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QUEEN WILL SUE.

Report That Lilioukalan Will Demand Heavy Damages.

A Cash Consideration Would Aton for Her Lost Crown.

San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Affairs remained quiet in Honolulu up to January 6, and the feeling of excitement and distrust had materially abated. Advice from there was received by the overland City of Peking, which arrived this morning, and by the Australia, which followed a few hours later. The former left Honolulu January 5 and the latter January 6. A local paper received the following from Honolulu the latter date:

"Ex-Queen Lilioukalan has entirely abandoned all hope of ever regaining the throne of Hawaii, and is now perfecting arrangements to bring suit against the United States for an immense amount of money. This information comes from a source which makes it absolutely trustworthy, and it is believed that before the next steamer sails from here for San Francisco the news will become more or less property on the islands. The agents of the ex-Queen now in the United States have informed her that the American sentiment generally is against her restoration and in favor of annexation of the islands, and that all further efforts on her part to regain her lost position will be utterly useless. She is acting on this information, and in view of the stubborn stand taken by the Provisional Government Lilioukalan has abandoned the struggle to restore her former conditions, and will seek pecuniary solace in a suit for heavy damages against the American Government."

GOLD PRODUCTION.

Treasury Officials Estimate It at \$150,000,000 for 1893.

Washington, January 22.—A production of gold throughout the world amounting to nearly \$150,000,000, is the latest estimate of the treasury officials for the calendar year 1893. This is \$5,000,000 more than the estimate made last November, and published in these dispatches, which attracted so much attention in England and on the continent, and is very nearly the largest production for any single year in the history of the world. The great increase in the Witwatersrand region of South Africa, which has advanced by leaps and bounds from a production of less than \$15,000,000 in 1891, to \$25,000,000 in 1892, and \$31,000,000 for 1893. Mr. Preston, the acting director of the mint, has requested a special report through American consular representatives in Africa on this remarkable output.

The United States will show an increase of nearly \$2,000,000 according to the best figures which have yet been received, advancing the product for the year from \$33,000,000 to \$35,000,000. Several of the large states have not yet been heard from as to the exact details of production, but the deposits at the refineries have been much greater than last year and justify the estimate of an increased production. Colorado reported an increase of 90,000 ounces, or about 1,300,000 Montana shows a gain of 11,000 ounces, or \$200,000. Arizona shows a gain of \$40,000, and New Mexico of \$50,000. These gains are partially offset by the loss of 19,000 ounces, or about \$380,000 in Nevada, but will be increased by the returns from California, Oregon and Washington, which have not yet come in.

GOING BACK.

Failure of Reciprocity Under the McKinley Act Loses Trade.

London, Jan. 12.—The Times says Mr. Howard Vincent has returned from a prolonged tour in the United States and the West Indies.

He says he was much struck by the magnitude of the British interests in South America and with the paramount importance of their adequate protection by sea. In nearly every colony in the West Indies the condition has been developed in favor of the United States without any counter-claiming advantage.

The lectures he delivered there met with special sympathy on account of the total failure of the reciprocity arrangements made with the United States under the McKinley tariff act.

WANT CARLISLE.

Offer to the Secretary From a Big Corporation.

Salary of \$25,000 a Year and Time to Consider the Proposition.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Carlisle, it is stated here, has had a definite offer from a syndicate of Ohio capitalists to become the President, general counselor and solicitor-general of a corporation which is to establish a chain of national loan associations over the country, with headquarters in Washington and the Ohio National Bank, of this city, as the center.

The offer was made some days ago, and the salary of \$25,000 per annum was made him, with time until February 1, 1894, given him to consider the matter.

The proposition was made to Mr. Carlisle a few days ago by ex-Congressman J. D. Taylor, of Ohio, and he was advised not to be in a hurry to decide.

When the question was asked at the treasury this morning in regard to the affair it was not denied and all that the Secretary would say was that the gossip had a right to romance, as there was no law against it.

THREE SWING OFF.

Judge Lynch's Settling at Russell, Kas., Yesterday.

A Trio of Heartless Murderers Pay the Penalty.

Russell, Kan., Jan. 14.—At 1 o'clock this morning there was a terrible exhibition of prairie justice here and three men met death at the hands of "Judge Lynch." No such outbreak of the old-time swift frontier justice has been witnessed in Kansas for years. The mob was one of the quietest and most determined that ever came together. It was a fiercely earnest and wholly heartless mob also, for the victims were not given time to pray until they were dropped into eternity.

The victims were J. C. Burton, William Gay and the latter's son, John Gay, who had lived together on Burton's farm. The men were confessedly guilty of the murder of Fred Dinning last July. Dinning lived with T. W. Burton, on a farm 11 miles north, and July 9 he disappeared. Burton had his team and even wore some of his clothes, but said he had gone to Oklahoma with young Gay. Gay returned a short time ago, and on close questioning confessed that Burton had poisoned Dinning. The elder Gay attempted to point out the place of burial, but failed.

Burton then made a confession that the Gays killed him and Thursday night he and the sheriff to a cornfield in a ravine, where the body decomposed and mutilated; was found.

Indignation ran high and it was with difficulty that the three men could be gotten to jail. Last night a number of men in the vicinity of the Burton farm came into town and were reinforced by the farmers from all parts of the county. The party appeared to have been picked for the victims were only about 130 in all when, at midnight they surrounded the little jail and demolished the prisoners. They easily forced their way into the jail and dragged out the terrified trio from their cells.

The mob was cool and well organized and made no attempt at concealment, though there were many onlookers. They took the men out through the streets and guarded them with jealous care leading them along the Union Pacific track, a short distance from town where a little prairie stream is crossed by the railroad and wagon road about 100 rods east of the Russell depot.

Blackford News.

We have had diphtheria in our town and in surrounding country whooping cough and different kinds of fever. Mr. F. Orler has been in our community buying hogs.

THE FUSE WENT OUT.

All That Saved the Life of Broker Elam, of Indianapolis.

His Wife Finds a Nitro-Glycerine Bomb in His Overcoat Pocket.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 11.—Edward M. Elam, a broker on South Meridian street, bears close resemblance to John P. Frenzel, President of the Indiana Trust Company; President of the Merchants' National Bank; President of the Gas Trust; President of the School Board, and ex-President of the citizens' Street Railroad Company. Holding these various positions of trust and profit, and being denounced almost daily as an uncompromising "enemy of labor," Mr. Frenzel is a rather shining mark for those anarchistically inclined, and Mr. Elam's unfortunate resemblance to the "Car of Indianapolis," one of the pet names applied to Frenzel, came near costing the modest gentleman his life to-night, as well as the lives of fifty or sixty people crowded in to a North Illinois street electric car.

At 6 o'clock Mr. Elam stood waiting for a car on Illinois street with his hands in his overcoat pockets. He is confident the pockets had nothing else in them at the time. He stood up in the crowded car all the way home, and when he reached home his wife discovered in his overcoat pocket a bomb made of gas pipe, with a fuse which had burned to within a quarter of an inch of the bomb. Mr. Elam lives at a boarding house, and after the evening meal the male boarders formed a conclave about Mr. Elam while he carried the infernal machine with care to the police station. There it was examined by experts and pronounced a nitro-glycerine bomb. It will be further tested to-morrow.

The police have two theories. One is that the bomb while on the car by one of the ex-employees while in pursuance of the plot to injure the company's property discovered a few days ago. The other theory is that it is the outcome of the teachings of one R. Braun-schwieg, said to have been a fellow anarchist of Spies and Parsons in Chicago, who has been preaching Anarchy to the German speaking labor unions in this city during the past two weeks.

OBITUARY.

