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A GREAT STRIKE. PANIC IN THEBES.

Thousands of Coal Miners Lay Down Their Picks and Refuse to Work.

It is a Question of Wages.

Pittsburg, April 21.—The great coal strike, so far as this district is concerned, at least, appears to be a success. At noon today the 6,000 men in the river district and the 6,500 in the railroad district laid down their picks, and after receiving their wages quietly left the mines. Dispatches from the Clearfield district report that the 13,000 men there also struck, and that the mines are generally closed.

In the Philadelphia region, east of the mountains, all of the mines are idle. The suspension in the Clearfield region will enforce idleness upon 400 trainmen on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh railroad. In the Connetquot region the men are still at work, but the leaders expect to have almost the entire region of 18,000 men out on Monday. The leaders say there is no longer a doubt as to the attitude of the men regarding the national strike. They are largely in favor of it, and nearly three-fourths of them are expected to lay down their tools.

During the past week the local leaders have been working secretly among the employees of every plant organizing them for the strike and these leaders report that they find no opposition to the movement.

The strike proper of the Clearfield district is anticipated. It is expected to be a success. At least 100,000,000 tons of coal will stop work in mines that produced upward of 100,000,000 tons of coal last year. In twelve States and Territories. These miners received \$3,809,670 in wages in 1893, according to the eleventh census of the United States. In that year 123,886 produced \$9,809,108 tons of coal, valued at \$69,350,669. Should the strike be effective to the fullest extent anticipated, the effect upon the business of the country will be incalculably injurious.

The strike will enforce the suspension of many trades dependent upon the coal industry and may seriously affect the operation of the country in the States where the miners are out. The miners will strike for the adoption of the interstate agreement, which was abandoned during the summer, first voluntarily by a small number of miners in the Pittsburgh district and then forced a reduction in every competitive district in the United States.

It is admitted by both sides that the success or failure of the whole strike depends on the outcome of the movement in the Pittsburgh district. The averaging price of mining prevailing in the Pittsburgh district of the last six months has been fifty-five cents per ton, and all other districts in the country in proportion.

Many operators in this district declare that it is impossible to pay the wages asked by the miners, and they are asked to permit the mines to remain idle. This does not represent the sentiment of all the operators, many of them acknowledge that the wages demanded could be paid if all would keep faith and not seek an advantage.

REBUKE FOR HILL.

'Frisco Democrats Denounce the New York Senator As a Traitor.

San Francisco, April 17.—Three thousand Democrats met in mass meeting last night and passed resolutions ending as follows:

"Resolved, That the utterances of Senator Hill are traitorous in their purpose, false in their assumptions, absurd in their logic and excite the indignation and derision of the Democracy of California.

"Resolved, That the undemocratic course of Senator Hill in reference to the Wilson Bill is hereby repudiated. The resolutions are to be laid before the Senate by Senator White.

THE PASSOVER.

A Big Event Among the Orthodox Followers of The Jewish Faith.

(Louisville Times, April 21.)

"They begin the Jewish Passover, among the orthodox Jews the festival of unleavened bread. It is a period of unleavened bread. All cooking in use are packed away had been prepared for use, and new ones go so far as to exclude the people groceries that have not been used in preparation for 'Passover,' the daily use of which must be attended to the rabbinical stamp or signature.

The celebration of the 'Passover' on the first and last nights of 'Pesach' is one of the most interesting ceremonies in every Jewish household, and is a unique and striking proceeding when witnessed by the G. O. P. Of special interest is it to the younger generation, while the older people regard it as a day of reunion which nothing is allowed to interfere with. It is an occasion which has been described as one when all families are not only permitted to look upon the wine when it is red but are compelled to, at certain periods during the ceremony every glass is partially emptied when the head of the family replenishes it.

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The shocks today injured the northern wing of the palace in several places. A large stone fell out of the gate of Hadrian, but the general damage to this city and Piraeus, the port of Athens, is slight, and there has been no loss of life here.

The villages around Atlanta have suffered terribly. Larynni, Fokini, Malesina, Mazi, Pella and Marini are in ruins, serious damage has been done at Chalcis and at several villages on the island of Euboea.

The town of Nauplia, near Atlanta, otherwise known as Talandia, seven miles north of the 'number of a head' at Talandia, and at Nauplia, capital of the island of Euboea, has also sustained considerable damage, but Thebes suffered most of all.

At Thebes, about fifty houses fell during one of the shocks this morning. The city is in a state of panic and destitution. The terrified people have rushed in crowds away from Thebes, believing the end of the world had come. Conflicting stories as to the loss of life have been received.

