druggists.

Baby buggies at Walker & Olive's. A large line to select from. Prices low. Call and see our pretty line. Walker & Olive.

Call and see my spring stock of hats I am satisfied I can please you. Mrs. Sallie K. Dorr.

Deboe at Crayneville is the place to get all kinds of dress goods, calicos, gingham, worsted latest styles at lowest prices.

Don't fail to call and see Mrs. Dorr's hats. She will put you up a hat in the latest style, and as cheap as anybody.

Deboe at Crayneville for all kinds of shirting, cottonades, checks, brown and bleached domestic.

I am determined to give perfect satisfaction this season. So I have employed a first class trimmer and dressmaker in my store. Mrs. S. K. Dorr.

Tan-gat-oom. is the name of the best writing pen on the market. All sizes and shapes. For sale at R. C. Walker's book store.

Mrs. Miles is prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking. Ladies give her a call. Will sell as cheap as anyone and guarantee satisfaction. Call at Mrs. Dorr's millinery store.

Ladies I will have one of the best trimmers that the city can afford, that has had experience in the business. Therefore can put up hats in the best and latest styles.

Mrs. Sallie K. Dorr.

Fencing Lumber for Sale.—I have about 12,000 feet of seasoned fence lumber for sale at \$1 per 100 feet delivered.

T. J. McConnell, Iron Hill, Ky.

TO RENT.—I have for rent 80 acres of land, good house, barn, etc. Will rent it for one or more years. G. B. Rich, Mattoon, Ky.

Something To Eat.

Is usually in order, and the place to get it at W. M. Farmer & Co's—Mrs. Wolf's old stand. Meals for 25 cents. When you attend court next week remember that you can go there and get a good square meal for only 25¢. Everything first class, nice, neat, clean and well cooked. W. M. Farmer & Co.

### Work the roads.

Big crowd Monday. People do come to Marion. There is no place like Marion. Don't forget the new school house.

Phil Deboe planted corn March 19th.

The merchants did a big business Monday.

The candidates were in the swim Monday.

Mr. John Lamb is fencing the new cemetery.

Judge Pratt is stopping at Mrs. Cameron's.

A good work horse for sale. Pierce & Son.

J. G. Rochester will build a new residence soon.

Mr. Prose Ford has purchased a fine saddle stallion.

Mr. Will Glenn has opened a hotel at Dycusburg.

Mr. Geo. Wilson, of near Weston, talks of moving to Marion.

All kind of Harness and Gearing cheap at Pierce & Son.

Mrs. Morgan, wife of W. M. Morgan is dangerously ill.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn preached at the Baptist church Sunday night.

The bank has sold twenty Columbia half dollars. They sell at \$1.00 each.

I will have a lot of flowers for sale about April 1, 1893.

Mrs. R. C. Walker.

Mr. W. C. Tyner received a box of fine oranges Monday from his son, who is in Florida.

N. W. Jones is engaged in building a neat frame Christian church at Liberty grove.

I have a fine lot of roses and all kinds of flowers for sale.

Mrs. A. M. Hearin.

If you want a resident lot, any size, and in any part of Marion, call on R. C. Walker.

Mr. Gore, from Tennessee, has moved to Marion. He will purchase or build a residence.

Let everybody contribute to the new school house. Be public spirited and keep to build up your town.

Campbell Corn Drills, Dandy Disc Harrows, and a complete line of the best plows made at Pierce & Son.

Judging from some of the witnesses called, the grand jury is evidently looking after the liquor trade.

Don't buy a buggy until you see our stock and get prices, we will guarantee to save you money. Pierce & Son.

FOR SALE.—Six fine mares and 6 good horses for sale for cash or on time.

H. T. Flanary.

Public sentiment demands a fine school house in Marion, and it will rear its beauty some of these days before long.

Among the Salemites on the street Monday were Messrs. J. O. Gray, Albert Butler, Chas. Daniel and Dr. J. D. Threlkeld.

Mr. W. E. Weldon, a well known citizen of Sheridan, is dangerously ill, and grave doubts as to his recovery are entertained.

Mr. J. H. Clifton, of Dycusburg, is in town. Mr. Clifton is one of the little corner stones of the flourishing little city on the Cumberland.

Everybody wants to move to Marion because it has good schools, plenty of good churches, is on a railroad, is healthy, has good social, moral people.

Goldworthy, the blind tiger man, is gone. The unadjudicated cases against him were dismissed, and he shook the dust of the town from his feet.