Little Reed, son of Lawson and Lizzie Franklin, died at the residence of his grand parents, E. B. Franklin, Oct. 23, 1893. Little Reed was three years, eight months and 14 days old when God called him to His eternal home. He did not pluck the tender bud to wither and die but to bloom in Heaven. While it is our loss we can realize it is his gain, for he was one of the sweetest children I ever knew. To know him was to love him for his cheerful disposition and sweet talk won respect and admiration from all who came in contact with him and always before retiring for the night he would kneel and say his prayers and would often talk to his mamma and papa of Heaven and today he knows what it is to be there. Oh it did seem so hard as we stood by the death bed of the patient little sufferer and watch the light go out of the bright blue eyes and the heart cease to beat and then to know that our darling was with us no more. But God knows best and grieve not dear parents for your precious boy, but thank what a bright jewel you have in Heaven. Yes think of the little hands beckoning for you and live in the hope of one day meeting him where there is no farewell words, no parting kiss. I imagine now that I can see his lovely form and Heaven lit face as he basks in the sun light of eternal glory lisping praise to God and waiting to welcome his loved ones when their trials and heartaches are over and they too have crossed over the tide. Dear parents you have my heartfelt sympathy and remember there is one who can bind up all broken hearts if you will on trust Him.

"A loved one from us has gone. A voice we love is still. A place is vacant in our home, Which can never be filled. So we laid our darling to rest 'Till a glorious morn shall rise, Chasing away the shadows, Unscolding those beautiful eyes. Yes little Reed I know you are at rest On earth I will see you no more, But God helping me, I'll meet you my darling Where parting will be no more." —Written by his Aunt Eva F.

FAVORABLE REPORT.

On the Bland Bill For Coinage of Silver Bullion Now in the Treasury.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The House Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures has ordered a favorable report on the Bland bill providing for the coinage of silver bullion now held in the Treasury. The vote 9 to 8—strictly silver and anti-silver.

The bill provides that the Secretary of the Treasury shall immediately issue silver certificates against the seigniorage silver, amounting to \$55,156,681, which shall immediately be available for the payment of Government expenses, and that the seigniorage silver issued shall be coined as fast as possible into dollars, to be held in the Treasury for the redemption of the certificates.

The second section provides that the remainder of the silver bullion purchased under the Sherman act shall be coined as fast as possible and the dollars shall be held for the redemption of Treasury notes issued for its purchase. The certificates are to be cancelled as fast as the silver is coined for redemption, and silver certificates may be issued on such coin. Mr. Bland will report the bill at the earliest possible moment, the committee being privileged in that respect.

The detail vote stood as follows: Ayes—Messrs. Kilgore (Dem., Tex.), Bland (Dem., Mo.); Epes (Dem., Va.); Stone (Dem., Ky.); Allen (Dem., Miss.); Bankhead (Dem., Ala.); Coffey (Dem., Wyo.); McKean (Pop., Neb.); and Sweet (Rep., Idaho)—9. Noes—Tracy (Dem., N. Y.); Raynor (Dem., Md.); Harter (Dem., O.); C. W. Stone (Rep., Pa.); Johnson (Rep., N. D.); Dingley (Rep., Me.); Hager (Rep., Iowa); and Aldrich (Rep., Ill.)—8.

DEMAND THEIR BOUNTY.

Sugar Produces in Louisiana a Very Close Place.

New Orleans, Jan. 13.—A memorial was issued here last night by the leading members of the Sugar Exchange and planters, petitioning congress to bring about the immediate payment of the sugar bounty. The memorial says that vast number of people are absolutely dependent for daily bread upon the immediate undertaking of the work for the crop of 1894, and the money to prosecute the work can only come from the bounty money.

The bounty money for 1893, barring a few thousand dollars, has not been paid, and the government is now indebted to the planters of this state for more than \$11,000,000. The Louisiana delegation, in response to inquiries, telegraphed yesterday that the reason the bounty was not paid was that the treasury was empty.

"ELI" HELD UP.

Five Masked Men Rob the St. Joe's Fast Train in Missouri.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 10.—Five men held up the Hannibal and St. Joseph fast train "Eli" at 6:40 o'clock this evening, four miles east of this city, and robbed the express and mail cars. The men placed torpedoes on the track and swung a red lantern to stop the train, and as it slowed up three men climbed into the engine cab. Revolvers were thrust into the faces of the engineer and fireman, and they were told to throw up their hands. It was an old-fashioned robbery, but it was successful in every detail. The engineer and fireman were forced to walk back in front of the robbers to the door of the express car, and the messenger was told to open the door. Express Messenger Wetzel did not suspect that there were robbers outside and when he heard the engineer calling he opened the door. As he did so two of the robbers leaped in. They secured the contents of the safe. Express officials refuse to state how much was in the safe, but say the amount was not large. As the car was a through one to Chicago it is believed that the robbers had a good haul, notwithstanding the details of the officials.

COOKED TO CRISP.

A Wife Deserts Her Husband and Murders Her Baby.

Lagrange, Ky., Jan. 12.—Ben Bryson, who lives near Westport, came here to-day and related a horrible story to Detective Hitt.

He claims that after a short absence he returned home yesterday and found his wife, who had been confined only six days ago, missing. He instituted a search, and found the baby in the stove, cooked to a crisp.

Bryson claims the woman eloped with James Evans, a shoemaker, and says the last seen of them was at Twelve-mile Island, making their way for Louisville.

THE KENTUCKY IDEA.

You are Right.

Representative Hill has introduced a compulsory educational bill in the legislature. Our State is not now, and perhaps never be, disposed to compulsory education in its fullest extent.—Myfield Merriam.

The Thing to do.

The first thing the present legislature should do is to amend the present law so as not to exempt anything whatever from taxation. Let all property pay its part of the taxes in the only fair way of taxation or assessment.—Benton Tribune.

Only the Hungry Need Eat.

Representative Hiles has introduced a compulsory educational bill. It provides that parents and guardians be compelled to give children five months' schooling every year, at school or at home, the home instruction to be followed by a rigid examination to prevent an evasion of the law. There is no necessity for such a law in Kentucky. Education is free to all children in the State who want it and that is enough for the State to provide.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

Work, and Grumble Not.

It is about time for the calamity howlers to call a halt. The chronic grumblers ought to turn over a new leaf. It does nobody good for you to sit around grocery store or on dry goods boxes and talk hard times. If you are out of employment and have to work to live get something to do. If you can earn only fifty cents a day this is better than nothing until times get better.—Georgetown Times.

Sit not in the Seat of the Scornful.

The income tax is only imposed upon large incomes a moderate and easily borne tax, which can be assessed without impertinent inquisition, which would secure the government a large revenue at very small expense and with little annoyance to the tax payers. The talk of "spies and informers," "inquisitorial tax," etc., is flimsy rot. Honest men perceive whence this cry comes, and they know just what it is worth. The upright and just man fears no inquisitor and bears his share of Federal taxation willingly.—New Era.

Golden Opportunities Improved.

Eighteen persons were sent to the penitentiary and one hanged during the last round of Circuit Court in the judicial district. This record is as excellent for the courts as it is bad for the people. And the pity of it is that a good many more of us still need hanging or sending to the penitentiary.—Glasgow Times.

Afraid Of It.

The more the income tax is considered the more are Democrats afraid of it. It would be the best of good things if it could be put into force upon an equitable basis, but it is a dangerous experiment. Give us an unlimited bonded period and put the tax on whisky at any sum that common reason may require, but be a little wary of the double back-act income tax.—Owensboro Messenger.

Something to be Proud of.

The Banner, in closing a brief sketch of the struggle for a graded school in Princeton, says:

"The class of pupils that have been applied for admission to the schools has always been such as to improve the school while at the same time the school afforded an excellent opportunity for the young men and ladies who could not afford to go a long distance from home, to prepare themselves for teachers in the schools in this and adjoining counties. And a great number of the schools of Caldwell county is being taught by young men and young ladies who have been pupils in the school."

It is conceded that the high standard of our country schools is in a great measure due to the work done in the graded school of Princeton.

Since the school has been in operation there have been no vacant homes in Princeton. Many good families have come to the town that they may take advantage of the opportunity offered by the two schools. Of course the people appreciate this happy result and will prepare to meet all the demands made on them in educational lines. They cannot afford not to do this. Good churches and schools are always necessary to the growth and well being of any city or community.