The Government tonight is sending a warship to Thebes with 300 tons of food for the destitute people.

Thebes is on a highland anciently occupied by the Calmian tribe. It is situated twenty-six miles from Livadia, and has a population of about 3,000. Thebes is said to be founded by Cadmus, about 1549 B. C., and was at one time a city of great wealth and importance.

Oaxaca, Mexico, April 21.—An earthquake shock has been felt in this city and other parts of Southern Mexico. The shock came in the usual undulations and lasted several seconds. No particular damage was done, although all the buildings and church towers were made to rock somewhat.

QUEER AND QUAIN.

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DISPENSARIES KNOCKED OUT.

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TEXAS LETTER.

Velasco, Tex., April 16, 1894.

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ARI ZONA.

The Mineral Wealth of Arizona—Something About Her Mines, and Other Matters.

GOLD AND SILVER.

Although the Territory of Arizona has hitherto achieved its chief reputation abroad through the extent and richness of its precious metals, the half in this respect has never yet been told. The Territory is ribboned from North to South and from East to West with mountain spurs from the Rocky Mountain range, and in each one of these spurs, wherever it has been thoroughly prospected, some one or more of the precious metals has been found. At first, when silver bullion sold for from \$1.20 to \$1.30 an ounce, the principal industry of Arizona was silver mining, and gold was but little sought for. Those were indeed "flush times," when every man at the leading silver mine and Gueshight had a pocket full of greenbacks and didn't care a continental cent what became of it. Then it was that lawlessness and bloodshed ran riot in those places and each day was crimsoned with murder. Then the population of Tombstone was from fifteen to twenty thousand, and now it is but fifteen to twenty hundred. With the demonstration of silver a blight fell on those places, and silver at eighty cents an ounce made work in all of these rich mines suspended, although millions could yet be taken from them; but it costs 75 cents an ounce to mine silver and place it on the market—hence the suspension, and hence the cry of mine owners for free coinage.

But the suspension of silver mining has had one good result: it is rapidly bringing Arizona forward as one of the principal gold producing Territories of the country. During the reign of silver, it was not thought that the mountains of Arizona contained much gold, and little prospecting for it was done, although the rich gold mines of Mammoth and Harqua Hala were the price of silver came and all the leading mines closed down, thousands of miners were thrown out of employment, without money and without a home. For awhile the suddenness of the calamity stunned them, and they drifted aimlessly and helplessly from town to town, "as idle as a painted ship upon a painted ocean." But after awhile necessity forced them to exertion, and shouldering their picks they strapped a "grub stake" and a water-jar on the back of a burro and started for the mountains to prospect for gold. Hundreds of them struck it rich, too; and today there are thousands of men making fortunes in the gold fields of the Superstition Mountain, near Phoenix, in the Harqua Hala range, in the Gueshight country, on the Mogollones and in the Sierra Madre range near the border of old Mexico. And so extensive and so profitable has this gold mining become, that the white metal will never again overshadow it, as it at one time did, in the Territory of Arizona.

THE LOST MINE.

Years ago an old California prospector who was known under the sobriquet of "Pegleg" Smith, on account of his wooden leg, came into Los Angeles one day with a number of specimens of the richest gold bearing quartz that had ever been seen in California, and which assayed away up into the thousands of dollars per ton. Smith stated that he had procured the specimens from a mine in the almost unknown range of mountains beyond the celebrated "Death Valley," and said there was thousands of tons of it in sight. A Company was formed, but Smith was to lead to the mines, but before the time for starting came he suddenly died, and with his death all trace of this rich eldorado was lost. That was more than twenty years ago, and since that time hundreds of parties have searched in vain for the lost "Pegleg mine," and dozens have lost their lives in an attempt to cross the treacherous and deadly expanse of sand known as Death Valley, in order to reach the unknown and mysterious mountain range beyond. Many think that the Harqua Hala, in Southern Arizona, is the lost Pegleg mine. But that is as idle as the Harqua Hala is the richest gold mining property on the Pacific slope, and is now yielding more than a million dollars in gold per annum. This mine was sold last summer to an English syndicate for \$1,250,000.

A Skeleton in the Desert.

As an instance of the deadly peril of the desert, I will relate the following incident, which occurred but a distance from Gila Bend, at which place I was then publishing a newspaper. I don't condone the gentle

Hung For Horse Stealing.

Woodland, O. T., April 19.—Dock Bishop and Frank Latham were hanged this morning by the miners, living near Watonga, Okl., for horse stealing. Both men belonged to a gang that were systematically stealing horses from the settlers and driving them into the Panhandle of Texas. A posse ran Bishop and Latham down.