Mr. Isaac Linley, of Salem, was in town Tuesday. It is said that while here Judge Pratt tendered him the Judgeship of the Livingston circuit court.

Marriage licenses have been issued to James A. Vanhouser and Evaline Andrew, J. N. Dean and Annie Lamb, R. L. Yeakey and Mary F. McConnell.

Geo. Graves, son of Dr. W. S. Graves, of Dycusburg, is dangerously ill. His brother Dr. W. T. Graves, of Paducah, was called to see him Monday.

Mr. A. E. Clark is very sick at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Josephine Elder, near Marion. It is feared that he has disease of the lungs.

Let the town authorities spend the summer as well as the money in making good sidewalks. Nothing so begets the town with ugliness more than dilapidated walks.

Mr. A. E. Gilliat, of London, Eng., tobacco merchant was in Marion the first of the week. He came to look at Cardin's tobacco purchase, and pronounced it the best lot of strips he had seen.

Judge T. J. Nunn, of Madisonville, is attending court at Marion this week. He is well pleased with his new home and his practice. His legion of friends in this county are glad to know of his prosperity.

### THE COMMISSIONERS REPORT.

Dunn Springs the Best Site, But a Postponement Recommended.

The commissioners appointed by the court of claims to report upon the Ford's Ferry and Dunn Springs bridge matter visited the two sites Monday, making a careful survey of the situation. The claims of both factions were set forth by the spokesmen of the contending sites. Messrs. J. R. Clement and Allen Wofford led the fight for Dunn Springs and Messrs. A. B. Rankin, A. D. McFee, Jas. Paris and Jas. Rankin led the Ford's Ferry party.

After hearing and seeing, the commissioners returned and filed the following report:

To THE CRITTENDEN COUNTY COURT OF CLAIMS:

Gentlemen: Your committee appointed at your last term to view sites for proposed bridges on Crooked Creek at Dunn Springs ford and Ford's Ferry report as follows:

We visited said places as ordered, and gathered all the information we could touching the surroundings and connections as to which would be the most accessible and convenient for the people, and greatest benefit to the traveling public, and probable cost thereof.

A bridge at each place would be of great benefit to a large section of country, but from the surroundings and connections with other public roads, we are decidedly of the opinion that a bridge at the Dunn Springs ford will be of much greater benefit to the traveling public than at Ford's Ferry.

We are poorly equipped to give probable cost for such work, having no experience in bridge building, but give such estimates as we have gathered from Pat Sliney, of Hampton, Livingston county, Ky., an expert stone mason and contractor, and Mr. H. F. Ray, of Marion, Ky., a machinist and bridge builder, which estimates are herewith filed and made a part of this report. The Dunn Springs bridge is estimated to cost:

Stone work, \$1500.00

Iron work, from \$1500.00 to \$2000.00

Making a total of from \$3000 to \$3500. This estimate is for a bridge 25 feet high. Our opinion is that it will take a bridge 30 feet high to be safe against a washout. To this estimate should be added the cost of the approaches, which will not be very much.

Two plans for the Ford's Ferry bridge were submitted by Mr. Ray. First, a single span.

Stone work, \$5000.00

Iron work, \$3000.00

Total, \$8000.00

Second, three spans.

Stone work, \$1600.00

Iron work, \$8500.00

Total, \$5100.00

These estimates are for a bridge 45 feet high. We are of the opinion that it will take one 55 feet high at least to be safe. The above does not include the approaches.

There is no public road to or from either of the above sites. If you will permit, we recommend, owing to the condition of the county's finances, that the building of the above bridge be postponed for the present.

Respectfully submitted,

A. A. Deboe, J. R. Jackson, Com. A. Woodall.

Mr. J. H. Hillyard has sold his property in Marion to Mr. R. W. Wilson and will, in a few weeks, move to Henderson. Mr. Hillyard is one of the old citizens of the new Marion. He came here about fifteen years ago, when our town was dragging along a second rate country village. He put his money and energy into business here, and while he benefited himself, he helped start the town on its good healthy second growth and helped to keep it on the road to prosperity, which it is now traveling. The Prizes very much regrets to see him leave.

He is a good citizen, and while Henderson may feel herself a few hundred years ahead of Marion, she will find that Mr. Hillyard is up with her.