Two Mormon missionaries, says an exchange have been at work in Webster county for the past two months. They were men of very ordinary appearance and of the commonest attainments, but what they lacked in this respect they made up in zeal and earnestness, and they secured quite a number of converts. It is said that several families will move from Webster county to Utah between this time and spring.—Henderson Journal, ago.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COLUMN.

Edited by REV. J. F. PRICE.

THE PROTERANGELIUM.

Jehovah, in the hour of pronouncing the curse, remembered mercy. The first good news to men mingled with the condemnation of the serpent. "And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel."—Gen. 3:15. This is called the Proterangelium, which signifies first gospel. The promise implied that from the seed of the woman there should come one to crush the head of the serpent and repair the ruins of the fall. Therefore, when our first parents left the garden of Eden, it was not without hope, nor into outer darkness. They carried with them the promise of a Redeemer, the assurance of the final defeat of the great enemy, as well as the divine institution of a Sabbath on which to worship, and of the marriage bond by which to be joined together in families. Thus the foundations of the christian life in all its bearings were laid in Paradise.

SACRIFICE.

It is by many considered certain, that the sacrifice of living animals was instituted in Paradise by God, immediately after the fall, to typify how the seed of the woman should destroy satan and sin. This is argued from the fact stated in Gen. 3:21, "And the Lord God made for Adam, and for his wife, coats of skins and clothed them." (Revised Version). Whence were these skins? From slain animals. Why had they been slain? Doubtless for sacrifice. This probable conclusion is strengthened by the fact, that the reason for sacrifice now existed, and that, in the beginning of the fourth chapter, the institution of sacrifice is taken for granted; no other beginning of sacrifice is recorded; although its use is continued from Abel to Christ. Thus early did Jehovah reveal the method of atoning for man's sin.

WERE ADAM AND EVE SAVED?

This is nowhere in the Bible distinctly affirmed, but it is to be inferred from the entire narrative. They were thoroughly awakened and terrified by a sense of sin and shame.

"The eyes of them both were opened, and they saw that they were naked, and sewed fig leaves together and made themselves aprons."—Gen. 3:7. How they hid from him. He calls them to account. They confess their sin. God condemns them, but himself preaches the gospel to them: "The seed of the woman shall bruise the serpent's head." For then Jehovah evidently instituted sacrifices. That they embrace this promise, and trusted the future sacrifice, is evident from what Eve said at the birth of Cain.—Gen. 4:1. "I have gotten a man from Jehovah, i. e., my seed shall destroy satan. She might have thought that Cain was the promised Messiah; at last she recognized him as a gift from God. This shows her faith in Jehovah. That she still held on to her faith, is shown by her words at the birth of Seth, though she had been sorely disappointed in Cain and Abel. "For God hath appointed me another seed, instead of Abel whom Cain slew," verse 25. Thus, we have reasons to believe, Christ wrestled from satan's hands the first parents and first sinners of the race of man. Already we begin to see that all the events of those early days of the world are parts of the story of salvation.

Iron Hill.

Iron Hill still booms. Holidays passed with usual waste of powder and fun with the youngsters.

Mat Dean and John Baker broke their legs but that is nothing unusual with them and they are growing to gether again.

Ed Hubbard has moved his saw mill on Piny creek to Nunn's switch.

John Stewart has moved to his father-in-law's place, Hunter Travis, and he has moved to Providence.

Mr. Nichols has moved back to Eph Hill's after an absence of several years.

Whoop! Better times a coming! See how trusts are disappearing and the tariff's coming down. Little while ago sugar was 8 and 10 cents per pound, now it is 4 and 5, salt a year ago was \$1.30 per barrel, now it is \$1. Carnegie has cut down steel rails and even to jeans pants from \$2 to \$1.00. The manufacturers are like Davy Crockett's coon. He was fixin' up a very tall tree and Davy was fixin' to shoot. But coony asked if that was Cal Crockett, well he'd on, (don't shoot), 'I'll just come down with one more ceremony says he. So with these fellows, when the jig's up with them they come hustling and every one wants down first and the lowest. And col'd have done it long ago. Quake Zike.

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We are authorized to announce that L. CHAMBERLAIN, a candidate for Sheriff of Crittenden county, is to be the action of the Democratic party.

Gen. J. B. Weaver made a speech at Shelbyville Monday. He is still advocating the Party platform.

If the Democrats do not reform the tariff, the party ought to be snowed under next fall, and the deeper the snow the better.

Already candidates for State office are holding up. The latest is that Secretary of State Hendley will be a candidate to succeed himself.

Princeton will get a new postmaster in a few days. According to the newspaper, Washington news; Jack Wiley is likely to be his name.

"It is still the best Legislature that has met for years," how long it will remain thus no insurance company has attempted to say.

According to the reports of the Commercial Advertiser business is getting better and there is a slight rift in the clouds of adversity.

It is not sad comment upon the condition of public sentiment to mention that Corbett and Mitchell are meeting with strong opposition in their search for ground upon which to punch each other.

Gov. Mathews, of Indiana, runs the prize fighters out of his state, and he us hope that Gov. Mitchell, of Florida, will be equally as successful in his war against the same pugacious, but useless, fellows.

Mr. W. H. Graves opens up great possibilities for the office seekers. Come Della, Blanche, Tray, Sweet heart and all. Where is your liberty ally? If you have that article about you anywhere, "come to see" Mr. Graves, and if you propose to remain the game "go him one better."

Secretary Carlisle has asked Congress to pass an act enabling him to issue and sell bonds under favorable conditions to obtain funds for the current expenses of the Government. Now which is best a tariff bill for revenue, or the McKinley bill for prohibiting the imports which pay the revenue?

The Paducah News comes out in a column editorial advocating John K. Hendricks for Congress. All signs indicate that Capt. Stone is not going to have a walk-over by any means this time. During the last canvass Mr. Hendricks got acquainted with the people of the district, and thoroughly demonstrated his ability and established the fact that he merits recognition.

Mr. Dunbar has introduced a bill in the Legislature making it a felony to carry a concealed deadly weapon, and fixing the punishment at confinement in the penitentiary for not less than one nor more than three years. If the present law on that subject were enforced, there would be no necessity for the more stringent measure offered by Mr. Dunbar. If the one can not be enforced, neither can the other.

The bounty paid to the sugar producers of this country last year was \$9,000,000. Of this amount \$73 per cent was paid to forty big producers. In other words \$9,000,000 was collected from the people and paid to a lot of folks for raising sugar and then the self-same people who paid the tax had to buy and pay for the sugar they used. Forty men got \$3,375,000 of the bounty. This is queer business for a governments to be engaged in; taxing one man to put money into the pockets of another. Let us hope the day will speedily come when every business will stand on its own merits, and taxation will be for no other purpose than to defray the legitimate expenses of the government, economically administered. If the Louisiana sugar lords, or the Pennsylvania iron masters can't make money enough out of their business, let them hunt another job.

In this paper we publish a letter from Hon. Ed. Porter Thompson, wanting the opinion of Superintendents and other educators on the Compulsory Education Bill introduced by Mr. Hiles. The Press is not a Superintendent, but in a broad sense it is an "other educator," and whether it falls within the pale of the two classes or not, it has an opinion on that subject, and that opinion is that there is no need of but one compulsory law in Kentucky, and that is a law compelling every man to behave himself, going in and out as becometh a decent citizen. That is compulsion enough. Let whatever good things the state has be placed within easy reach of all, and no one need fear the result. The people have learned to appreciate the advantages of the free schools without any written compulsory law, and the unwritten compelling force of the times will continue to put practically all of the children in this week of the woods into the public school's. No sir, Mr. Superintendent, we do not want any coercive measures of that nature down here.

THE LEGISLATIVE BILL.