A Henderson Tragedy.

Henderson, Ky., April 17.—John Wiese stabbed and killed Sam Vincent over a game of craps yesterday. Wiese escaped the officers.

Progress of Christianity.

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CASTORIA

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"Castoria is well adapted to children this I recommend it as a superior laxative, for Stomach, Diarrhea, Eruption, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion." H. A. Anderson, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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"For several years I have recommended your 'Castoria,' and shall always continue to do so as it has invariably produced beneficial results." EDWIN F. PARKER, M. D., 18th Street and 7th Ave., New York City.

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Last summer a young man, or boy rather, some 17 years of age, left his mother in Oregon to join his father, who was at work in Phoenix, Arizona. The mother purchased a through ticket for him to Maricopa Junction, some thirty-eight miles from Phoenix, and gave him money enough to pay his expenses on the route and to buy a ticket from Maricopa to Phoenix. At Los Angeles all of his money was stolen from him, and he arrived at Maricopa without a nickel. He told of his intention to walk to Phoenix, but as the sun was then blazing down with a forty thousand horse power, the boy was warned of the dangers of thirst in crossing that portion of the desert which lies between the two points. He started, with a stout heart and a quart bottle filled with water. It was fifteen miles by the railroad to the first station where water could be procured, and the intervening space was a desolate, uninhabited, sandy plain. The boy's failure to reach Phoenix alarmed his father, and a general search was immediately instituted. Weeks rolled into months and no trace of him was discovered, and finally, in despair, he said under a cactus bush, where he had laid down beneath its fronds to die. His gun and coat were hanging on a bush by his side; his clothing had been torn and the flesh stripped from the bones by the coyotes, thousands of whom abound in that section. The supposition is that the boy's thirst was so intense that he incautiously drank all of his water a short time after leaving Maricopa, and that before he reached the other station he became delirious from heat and unconsciously wandered to the cactus bush where he died. So deadly is the heat of those deserts, that if a man is seen walking on a railroad track through one of them, and signals an approaching train, it is compelled by law to stop and supply him with water. The heat is said to so affect the brain after the water is exhausted, that the unfortunate one thus caught wanders around in a circle until exhaustion and subsequent death comes to his relief. During my residence in Arizona a number of prospectors and others thus perished in the deserts of Southern Arizona and the great Colorado Desert of Southern California.

THE WHOLE PACK IN FULL CRY.

Tray, Blanche and Sweetheart. I can hardly close this article, Mr. Editor, without adding my unsolicited protest against wretched Madeline Pollard in flowery garlands and convincing Col. Breckinridge to the regions of the damned. During the last years of the war I had the honor of serving with Col. Breckinridge in the cavalry command of General John H. Morgan, and a braver soldier or more knightly gentleman never drew sword in defense of the "Lost Cause." Col. Breckinridge is but human, with all the animal passions implanted in the human breast by Divine Omnipotence in full play. A syren—a soiled dove—an ambitious and impure woman, tempted him—and he fell; as thousands of others have fallen before him and as thousands will doubtless fall after him. "The woman tempted me, and I did eat," said father Adam. Since that episode in the Garden of Eden how many have been tempted and how many have succumbed to the fascinations of a petticoat! Why is this hue and cry against Col. Breckinridge? Why are the big newspaper dogs and the little ones, "Tray, Blanche and Sweetheart," barking at his heels? The answer is partially an enigma. His former covert and cowardly enemies assail him because he has fallen from his high estate. His former pretended friends now assail him because they are as ungenerous as a miser and as shifting as a weathercock. I don't condone the gentle

Coal Output.

Washington, April 13.—A report on the production of coal in 1893 has been compiled by E. W. Parker, of the United States Geological Survey. It shows the total production for the year to be 179,326,612 short tons, with a valuation of \$205,576,279.

Women in It.

A Frankfort letter says: "Two estimable Frankfort people are to share Maj. Adams' good luck in his recent appointment. Mrs. Kate Patton and Mrs. Fannie Traube are to have good places within his appointment. Nearly all the pension's force of fourteen assistants are women, and Mrs. Patton and Mrs. Traube will probably get two of the best of the places."

Extreme Age of Trees.

The extreme age of the various species of trees is set down as follows. Elm, 355; pine, 450; chestnut, 600; olive, 700; the cedar, 800; the oak, 1,500; the yew, 2,800. Humboldt computed the age of the famous boabab tree, a species of banyan, to be at least 5,700. Late authorities give the age of "big trees" in California at 1,000 to 3,000 years.