Tuesday a friend of Dick Scott was soliciting assistance for him. He is in a very deplorable physical condition, entirely helpless and without hope of recovery. He was brought from Livingston county by his brother J. J. Scott and is living in a house on his brother's farm. He is very poor, has no property and can do no work. He deserves and should receive help from christian people, those who advocate charity, can practice it in this case, and it is the pure genuine charity. Send the poor man a little of your substance, he will appreciate it, and the good christian doctrine is that God will bless you for it.

Wm. Taylor, col., was arrested and taken before Judge Moore Monday charged with selling liquor without license. Bill hopes to escape by turning states evidence. He said a barrel filled with loaded whisky bottles was brought to Marion Monday, and all were sold that day; he helped do the selling but did not participate in the profits. He gave the names of a dozen or more men who he says bought of the goods. The names were turned over to the grand jury, and the boys will likely hear something drop.

### THEY ARE AT IT.

The Candidates Meet and Pull Wool.

The candidates for the Democratic nomination for the House and Senate addressed the people at the court house Monday. Mr. Skelton's announcement that he would speak brought all the boys to the front. Mr. S. O. Nunn led off. He said that he was subject to the action of the Democratic party. He was in favor of reducing the salaries of the Governor and Circuit Judges. He knew something of the temptation of lobbyists. Mr. Nunn spoke of what he had done for the boys of Crittenden county, and of the work he had done for the party nominees at every election. If elected he would exert all of his energies to make a good Senator.

Mr. P. C. Stephens followed Mr. Nunn. He wanted a primary election, and said that he was opposed to the action of the committee. He was disposed to grumble at his opponent for saying things about him privately. Mr. Nunn and Mr. Stephens kept up a running fire for several minutes.

Mr. J. W. Skelton announced his candidacy for the House. After referring to his former race he said before announcing himself he had talked to Democrats from every precinct in the county and five out of every six were for him. He desired an expression from the party and was willing to abide by the verdict of the party, and he expects that verdict to send John Skelton to the Legislature for sixty days. While he belonged to the Farmer's Union, it was not in a partisan sense. In every contest he had been found in the Democratic ranks, and there he would continue to battle.

Mr. Foster Threlkeld said that while he was not an announced candidate, he was not averse to legislative honors, and in the near future he might become a candidate.

Mr. H. T. Flanary, simply announced his candidacy.

Dr. J. N. Todd announced his candidacy. He said the nominees would have no walk over, it would take work to win, if he was given the nomination he would do the work. He said the candidates should have no choice in the selection of a manner or mode of naming the nominee.

Mrs. Lamar, of the Shady Grove neighborhood, went to Missouri Tuesday.

Go to Deboe at Crayneville for groceries, flour, provisions, etc., at rock bottom prices.

Wm. Goode, the poor-house keeper was in town Tuesday, and drew \$75 on his claim.

Mr. G. B. Butler, of Forsyth, Ill., was in town Monday, greeting his numerous old friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Dorr has employed an expert hat maker from the city. You will get the latest, neatest and prettiest hats at her millinery store.

Dr. W. M. Carter, optician specialist, will be in Marion, Ky., at Dr. Swope's office, April 18 and 19. He will examine eyes for all errors of refraction, and adjust glasses; examination free.

Mr. Isaac Linley says it is a mistake about any probability of his being a candidate for the Legislature on the Third Party ticket. If he runs he will be on the Independent ticket.

Eld. J. W. Gant, of the Christian church, passed through town yesterday en route to Salem. He will return to Marion Friday and preach in one of the churches at this place that night.

P. H. Woods desires to say to the farmers and the country at large, that he has a larger stock of goods than he has heretofore had and is well prepared to serve their wants, in dry goods, notions, boots and shoes, groceries, hardware, tinware, hats, clothing.

### FOR SALE.

A 24-horse power engine and boiler on wheels; with \$75 worth of repair will be as good as new. A good saw mill 230 inch girth, smooth mill, bolt reel, line shaft and good belt. All can be bought for the small sum of \$800 any time during the next 30 days. Come, look, for yourself and get a bargain. Good time on deferred payments. E. H. Porter.

### A FREETICKET.

A Show More Solid Than the Best Circus.

It cost you nothing; it may profit you a great deal. What you ask? Don't be impatient, but wait, and it will be told. Before laying out your hard earned dollars, go to J. N. Wood's store. When you get there, go in and look around. You will see lots upon lots of goods; the new and beautiful fabrics, from the looms of various factories. Their colors will please the eye, their touch will show that they have durability. Shoes of all makes and styles; hats of all shapes and colors; clothing for spring and summer wear. Just go and see, and while there the salesmen will take pleasure in showing through, and giving you prices. It costs you nothing; it affords them pleasure, why not go and see?