Some Important Measures Under Discussion—The Governor and Attorney General.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 15, 1894.—The General Assembly now has over two hundred bills before it; that is over that many have been presented, but more than half have been killed in the committee rooms. The most important bill now pending is the bill presented by Senator Austin, regarding the management of the two state penitentiaries. The bill follows out the suggestion of the Governor as set forth in his message. Three commissioners by the Governor will have control of all the affairs of the penitentiary, they will have the appointing of a Warden, Deputy Warden, Chaplain, prison physician and prison clerk, these officers are elected for four years, but can be removed at the pleasure of the commissioners. The commissioners will also have the power to lease the labor of the convicts or utilize their labor by starting a manufactory to be conducted by the state inside the prison walls.

Three hundred thousand dollars is asked for to purchase suitable machinery and for building additional workshops.

The Committee on Judiciary is still investigating the action of the Attorney General Hendrick in compromising the rail road assessment cases, Gov. Brown and State Inspector Garrison appeared before the Committee and a great deal of feeling was shown in their testimony. Ex-Gov. Proctor Knott will testify in behalf of the Attorney General to-morrow. No sensational developments have shown up in the investigation as yet, but it is intimated that the Governor has another card up his sleeves yet, which as will play when the proper time arrives.

The compulsory education bill is growing rapidly in favor and the chances of its passage are growing daily. The most prominent members of the Legislature are outspoken in its behalf and its author Mr. Hiles of Bracken county is in high glee over its prospects.

The bill abolishing the state board of equalization is now in the hands of the committee and a majority of the committee seem to be in favor of continuing the board, the minority will bring in a report favoring its abolition. Senator Stephenson will in a few days bring in a bill providing for registration of voters throughout the state both city and county. A great deal of opposition on the part of the country members has a ready developed and a warm fight against it will be made when it comes up.

The Allen county contest has not yet been decided. It will come up Friday as a special order.

A determined fight to abolish the A. & M. college at Lexington is being made. Dr. James, of Muhlenberg county is at the head of the movement, Dr. James is mad because the college would not make an exhibit at the World's Fair this summer.

"No extension" still hangs in front of the Governors door and no amount of persuasion will get him to prolong the session, no the boys are working as rapidly as possible, and all will be home in time to plant early corn.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

Superintendent Thompson Wants Light on The Subject.

Frankfort, Jan. 15, 1894.—To County Superintendents and other Educators: Gentlemen: The Hon. J. B. Hiles has introduced in the House of Representatives a bill providing for Compulsory Education. It is a well-considered, well-guarded, liberal bill—the aim being to insure to each pupil child tuition for a certain number of months each year, either at home or in a public or a parochial school; but it is important to know the views of school officers, teachers, and others on such a measure; since its enactment into a law would not subvert the real interests of society unless sustained by a strong public sentiment.

Please to tell me in brief on the enclosed card or otherwise whether you and the people you represent believe our present conditions demand such a law.

Yours Truly,
Ed Porter Thompson.

Vicks Floral Guide, 1894.

It contains descriptions that describe not mislead; illustrations that instruct, not exaggerate. This year it comes to us in a suit of gold. Printed in eight different colors besides black. Color plates of Chrysanthemums, Poppies and Vegetables. On the front cover is a very exquisite bunch of Vicks' New White Branching Aster and on the back is the New Double Anemone; 112 pages filled with many new varieties of value as well as all the leading varieties of flowers and vegetables.

We advise our friends who intend doing anything in the garden this year to consult Vicks before starting operations. Send 10 cents to James Vicks' Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for Vicks' Guide, it costs nothing, as you can deduct the 10 cents from first order. It certainly will pay you.

THE LARGEST TAX PAYERS.

The Following is a List of Those Who Pay Tax On \$3000 and Over.

T. H. Carter 4741
A. Dwyer & Co. 5000
A. C. Debee 3160
A. Dean 4180
C. E. Doss 3685
Mary Bernis 3700
J. W. Blue 11000
P. C. Carter 4040
A. L. Cruce 545
W. H. Crow 3005
G. M. Crider 6830
L. W. Cruce 4890
Mary Blue 6125
W. D. Wallingford 3510
J. N. Woods 11075
Paris & Co. 3705
G. W. Perry 5520
Pierce, Yandell-Gugenheim & Co. 11550

A. J. Pickens 5890
J. P. Pierce 3125
Pierce & Son 7830
E. L. Nunn 6779
John Nunn 8155
W. H. Asher 3825
J. O. Burton 1510
Sam F. Crider 3474
M. G. Gagan 7394
Yancy Bros 3849
J. H. Clifton 14100
Wm. B. Bennett 3830
T. P. Moore 3071
W. B. Oliver 5745
W. F. Oliver 5060
J. E. Shepison 6300
Electra M. Boaz 14005
V. B. Carnahan 14006
Sarah Carnahan 12904
W. G. Carnahan 14365
John A. Carter 13905
J. R. Clark 12816
J. H. Clark 538
W. B. Crider 8314
Mary Crider 3021
S. F. Crider 4590
G. B. Crawford 11071
T. S. Croft 3303
J. B. Croft 14390
Daniel Stone 18580
S. S. Sullinger 563
T. E. Sullinger 3014
G. A. Terry 388
V. E. Weldon estate 5150
Veldon Bros 7299
Sallie Miller 324
A. A. Miner 3284
Moore & Beard 6301
J. B. thel Perry 5515
J. M. Phillips 3291
W. F. Summerville 3165
Alex Woody 3267
Nannie Hughes 4466
W. C. L. Moore 3201
E. C. Moore 1118
J. H. Hill 3325
M. W. Bab 4011
D. S. Bab 3361
Aaron Twery 3397
A. C. Towery 8205
A. F. Wolf 3285
W. H. Wolf 3804
R. H. Kemp 7065
W. S. Kemp 3825
E. H. Porter 9138
R. E. Flannery 4475
R. W. Eoster 8905
T. E. Griffith 2480
J. W. Gues 9690
G. J. Hamilton 3940
Harry L. Rue 3460
E. T. Burnett 12885
V. M. B. ret 14255
C. M. B. ret 12406
Jacob Berris 3396
A. J. Bennett 20129
R. G. Carty 3595
R. S. Clark 3800
L. F. White 4322
E. R. White 3556
Phoe. J. Wright 6136
George T. Croft 31795
Dr. J. O. Dixon 10975
Mrs. Jennie Simpson 4975
W. J. LaRue 3981
M. C. O'Hara 3908
Mrs. L. A. Sisco 2587
A. H. Carlin 9750
F. M. Clement 20497
A. H. Cardin & Co 8500
A. A. Ellis & E. E. Clemat 4070
Breeding & Flannery 3700
H. M. Cook 3755
J. M. Dean 3100
Jno M Flannery 3540
Wm H Heath 5638
Thos L Hughes 3759
Jno N Todd 3250
A A Debee 4530
F M Hill 3250
Jno Lamb and others 3500
John Lamb 5617
S C Frazier estate 5175
Susan Bennett 5000
G L Boz 3336
J W Brashire 3300
Alice Couch 4100
P M Glenn 6138
W S Graves 4487
John Gues 7165
Frank Travis 3480
R N Walker 4765
Emma G Wheeler 13450
R W Wilson 43845
Anne Wilson 9000
A Woodall 3700
P H Woods 3105
Marion Bank 4525
H. H. Loving 5700
J F Reed 11940
J E Robertson 3475
Joe Semuels 3895
M Schwab 9300
W C Stephens 3650
P H Gues 3045
Thos Henry 3558
W J Howerton 8000

F. J. Loyd 3500
W. P. Moore 20100
R. L. Moore 4330
Sarah Nunn 3224
J. H. Moore 3085
W. H. Ordway 7650
P. E. Ordway 3923
R. N. Foster 5975
Wm Fowler 9340
S. D. Hodge & Co 4750
John Hunt 3925
W. P. Loyd 3459

COLORED LIST.

Jas Hughes 1177
J. H. Hughes 1441
Harold Travis 2070
David Jones 1000
Henry Ratter 950
Jesse Hughes 825
Henry Tompkins 805

SALEM LETTER.