A Few Kentucky Cranks.

Paducah, Ky., April 19.—W. H. Priest, of the Hayes precinct, a few miles from the city, is organizing an army to join the Coxey recruits. He has several scores of recruits.

White Cake.

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THE PRESS.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR, ONE DOLLAR.

FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce JOHN K. HENDRICKS, as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. SKELTON as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce THOS. L. CHAMPTION as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce BEN F. McMICAN as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce J. F. FLANARY as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican party.

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce J. W. BLA E, JR., as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JOHN T. FRANKS

is a candidate for reelection to the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, election November 1894. He will greatly appreciate your vote and influence. His past record is the best guarantee of the future he has to offer.

J. A. MOORE

is a candidate for reelection to the office of County Judge, election Nov. 1894. He will be grateful for your support.

GEO. M. CRIDER

is a candidate for County Clerk, election in Nov., 1894. He will be glad to have your help; if elected he promises a faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of the office.

Jerry Simpson, the sockless statesman, is dangerously ill.

When you think of the striking coal miners, bear in mind also the McKinley bill.

If the Democrats could exchange Senator Hill for another Gresham, it would be a wise trade.

Frank Hatton, the well known Washington Journalist is suffering from a paralytic stroke.

Senator Mills has lost his good sense by mingling the election of the Senate with the election of the House. These offices are important State county offices.

If the committee will do a good job May 5, there can be no grounds for complaint at the people for the job they will do Nov. 4.

The Treasury Department at Washington is increasing the force of guards around the money vaults as Coxey's army gets near. A wise precaution.

Gov. Coxwell, of Kansas, declares that the Coxey movement is of divine inspiration. The Governor's knowledge of divinity is evidently very limited.

Seven desperate prisoners in the Frankfort penitentiary planned to escape by murdering guards, but the scheme was discovered in time to prevent the trouble.

In West Virginia a miner protested against the efforts of an agitator to induce 25,000 miners to strike. A controversy followed and the agitator was stabbed to death.

Clean up the city and then get to work on the Congressional district—Frankfort Capital.

The Congressional district will probably never be reached.

The Democrats are guilty of sins of omission, not commission. The failure to pass a good law tariff bill is the great sin of the powers that be in the Senate at Washington.

A press dispatch from Frankfort says that it is the opinion of many that Dick Tate has been hovering around Frankfort for weeks. Poor Dick, we feel sorry for him. He ought to be in the pen.

If the help of the masses of the people is wanted in November, their wishes must be consulted May 5th. Let the committee bear this in mind at all times and on all occasions.

If the Democratic committee make satisfactory nominations, that mode of nominating candidates will be satisfactory. This is about the only comment that can be made without fear of successful contradiction.

It is rumored that the Republicans will appease the demand of the colored brother for substantial recognition by permitting him to monopolize all the trusteeships in the colored school districts. The rumor lacks confirmation, however.

HERE 'TIS, PEOPLE!

THE PLAIN TRUTH SPOKEN BY SENATOR MILLS.

Startling Disclosures Tuesday in the Senate.

Washington, April 24.—Senator Mills this afternoon in his tariff speech charged the Republicans with having deceived the farmers by the promise that under their protective system a home market would be built up; that non-agricultural classes would come into the country, to consume the surplus wheat of the northwest. And yet the surplus product of this country, which had either to go to waste or to seek a foreign market, was from seven hundred million to one billion dollars. As to competition from India he declared that a bushel of wheat could not be produced in India and laid down in the city of New York in competition with a bushel of wheat raised in Dakota or anywhere in the United States; and that even the cost of transportation to London could be paid and still American wheat would compete there with the wheat from India.

The Republican doctrine was opposed to trading with foreign people and wanted to build up a home market. But here was five hundred millions of manufactured products to be consumed at home. How was that going to be consumed? In order to carry out the Republican doctrine people would have to be imported to consume these products. The Democratic doctrine was to export the products all over the world, where the people live, and where they should remain.

The Republican doctrine, on the contrary, was to import people to consume the surplus agricultural products and it would be necessary to import 33,000,000 people to do that. The Republicans would import Chinese and Japanese, and Soudanese, and Maltese, and Chingapances, to join Coxey's army among the aborigines. (Laughter.)

He had been taught by his pioneer mother to read the Bible, and he remembered reading of Elijah, who he attacked the four hundred false prophets of Baal and slaughtered them. It was thought that all the false prophets were dead, but it seems that some of them are still alive. After the slaughter of the second day of the battle of Gettysburg, the army was spread before him.