If you want fence wire call on Wood; he is headquarters for tobacco cotton.

### THE STORM.

A Great Deal of Damage Done in the County.

Last Thursday evening the terrific storm that swept across the country paid its respects to Crittenden county. The people had not forgotten the sad experience of March 27, 1890, and the angry winds Thursday frightened the people. This time nobody was hurt, but fences, out-houses and timber were scattered before the blast. We have been unable to learn of all the damage done. The store house of T. J. Hamilton, at Sheridan, was blown from its foundation, and unroofed; the stock of queenware in the house was smashed to pieces, while the rain did great damage to the dry goods.

A portion of the business house of A. J. Behout, at Sheridan, was unroofed, the ware room blown away, and goods were damaged.

The residence of Rev. J. T. Yeats, near Sheridan, was demolished.

The residence of James Cagwell met with the same fate.

Press Sisco's stable, tobacco barn and other out-houses were levelled to the ground, and his fencing was scattered.

Ed Flanary's barn was unroofed. John Bad's barn unroofed.

John McKearney's tenant house unroofed and fences scattered.

M. G. Gilbert's crib and barn unroofed.

R. C. Fritts fencing and timber down.

Mrs. Pamela Fritts, house partially down.

Jas. Long's house unroofed and fences down.

Hodge Fritts' stable down.

Please Miller's house greatly damaged.

Mrs. Thomas Clark, building damaged.

Horry LaRue, buildings damaged.

W. W. Milligan, building damaged.

Mrs. Corn, buildings damaged; portion of residence unroofed.

Bunk Curnel's house damaged.

Wm. Weldon's houses damaged.

Thos. Martin, out-houses and fences down and damaged.

Albert Butler, barn and stable damaged, fences down.

Sam Shelby, houses unroofed.

Henry Hodge's large tobacco barn down.

Jake Green, barn demolished.

Clark Dorrach, residence unroofed.

Sam Clark, residence moved from foundation.

Thos. George, barn down.

John Sunderland, barn down.

Gord Sunderland, house down.

Wring, barn down, out-houses demolished.

The Grim Reaper Continues To Harvest.

The little, year-old daughter, of Mr. Andy Crouch, of the Dycusburg neighborhood, died last week.

Mrs. Wade, the wife of Thomas Wade, died at her home in the Dycusburg neighborhood a few days ago.

Mrs. Catharine Arlacks, died at her home in the Meadow Creek neighborhood, Monday night.

A young man named Watson died at his home, on the Barnes farm a few miles west of Ford's Ferry, Friday night.

Fined for Maintaining a Nuisance.

A few weeks ago the Local Board of Health announced that it was going to gunning, and Saturday the first game was bagged. The warrant charged butcher J. W. Givens with maintaining a public nuisance in the shape of a good pen in the central portion of the town on Salem street. A number of citizens in that portion of town were before the court as witnesses. The defendant was fined \$10. Let the good work go on. Marion needs renovating and the earlier the job is commenced and the longer it is continued the better for the health, peace and prosperity of the community.

Deeds Recorded.

R. R. Morgan to Jesse Hughes 44 acres for \$350.

S. A. Simpson to Jno W. Cook, 10 acres for \$60.

E. L. Nunn to Jas F. Cook, 125 acres for \$500.

S. J. East to J. A. Lynn 40 acres for \$250.

R. W. Wilson to T. L. Waddell town lot.

J. A. Hughes to D. F. Bedford 10 1/2 acres for \$110.

Jno W. Bell to Thos R. Glor lot for \$350.

A. E. Tudor to Rousseau Kee 30 acres for \$140.

Deann-Lamb.

On last Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. Wm. Oakley, Mr. Joseph Dean and Miss Annie Lamb were united in marriage. Rev. J. F. Price officiating. After the ceremony many friends warmly congratulated the happy pair. On Friday Mrs. Annie Lemon tendered the party a reception at her residence in Marion. An elegant dinner was served. The Prizes extends congratulations.

Princeton Presbytery.

The Princeton Presbytery of the C. P. church is in session at Bethlehem, Caldwell county this week. Among those who are attending as members and delegates from this county are Rev. J. F. Price, G. H. Crider and Miss Elvah Crider, of the Marion church; Denton Crider, Piney Fork church; W. H. Walker, Sugar Grove; H. L. Travis, Weston; Thos. Black, Belle Mine.