Tobias Bee Makes Some Observations About People in General.

Mr. Frank Wyatt, since losing his farm house by fire, has bought a nice residence and moved to town. Welcome, Mr. Wyatt, to our midst, wish that more like you would come.

Rev. Bigham's meeting at Hampton we understand, was not a very great "howling success." There is but one Sam Jones; and every one who attempts to ape him, but makes an ass of himself, and disgusts those who hear him. Sam's mantle must be torn into tatters by this time, seeing that so many are grabbing at it.

Our town is full of hog-at-large, but daily convert our streets into slack boards, and work our many problems in "Square Root." We think of asking the town board, (did you know we had a thing like that?) and if you did, who told you? you would never have found it out by seeing any law enforced which had we better do, put jewels in the swines noses, or advocate the town?

1839 has passed into the dim shadows that lie behind: 1894 is upon us. "What I have written, I have written," must truthfully be said by every one. If we have done well, let us do better; and if we have done wrong, let us do right. 1894, with its possibilities, has passed; 1894, with its opportunities is upon us. Forgetting the things that are behind and reaching out after the things that are before, let us press toward the mark.

Rev. Roe of the M. E. church, preached several (six we believe) good sermons the past week. The last two were exceptionally fine. He says that he is opposed to the liquor traffic "from the longest hair on his head to the longest nail on his foot." And that could mean a great deal, even though the man be of "law stature."

Your pardon, Bro. Roe, we did not mean that you had long feet. We also are somewhat against whisky, and will hold up your hands in your fight with that Monster.

Eld. Ligon preached a good sermon Sunday, subject: "The Path We Travel But Once." Text: "Ye shall never return this way no more. He also preached an excellent sermon Sunday night, on the subject of "Singing in Worship;" his text being: "I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also." This last sermon gave light in a very dark place. He showed that singing was worship; and his argument ought to put to shame, the countenance of the church members who laugh and talk during singing.

We have heard of a wedding supper being prepared, and the word sent out to a chosen few. "Come for all things are now ready," but the bridal party failed to appear. It was said upon one occasion, "While the bridegroom tarried, they all slumbered and slept." That is to say, we suppose he slept, anyway he did not come to eat the turkey.

It is actually reported that some of the members of congress, in their desultory ramblings, "going to and fro in the earth, and walking up and down in it," have stumbled upon the Capitol at Washington. It seems almost incredible that they should get there so soon, and we are tempted to say to the papers that report it, "Show us a sign."

And we opine that at the next election quite a number of them will give place. The idea of Democrats, with the majority they have, breaking a quorum, and thus blocking legislation by inexcusable absenteeism, will doubtless be remembered by the voters on election day. These men are paid to serve in Congress; and if they don't do it, why not reduce expenses by making some rag dolls and sending them to Washington to represent us? There would be at least one redeeming feature in the latter course—the dolls would not be absent from their posts.

When electioneering day comes round "As come it will, for all that," these "Dead heads" and "Sore heads" will come around to see the dear people, and tell them what obedient servants they have been. And then a lot of people will vote for them because they were in the war with them, or for some other reason that has been dead for thirty years.

We are saying, hurrah for John K. Hendrick, for congress. We are for him from the time the lark begins to sing, till the stars come out at night—8000 from the rising of the sun to the going down thereof—from Dan even unto Beersheba—and from the rivers to the end of the congressional district. So give us Hendricks or give us nothing.

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Suits, Overcoats, Furnishing Goods, Blankets
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down thereof—from Dan even unto Beersheba—and from the rivers to the end of the congressional district. So give us Hendricks or give us nothing.

Dyeburg.
Town and country full of sickness. No tobacco in yet but Frank Dycus has bought some.

Tom McConnell and Frank Newcomb, of Marion spent Sunday here. Chas. Burks and John Griffin will move into their new houses of business soon.

We are glad to see our business men W. H. Mayes and S. H. Cassidy up again from several weeks sickness.

We regret very much to announce the illness of one of our very best ladies, Mrs. Jennie Yancy.

Mrs. Decker, age 71 years who lives near town, and has for 50 years is at the point of death.

Born to the wife of G. L. Yancy on Saturday Jan. 30 a girl.

Since the death of our post master, there has been considerable effort made on the part of three viz J. H. Harris, Carlton Glenn and T. H. Prewett for the appointment. All had long petitions and have sent them in, but the people at Washington do not notice them as we do.

T. H. Prewett wants to almost give away a 4 inch steel skin log wagon.

Fredonia.
Farmers were glad to see the tobacco season last Monday.

A large crowd of young people met at Henry Wilson's last Friday night and had an enjoyable time till almost daylight.

J. E. Pilant has moved to his new house in the country. Mr. Dyre and Rev. Roe occupies the house he vacated in Kelsey, Calvin Foster, owner.

J. L. Wyatt is having a nice tenant house erected.

Wheat is selling at fifty cents here now, the best article.

Mrs. Lily Rice, of Princeton, has been visiting relatives here for the past week.

Tom King, of Princeton was in town Sunday.

Rev. Roe filled his appointments at the M. E. church in Kelsey Sunday and Sunday night.

Rev. McCall, of Hopkinsville, preached in the S. P. church here Sunday at 2 p. m.

The town board has a lot of meetings. I guess we will hear something "drap" pretty soon, if nothing but a belated pedestrian drap through a hole in the sidewalk. Progression is the motto.

Some of the stone breakers have returned. Several are yet exercising their muscles to a better advantage than shooting craps or disturbing public assemblies.

Rev. McDonald, of Bellbuckle, Tenn., has been employed for the present year as pastor of the C. P. churches here and Bethlehem.

The election of officers and teachers for the Fredonia Sunday school did not take place until the 2nd Sunday of the new year, and but few changes made.

The prospect for an ice crop is not flattering.

New Salem.

Joe Pace, Charley LaRue and a child of Charley Mellican are on the sick list this week.

PERISHED IN THE FLAMES

Mother and Two Daughters Burned To Death Near Harbourville.

Barbourville, Ky., Jan. 16.—The store and residence of Fred Houson were today destroyed by fire early this morning at 3 1/2, a small village sixteen miles west of this place. Mr. Houson and his son managed to escape from the burning building, but Mrs. Houson and her two daughters perished in the flames. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

WHAT MINISTERS SAY ABOUT THE ELECTROPOISE

Editorial from Central Methodist, Catlettsburg, Ky., Rev. Z. Meek, Editor:—Unless ten thousand men, mainly professional men, lawyers, doctors, editors, preachers, and all classes, including the writer, are very much mistaken, the Electropoise effects cures, gives relief where all other remedies have failed, especially in its efficacious in delicate, feeble women.

Rev. W. W. Bruce, Hustonville, Ky.:—"With the electropoise I have cured a bad case of opium habit in less than two months time; the patient now has no desire for the drug."

Rev. John I. Rogers, Danville, Ky.:—"A kind woman of mine who was apparently rapidly sinking into the grave, suffering with sciatic rheumatism, in extreme pain night and day, in a very short time obtained freedom from all pain, walks without crutch or cane, and declares that she is well. It is a mystery to me, almost a miracle."

Rev. W. F. Wayatt, Morning View, Ky.:—"I beg to improve from the first application of the 'wonder working gem,' my general health is better than it has been in years. I believe it to be a God's given remedy."

Rev. Robt. M. Barrett, Baptist Seminary, Louisville, Ky.:—"I gladly add my testimonial to that of many witnesses for the electropoise. Besides other serious troubles, I have cured a severe attack of la grippe in one night treatment."

Rev. George H. Menne, Covington, Ky.:—"In one night's time the Electropoise relieved me of brain congestion and vertigo. My wife was relieved of a severe attack of pneumonia in one hour."

Address DuBois & Webb, Room 10 Norton Block, Fourth and Jefferson sts., Louisville, Ky.

Statement of Marion Bank

At Close of Business, December 23, 1893, as Required by the Secretary of State.

RESOURCES:
Notes Discounted.....\$49,794.74
Due from Banks.....2,382.10
Real Est. Fur. and Fixt.....9,360.00
Cash on hand.....2,419.54
\$64,377.40

LIABILITIES:
Capital stock.....\$16,000.00
Deposits.....45,192.39
Undivided profits.....3,185.11
\$64,377.50

No unclaimed deposits of over five years standing.
I, H. H. Loving, Cashier, swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
H. H. Loving, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me Jan. 4th, 1894, by H. H. Loving.
R. W. Wilson, D. C.

THE WEEKLY GLEANER

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Contains Fifty per cent more news of all kinds than any other Henderson paper.

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As a remedy for all forms of head ache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles 50 cents at H. K. Woods' drug store.

About a year ago I took a violent attack of la grippe. I coughed day and night for about six weeks; my wife then suggested that I try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. At first I could not believe it, but still kept taking it, and soon found that it was what I needed. If I got no relief from one dose I took another, and it was only a few days until I was free from the cough. I think people in general ought to know the value of this remedy, and I take pleasure in acknowledging the benefit I have received from it. Madison, Mustard, Oway, Ohio. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Moore & Orme.

Bushnell's Arnica Salve

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Bites, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains. Cures and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. K. Woods.

"During the epidemic of la grippe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy took the lead here and was much better liked than other cough machines." H. M. Bangs, druggist, Chateworth, Ill. The grip is much the same as a very severe cold and requires precisely the same treatment. This Remedy is prompt and effectual and will prevent any tendency of the disease toward pneumonia. For sale by Moore & Orme, Druggists.

SALE NOTICE.

I offer for sale a business house and two residences in Fredonia; will exchange business house for land, also a good 10 year old saddle horse, also a good 8 year old mule. All persons indebted to me will please call on Charlie Byrd and settle at once, thereby saving cost.

Respectfully,
D. T. Byrd.

NOTICE.

All knowing themselves indebted to me will please come and settle up their account as I need the money and must settle up my out standing accounts, and that at once. So please take notice and oblige yours truly
Geo. L. Rashley.



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LOCAL NEWS.

The tobacco wagons are rolling in. R. A. Moore, of Tolu, wants that little account you owe him.

See Dr. O. S. Young, if you want a new set of teeth.

Dr. O. S. Young, the dentist, does the best of work.

Land cane for sale at low prices. THOMAS BROS.

A child of Mr. Harbison, in the Oak Grove neighborhood, died Saturday night.

Furniture that Clement & Dyer have for sale. When in need of any article in the line, call on them.

Call and settle your account, Moore & Beard, Tolu, Ky.

A little boy of Mr. Asbridge, living on the Grimes place some miles north of Marion, fell from a wagon and broke his arm Monday.

J. W. Johnson has fresh groceries call at his house on the corner and get them. Shoe shop in rear of house.

10,000

Hogs saved with B. A. Thomas' hog powder and stock food, sold by H. K. Woods, Marion, Ky.

Quarterly Court next Monday. Judge Moore will not be able to preside, and it will devolve upon the bar to elect a Judge pro tem.

Come in and see about that little account you owe us.

Moore & Beard, Tolu, Ky.

In the vicinity of Crayneville, some tobacco crops were sold for 5¢ cents per lb., the highest prices so far paid in the county.

Frank Markum who was lodged in jail last week for a pistol and whisky scrape was bailed out by Frank Jones Thursday.

We have a good stock of furniture and coffins. Our prices are right, our goods are right, and we are right. Come and see. Clement & Dyer.

I must wind up my old business. Call and settle the little account you owe me. R. A. Moore, Tolu, Ky.

In the Circuit Court at Henderson Tuesday the O. V. railroad confessed itself indebted to the O. O. & S. W. railroad in the sum of \$193,670.78 and the court rendered a judgment against the O. V., in that sum.

Save your hogs with B. A. Thomas' Hog Powders and stock food 25¢ pound packages, no cure no pay. Sold by H. K. Woods & Co., Marion, J. P. Deboe & Co., Crayneville.

The board of town tax supervisors was in session Friday. The aggregate "raised" made by this board was about \$20,000, and exceeded the raises made by the county board.

Moore & Orme are selling as drug-gist pure apple brandy \$2.50 per gallon. Pure whitekeys, M. V. Monarch, spring '92 \$2.00 per gallon. Dandel spring 1889 and Belle Nelson spring 1891 \$3.00 per gallon.

When I quit doing business by myself, there were a great many accounts due me. I need the money on them. Please call and settle. R. A. Moore, Tolu, Ky.

Spring School.

I will teach a four months term at Caldwell Springs, beginning first Monday in March. Special attention given to those who wish to prepare for examination. Board can be had at very reasonable rates. Tuition moderate. For other information address R. B. Gam, Marion, Ky.

IS HE CRAZY?

Old Man Tally Will Be Brought To Town To-day.

Yesterday Isaac and John Tally, who live in the Shady Grove neighborhood came to town and had a writ issued for their father, Billy Tally. They think the old gentleman is crazy and an inquest of lunacy will be held. His peculiar vagary is that he is under the special directions of God, and whatever the deity tells him to do, he does irrespective of consequences. His sons say that he had a fine growing crop of wheat last spring, and while it was still very green he had it cut, in spite of the protestations of his friends, claiming that Providence so directed.

Some years ago the old gentleman was before the court on a similar charge, but the court did not think him crazy.

THE FINAL ROUND UP.

The Tax Supervisors Hold Their Adjourned Meeting.

The Board of county Tax Supervisors convened Monday to finish its work, the persons who had been raised having been notified to be on hand with any reasons they might have to offer touching the fairness or unfairness of the rations.

The list of the following persons which were raised at the former meeting were placed at the original figures as given to the Assessor: Thos. J. Hoover, Mathew Ledbetter, Robt. Heath, J. M. Walker, P. E. Shoemaker, Jno. C. James. The aggregate increase made by the board is about \$7500.

Crider-Haynes.

Tuesday at noon, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. W. D. Haynes, of this place, Mr. Geo. H. Crider and Miss Fultie Haynes were united in marriage, Rev. James F. Price officiating. The pleasant and pretty home of Mr. Haynes was crowded with friends of the two families to witness the formal union of the two happy hearts that long beat as one. After the ceremony and warm congratulations of many friends, the party repaired to the residence of the groom's mother, two miles south of Marion, where an elegant wedding dinner was served, and where the friends gathered to celebrate this eventful period in the lives of the two young people.

The bride is a beautiful brunette, the accomplished and vivacious daughter of Mr. W. D. Haynes one of the long time prominent citizens of the county. She is a grand-daughter of the late N. R. Black, at one time a leading lawyer of the Marion bar. The groom is one of the most popular young men of the county. For a while he was engaged in the hardware business here, and later became interested in the planing mills of this place. The Criders are of the oldest and best families of the county. The Press extends congratulations.

Prof. Moore's Lecture.

On last evening at the C. P. church Prof. A. D. Moore, of Dawson, delivered a lecture to a large and appreciative audience. His subject, "Life As It Is" was cleverly treated, and he proved himself the master of his theme and the charmer of his auditors. His conception of life in every sense was grand; and his comparisons, and similes from nature, were strikingly magnificent and truly profound. In metaphor he made the ocean the source and centre of life, and the clouds, rain and snow, and the rills and rivers the wandering offspring all of whom returned in eternal order of certainty to the sea. His pictures were beautiful and true to life. His magic temple of the Infinite polity was sublime. His statement of self-evident facts were apt and powerful, and his reasoning fair and convincing, while his felicitous anecdotes were pithy and exuberant they were true to life and conveyed excellent morals to every mind. Prof. Moore entertained his audience ably and all appeared delighted with his mastery effort.

We wish him success and hope to have him with us again. It is the verdict of all who heard him, that he is an orator of high order.

Preaching.

Eld. G. W. Ford, of the Christian church, will begin a two week's meeting at this place Monday night Jan. 22. Services at the court house.