### PERSONALS.

A. Schwab is in Louisville this week. Hon. Wm. Marble, of Princeton, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Geo. Glacock, of Memphis, was in town Monday.

Mr. B. F. Yandell and family left for Indian Territory Sunday.

Mr. W. P. Clement, of Carversville, was in town yesterday.

William Farewell returned from Franklin Thursday.

Walter Clement and Will Crawford of Tolu, were in town Friday.

Police Judge Hill, of Dycusburg, is spending the week in town with his daughter.

Miss Ada Bracy, of Madisonville, is the guest of Miss Maude Taylor, on Salem street.

Mrs. McGowan and Mrs. Spencer, of Princeton, were in town last week to see Mrs. Blue.

Ex-Senator W. J. Darby, of Princeton, was in town yesterday. He had business in circuit court.

Mr. C. J. Pierce has returned from Hot Springs, where he spent several weeks. He was sorely afflicted with rheumatism, but is now greatly improved.

Yeakey-McConnell.



## BOOMER'S KEPT BACK.

The Cherokee Strip Border Patrolled Once a Day by the Regular Troops.

Arkansas City, Ark., March 25.—A tour of the Cherokee Strip lands, soon to be opened, has just been completed by J. W. Gillingswater, representing the Interior Department, and K. N. Cliney, of the Indian Land Commission. They report more prospective settlers on the southern than the northern border. All are very poor and many have already spent the little means they brought with them in providing for families and stock. The Cherokee Council will meet next Tuesday to act on the Government proposition. The strip is patrolled once a day by United States troops and the boomers are kept back from the 34,000 100-acre farms they are viewing with such anxiety.

## Ram's Horn.

The only real good is eternal good. God is not trusted when we worry. Too many people worship a god of their own make.

There is much of God's love in a warning as there is in a promise.

The man who is mean to a child is a good hand for the devil anywhere.

Until we receive God for our strength we can not know Him for our peace.

The bad man is not a sinner because he does evil, but because he loves it.

People who are ashamed of their religion generally have good reason to be so.

The only thing that can always be counted upon for a certainty is the goodness of God.

One of the duties every man owes to himself is to live so that he can respect himself.

We always hate our own sins when they get far enough away from us to be looked at.

"Pure religion and undefiled" is the only kind that means anything at all in the sight of God.

God does not want His children to live on stale bread, but a good many of them are trying to do it.

Diamonds will burn and gold will melt, but God's word will stand when the rocks and mountains are gone.

No man can sleep well in cloudy weather when he knows that his house is a sandy foundation.

The right kind of a good man will keep right on growing in grace, no matter whether he can have his own way or not.

If the devil could not sometimes make a lie as good-looking as the truth, the way to the pit would not be so crowded.

We have the warrant of God's word to hope in Him when we have nothing upon which to base a hope anywhere else.

The more gold is hammered the brighter it looks. Let the Christian who thinks his lot is hard sit down and think of this.

## QUESTIONS IN PHYSIOLOGY.

Describe the spinal column. What is the first vertebra called? Why is the spinal column curved? What other arrangement is found in the spinal column for the protection of the brain? What is the sacrum? How many bones in the sacrum in youth? Describe the coccyx. How many bones in the coccyx in infancy? How many ribs? Describe them. Into what two classes are the ribs divided? What are true ribs? How many true ribs are there? What are false ribs? How many false ribs are there? What are floating ribs? Describe the sternum. What is the os hyoides? Is it articulated with any other bone? How many bones form the pelvis? Mention them. What are the ischia? What does ischiomina mean? Why are they so called? What large bone articulates with each ischiomina? How does it articulate? What is the socket in the ischiomina sometimes called?

## ROSEDALE.

Health is very good in these parts. Road working is the order of the day.

Sam Broy is busy loading ties.

There has been quite a number of our farmers sowing oats and tobacco seed.

The March wind howls among the trees.

Preaching at this place every second Sunday; everybody come out.

Prayer meeting at old Uncle Tommie Wight the second Saturday night in April.

Wheat looks well in this neighborhood.

J. T. Croft is very ill; he has an abscess in his side.

Born to the wife of Sam Kinsey, a 12 pound girl.

There was a half storm last week; it done a little damage.

Miss Nar Ainsworth visited her parents last week.