Prof. McCall, of Bethel Female College, will preach in the Presbyterian church at Fredonia on the 4th Sunday in January.

Last week in mentioning the secret societies, the Press overlooked the Ancient Order of United Workmen, Marion Lodge has thirty odd members and is one of the thriftiest orders in the county. The officers for the present year are:

A. Wilborn, J. R. McIntire, J. T. Dodge, N. B. Eddings, J. P. Pierce, H. F. Ray, A. J. Duvall, S. R. Adams, J. A. Hurley, M. Vickers, P. M. W. Foreman, Overmeer, Becomer, Financier, Reciever, Guide, O. W. J. W.

GIBBS STILL AT LARGE.

Big Rewards Offered For His Arrest.

George Gibbs, who is wanted in Livingston county, for assaulting Miss Shelby seems to have been successfully spirited away. Every effort has been made to capture him but up to date he is still at large and away from the reach of justice.

The friends of the young lady have offered a reward of \$200 for his arrest and return, and the case having been explained to Governor Brown, he has caused a reward of \$200 to be offered for him.

The Paducah News has the following:

The report has reached the city that George Gibbs, the young man who assaulted Miss Shelby, near Salem, Lillingston county, is in the country in Illinois, near Haunlettsburg, protected by a couple of former friends. All are said to be heavily armed and Gibbs' companions declare he shall not be arrested. It is believed, however, that his guards will deliver him up when the reward is increased to a satisfactory amount.

Gibbs, it appears, once did farm work for one of the men, and is well acquainted with them. The gentleman who brought the report to this city claims personal knowledge of Gibbs' presence in that section, and even spoke of a barn where he was for a time quartered. It is also understood that officers from Livingston county are over in that section, and if Gibbs is located an effort will be made to capture him at all hazards.

Look Out For Him.

Sheriff Franks is worried. School tax is disturbing his slumbers at midnight, and even destroying his day dreams. The law makes it his duty to collect the taxes in each district, when the trustees fail to make the collections through their treasurer. Delinquent lists are coming to him for collection from all parts of the county. He is allowed 10 per cent for collecting. The pay is in no wise adequate to the work. For instance he has from a district skirting the county line—some twenty miles from town, a list aggregating \$19,000. It will take a day to go and come, and not less than two days to make the collection, if every body is scared bad enough at his advent to pay promptly. For the three days work his pay would be \$1.90. The law is not a good one; a law empowering the district treasurer to make levies would remedy the trouble.

Sheriff Franks says when he does go into a district, he proposes to levy as he goes. The only exceptions, being those who pay the cash without delay.

Force of Habit.

A few days ago a well dressed and well known countryman stepped into a main street saloon, and said that he had heard that saloons were now opened in Marion for the delectation of the public, and that he had come to town to enjoy a nip, and called for a drink of "Old Hickory." The bartender set out a bottle, glass, sugar, spoon and water, etc., and turned to serve another customer as the other end of the beautiful mahogany counter, all hid from the passer-by by a large mirrored screen, when he returned in a moment, the man and bottle were gone. Search was instituted for the missing articles, and in the midst of the flurry the man came in the back door, with the bottle hid under his coat, and as he placed it on the counter, and began to adjust a pin so as to close a rent in the knee of his trousers, he said: "I had to climb a paling fence to get to that blasted cool house."

Coal Discovered.

Some coal miners have been prospecting for coal on the Harrison farm two and one half miles east of Marion, on the O. V. and they are very much gratified at the promises. So far the work has been confined practically to the surface, and a vein has been found but a short distance below the surface, and while the coal discovered is of an inferior grade, the gentleman who has the lead in the hunt feels pretty sure that deeper down, good coal will be found. The search will be continued, and if success crowns the effort, count another big feather in Marion's cap.

County Court Notes.

J. H. Clifton qualified, Thursday, as administrator of the estate of J. R. Duval, deceased.

J. A. Davidson appeared in court and with J. W. Gues and A. J. Pickens, renewed his bond as guardian of T. W. Clark's heirs.

Geo. S. Summers gave the proper bond and was authorized to solemnize the rites of matrimony.

Marriage Licenses.

James M. Simpson and Miss Lenard R. Neal.

W. J. Holland and Miss Cassander Amelia King.

Samuel H. Huff and Miss Ollie Baker.

Geo. H. Crider and Miss Mary Fultion Haynes.

The board of tax supervisors were in session again Monday.

A CARD.

To The People of Crittenden County.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Assessor subject to the action of the Republican party. In announcing myself I make this proposal: If nominated and elected I will donate one-fourth of my salary annually to the schools of Crittenden county, and to the Widow and Orphans' Homes. I am a single man and can afford to be this charitable. I hope you will consider this proposition and remember me. If your choice should be otherwise, all well and good I will not grumble. W. H. GRAVES.

VERY ILL.

J. H. Hurst In a Critical Condition With Pneumonia.

Mr. J. A. Hurst, a well-known citizen, who lives a few miles west of town, is dangerously ill with pneumonia. His condition is considered critical by the physicians.

Death at Dycusburg.

Dycusburg, Ky., Dec. 17 1894.—Died at 3 o'clock this morning Mrs. Jennie Yancy, wife of G. L. Yancy daughter of J. H. Clifton. She leaves a husband four little girls, a host of friends to mourn her loss. She was a model woman, a kind mother, a devoted christian and all that characterize a good woman. T. H. P.

Resolutions of Respect.

There is no death! An angel form Walks o'er the earth with silent tread. He bears our best loved ones away And then we call them "dead." And where he sees a smile too bright Or heart too pure for taint and vice, He bears it to that world of light To dwell in Paradise.

We have seldom been called upon to perform so sad a duty, as that of chronicling the death of our young friend and member, Sister Annie Butler. But yesterday, the hearts of numerous and loving friends, were made glad by her presence, to-day those hearts are breaking, because of the aching void occasioned by her absence.

Her illness was long and painful, but she bore it patiently, and amidst it all she seemed ever ready to say "Thy will be done." She seemed perfectly happy, all day before she died, and just before the clock chimed the hour of twelve Saturday night, her sweet spirit winged its flight homeward returned to the God, who gave it.

Two weak to talk much, but O, her bright and beautiful countenance beamed with the love of God, and seemed to shout echo back, "It is well with my soul to-night."

We thank God for that gospel, that brings life and immortality to light. Our Annie is neither slighted or lost. We shall see her again in full bloom in the Paradise of God. Then why so disconsolate? since we are assured, she is transferred to infinitely more genial clime and better culture. There let her rest, in the bosom of her Father and her God.

Resolutions of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church south at Marion, Ky.

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from our midst—Sister Annie Butler a member of our church and of this Society, a tender and self-sacrificing worker in the Master's vineyard, a dutiful and obedient daughter, a cheerful devoted friend and servant of God. She fell asleep in Jesus January 6th 1894, aged 21 years.

RESOLVED, That this society and the community has lost an excellent member, and that we tender our deepest sympathy to the sorrowing family and that they be furnished a copy of the resolutions as expressive of our condolence to them in their bereavement.

Mrs. Ophelia Wallingford, Mrs. Julia Miles, Mrs. Henrietta Boston, Mrs. Victoria Ray, Com.

Wants a Pension.

Yesterday Mr. Mat Harris, of Blackford, was before the Board of Pension Examiners for examination. He is the fourth man examined by the new board.

Shady Grove.

Business dull. Sickens plenty. Tom McConnell and Mrs. Pickens, of Marion is visiting in this part.

F. W. Nisbet was in town yesterday.

D. M. Hubbard and J. M. Brown both have a fine boy at their house. Sunday school at this place is moving on nicely.

Dennie Hubbard, of Marion has been among us for a few days.

F. C. Nash has sold his house and lot to Lee Elder.

Mrs. G. T. Bell, of Dalton, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Corda Drennan, of Iron Hill, is the guest of S. C. Towery.

When you want to employ your mind properly read the 11 of Hebrews for information on the Sunday school lesson. Honest Boy.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Ed Moore is now holding on at Paducah.

Mr. G. L. Rankin, of Weston, was in Tuesday.

Mr. Ed Cook, of Ford's Ferry, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. G. C. Gray left this morning for Henderson.

Mr. J. T. Cochran, of Enfield, Ill., was in Marion Thursday.

Rev. J. G. Haynes, of Lamasco, was in town yesterday.

Mr. D. H. Franks, of Eddyville, was in town yesterday.

Dr. J. G. Asher, of Shady Grove, was in town yesterday.

Mr. L. Woodside offers his farm for sale. He is going to Kansas.

Mr. P. E. Rowlett, of New Concord, Ky., was in town this week.

Mrs. Irving Brewster, of Lexas, is the guest of friends in Marion.

Mr. L. C. Perry moved from Fulton to this county last week.

H. A. Haynes was at Blackford yesterday, getting up papers in a pension case.

Wm. Davenport and Robt. Hardy, left Tuesday for Nashville to enlist in the U. S. army.

Meers T. B. Hall and W. S. Rushing, of Carversville, were in town Thursday.

Walker Clement and Marsh Dyer have rented Mrs. Wolf's residence on Salem street.

Miss Pearl Thomas, of Evansville, was the guest of Miss Fannie Blue last week.

Meers P. K. Cooksey and J. H. Clifton, of Dycusburg, paid Marion a visit Thursday.

Mr. J. J. Nunn, of Sullivan, was in town Tuesday, to attend the Crider-Haynes nuptials.

Mrs. D. B. Moore, of this place, is the guest of Mr. S. A. Nunn's family, near Blackford.

Thos. McConnell, was called to see his mother yesterday; she is very ill at her home near Shady Grove.

Dr. R. G. Carty, of Tolu, was in town Tuesday. He is making arrangements to move to California about the 1st of April.

Hon. Jno. K. Hendrick, of Smithland, is in town to-day. He is in the Congressional race. The Press will have something to say about him in the next issue.

Rev. A. D. Moore, a Universalist minister of Dawson, is preaching a series of sermons at this place. Tuesday night he had a good congregation at the C. P. church.

Mr. J. L. Truitt, of Ford's Ferry was in town yesterday. He is trustee of his school district, and like every other trustee is experiencing some trouble in collecting a school tax.

Mr. A. J. Duncan, representing J. B. Green & Co., electrical contractors, of Evansville, was in town Saturday to consult with the citizens relative to the putting in of an electric light plant. He has promised to submit his propositions this week.

"Uncle" Bob Heath, of Weston, spent Monday and Monday night in Marion with friends. He came up to give the board of supervisors some pointers about the value of some of his property. They did not raise him.

Mr. D. H. Franks is in town. For several years he has been a guard at the Eddyville branch penitentiary, but unless his expectations fail to materialize he will shortly resign to go into the hotel business. He expects to take charge of the Planters hotel at Owensboro in a few days.

W. F. Wolfe, of the Green's Ferry neighborhood of Livingston county, passed through the city last night, en route to Charleston, Mo., where his brother, Frank, was seriously, if not fatally injured last Saturday, while engaged in felling some timber. A limb fell on his shoulder, shattering the bone and otherwise injuring him. —Paducah.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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All Wool Pants \$4, to order. Upstairs at Pierce-Yandell-Gugenheim Company.

For Sale or Rent.

A good creek bottom farm adjoining and just below Hurricane camp ground, 133 and nearly 100 acres in cultivation. Two good houses, good stock barn, plenty of water, good orchard of 150 trees, about 40 bearing. 66 acres for corn this year, balance in clover and grass. Terms reasonable. Call at farm or address Dr. R. G. Carty, Tolu, Ky.

To Our Friends and Customers.

We want to extend our thanks for all favors shown us and to assure you that we highly appreciate your patronage and hope by fair and honorable treatment and satisfactory prices to merit your continued and fullest confidence. You all know that we have done an extensive credit business and have therefore now many notes and accounts past due that should be paid. All accounts made previous to Jan. 1st, 1894, were due on that day. We are well aware that times are hard and money matters close and regret that we are compelled to urge an immediate settlement by all parties owing us. But we must have money to meet our obligations. If you owe us but little you can easily pay it and the larger your indebtedness the more it will help us out when paid. We do not want to have to force collection of anything due us, but we are now so situated that we cannot indulge anyone longer, money alone will answer our purpose at present. If you owe us please consider this matter personally and remember that our finances are limited and we need every dollar we can get. Delays are dangerous, "a hint to the wise is sufficient &c."

Yours Truly, Pierce & Son.

The S. S. Mass Meeting Sunday afternoon was well attended.

The warm rain the first of the week brought out the tobacco wagons.

Rev. M. H. Miley and T. C. Carter filled their respective pulpits at this place Sunday.

Jno. B. Grissom has opened a saloon in the north-west corner of the Marion Hotel.

The death of postmaster Moore at Dycusburg leaves a little Democratic plum for somebody.

Meers J. N. Thomas and J. W. Skelton were initiated into the mysteries of Knighthood in the K. P. Lodge Friday night.

We will for the next 30 days sell wheat bran at 65 cents by the single 100 lbs or 60 cents by the 1000 lbs. A. Dewey & Co.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

The Spring Term of the Marion Academy will open Monday, Feb. 26th, and continue four months under Messrs E. E. Thurman and A. Richey, with Miss Mattie Kevil in charge of the Primary Department. Instructions will be offered in the following branches:

The Common School Branches.

METHEMATICS:—Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry Trigonometry, Book Keeping.

NATURAL SCIENCES:—Geography, Geology, Philosophy, Astronomy

MENTAL AND MORAL SCIENCES:—Logic, Psychology, Ethics Christian, Evidences.

LANGUAGES:—ENGLISH: Grammar, Rhetoric, English and American Literature. LATIN AND GREEK: (Inductive Methods.) Readings from Latin and Greek into English, and vice versa. Critical study of Latin and Hellenic authors; Grammar and Prosody.

Through the course of studies thus offered opportunities for thorough instruction in the Common School Studies and in advanced work will be offered to teachers and others who may avail themselves.

Elementary Grades.

It is intended that ample opportunities will be afforded to pupils of the Primary Grades, and students of the other Elementary Grades. These Grades will be under wise and competent control, and attention and instruction will be given as carefully to students in them as to those of advanced grades. Teachers who may wish instruction in the Science of Teaching will have the privilege of entering a class in Pedagogics, to be conducted by Rev. J. F. Price, in connection with the school.

Good board may be obtained at reasonable rates, eight to ten dollars a month. Students who may wish to enter before the opening of the Spring Term, may do so on application.

RATES OF TUITION:—Primary \$1 per mo. Intermediate, \$2 per mo. Advanced \$2.50 per mo. Higher Branches \$3 per mo. Tuition payable in advance.

READ THIS.

A lot of hardware, nails and etc. that must be sold. Heinz's mince meat 10c Arkansas kraut 3c Soda, Arm & Hammer, 4c Good N. O. Molasses 30c Brooms sold at 20c now 15c Wash boards, best 20c Sun dried apples 4c Sun dried peaches 4c Canned peaches 2lb 15c Tomatoes 5lb for 25c Oysters 2lb for 15c

Yiaware at greatly reduced prices. Our bakery is running, and we can furnish you with hot bread morning and evening.

The J. N. Woods scales have been remodeled and are perfect. If you want any weighing done, do not forget our scales, one of the most convenient in town.

Yours Truly, Thomas Bros.

PUBLIC AUCTION!

I will, on next Monday, it being Quarterly court day, sell at auction a lot of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, notions &c. Be sure to attend if you want bargains.

J. W. Skelton, Fred Mays, Auctioneer.

For Sale.

Two-third interest in a farm of 150 acres, 3 miles northwest of Marion. About 75 acres cleared, will sell at a bargain. For other particulars call on R. C. Walker, Marion, Ky.

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