James Slador, of Livingston county, visited friends and relatives here last week.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Be it Resolved by the Board of Trustees of the town of Marion, Crittenden County, State of Kentucky,

1. That article 21st of the by-laws of the town of Marion, Ky., be and the same is hereby repealed. And in lieu thereof the following is adopted, viz:

That all transient person (other than citizens of this county,) who shall sell any goods, wares or merchandise of any kind, (other than the kinds heretofore mentioned,) at auction or at retail in the town of Marion, shall first pay to the treasurer or clerk of said town the sum of fifty dollars per day, for each person directly or indirectly interested in such sales, or any and all persons who may be employed to assist directly or indirectly in making such sales.

2. That all transient persons, (other than citizens of this county,) who shall sell any patent or other medicine at auction or at retail in the town of Marion shall first pay to the treasurer or clerk of said town the sum of \$5.00 per day for each person directly or indirectly engaged, or employed in such sales.

3. That all transient persons (other than a citizen of this county,) who shall sell any spectacles, watches, jewelry or other article belonging to the jewelry business, at auction or at retail in the town of Marion shall first pay to the treasurer or clerk of said town the sum of ten dollars, for each day for each person that may be engaged in making such sales.

4. That upon the payment of the sum of money mentioned in either of the sections 1, 2, and 3, it shall be the duty of the clerk or treasurer to give the applicant a certificate showing they have complied with the requirements of said section. All other ordinances or resolutions in conflict with the foregoing are hereby repealed, and these ordinances shall go into effect from and after the date. This, the 20th day of March, 1893.

J. P. PIERCE, Chm.

ATTEST

R. C. WALKER, Clerk.

CALIFORNIA HERMIT.

Men Facing Their Lives in Little Solitude on the Mountain Tops.

Is man essentially a social animal? The scientists say so. But in the mountains of California there are almost enough men who for years have led a life of utter solitude to disprove the generalization. These mountain hermits can be found scattered through the Sierras and the Coast Range from one end of the state to the other. They are particularly numerous through this region, extending far back into the high Sierras. Some of them were once guides in the valley, others have been miners, and some again seem to have taken up the life of solitude simply because they like it.

To this class belongs old P. R. Gibson—"Old Gib," as he is generally called—who lives on a mountain range. He is seventy-five years old, but is possessed of as much physical strength and endurance as the average man of half his age. He came thirty years ago from Tennessee, where he left a wife and a large family of children. One of his sons came to see him recently and tried to induce him to visit his former home, but "Old Gib" steadfastly refused to leave his little ranch and solitary cabin. He has never seen a railroad, and the stage drivers from the nearest station try their utmost to persuade him to go to town and at least look at a train of cars. But his inviolable answer is: "Do you think I'm going down there to be blown up by one of them there blamed engines? Not much!"

Nearly all the men who live this life of solitude are long get at spots on the head, and "Old Gib" is no exception to the rule. He has a remarkable description of himself which declares that he is "the best man in the United States or adjoining territories, either directly or indirectly, financially, commercially, ecclesiastically or unchurchified." The old man is a hard worker, and when he is not busy on his ranch he is working energetically making "shakes"—that is, clapholds split and saved by hand from big pine trees.

Old man Lambert, who has a cabin in the high Sierras some thirty miles back of the Yosemite, is another of the mountain hermits. He has neither ranch nor mining claim, but lives by what he shoots and by an occasional few dollars earned from camping parties. He has lived alone in that same spot for years and years, and will in all likelihood stay there until he dies. There are months at a time that he does not see another human being. A party of hunters one summer found him making a huge stone wall that seemed to have no purpose whatever. In surprise they asked him what he was piling up these stones for. "Why," he said, "a man's got to do something, up here alone, or he'll go wrong, sure."—Cor. Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.

Longevity in England. The death rate in the Peak of Derbyshire is so low that the district rivals in salubrity the American village which was so extraordinarily healthy that the inhabitants who wished to "shuffle off this mortal coil" had to migrate into a neighboring town. The mortality at Buxton is nine per 1,000; at the adjacent hamlet of Flash it is said that death takes only the very young and very old, the infant and the patriarch. The sexton can almost tell whose grave he will next dig. In a similar manner at Edale, under the shadow of Kinder Scout, death goes by seniority.

At Tidswell, also in the "Peak" district, there was, quite recently, the funeral of a man sixty-four years of age, whose father and mother were still living in the parish, having been married sixty-seven years.—Sala's Journal.

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