In the Appellate Court of the house standing on the taxation under the McKinley bill.

And the exhaustive obstructions in it, he said, had prostrated the farmers of the country. Mr. Mills asserted that the American workmen could only be protected by finding constant employment; and he could only find constant employment when his products were sold at their lowest possible cost. And their cost could only be low when taxes were removed from all the materials of manufacture, so that his products could go into the markets of the world.

"Emanate our people," Mr. Mills exclaimed, "Give them a chance to show their skill, their genius; give them their natural and heaven born rights. Give them back the ocean, and then the workmen will not be coming to Washington to implore the government to do something for them. Their remedy is not to come to Washington now. Their remedy is to go home, go to the ballot box, and sweep out of existence the party that dares to pile taxation upon them and destroy their chance of getting a market for the sale of their goods. The ballot box is their place, not Washington."

WHY NOT TAX WEALTH?

Coming to the question of the income tax, Mr. Mills asked why should not the wealth be taxed? When people were associated together in government every citizen should contribute his proper share toward its support, and his proper share is to be determined by the amount which he had to be protected by the strong organized power of the government.

He recalled the fact that some years ago, when the State of Pennsylvania was unable to protect railroad property in Pittsburgh, Federal troops had to be sent there, and he added, that that railroad had never contributed one cent to the Federal government.

The income tax has been denounced to the Senate by the Senator from New York (Mr. Hill) as socialistic, anarchistic and sectional; but when the poor laborer had to pay 98 1/2 per cent, duty on the shirt he wore, that tax was not so denounced. All taxes, he repeated, should be assessed in proportion to the ability of the taxpayer to pay, and in proportion to the property he had to be protected. He had never heard that the Senator from New York, when he was Governor of that State, had called on the Legislature to repeal the income tax there; and if such a tax was a fair one for the State of New York, why was it not a fair one for the United States? It was useless, he exclaimed, to denounce the income tax as odious, sectional, and inequitable.

ALL MUST CONTRIBUTE.

It was useless to make any sophis-

cal argument against the right and duty of every man to contribute to the support of the government. It was going to be done. The American people were in earnest about it. If this Congress did not do it the next would. It was going to be done. It was prohibitory legislation that was closing American markets and driving unemployed people into the highways, bringing them to Washington by the thousands not to plead for their rights but for fallacies more ruinous and impracticable than those under which they were living now.

Concluding Mr. Mills said: "There is a duty devolving upon this body. It cannot be excused. We must pass this bill. Make it as good as we can, but we must pass it. We must not only pass it, but we must stop this business of continually talking about it."

THE GROUND IS BURNING.

Peculiar and Dangerous Conflagration in a Reclaimed Section of Evansville.

Evansville, Ind., April 22.—Fire is raging in the western part of Evansville that will probably destroy many thousands of dollars worth of property. The fire has been in progress several days and is more dangerous this evening than at any other time.

In the saw mill and manufacturing district, near Pigeon creek, is a low land that has been gradually reclaimed during many years past. Slab lumber and refused saw logs from the mills have been used in filling, and on these dirt was deposited until finally the ground was claimed and used principally as lumber and saw log yards, which was stacked millions of feet of lumber and logs. There is also in this reclaimed territory, the terminals, roundhouses, passenger station and freight depot of the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville railroad; the extensive four story factory of the Armstrong Furniture Company, and numerous other buildings. The reclaimed territory embraces several acres. Spanning the edge of it is the approach to a new Pigeon creek bridge, just completed at a cost of a quarter of a million dollars.

Early last week fire was discovered near the bridge in the slab foundation of the territory in question. When an attempt was made to extinguish it, the fire was so great that a great effort was made to get a great quantity of water from the Peoria river, and all efforts to extinguish the fire have failed. Since then the fire has been burning steadily, and it is expected, when it is extinguished, that it will have burned out of the house of heading of the fire and the territory.

NEGROES EXCITED.

Wanted to Have a Triple Lynching at Nicholasville.

Nicholasville, Ky., April 24.—Great excitement prevailed in Nicholasville last night among the colored people. Clay McLean, who was shot and killed last Friday night, was the victim of his wife and stepson, in order that her lover, Will Gaskins, might be free to come to her house. Gaskins gave the boy the pistol and the mother persuaded him to do the killing. Last night the negroes organized and a triple lynching was planned. A triple lynching, but Jailer Welch had the jail heavily guarded all night, and the negroes were baffled in their efforts.

A Frankfort letter says: The latest news in the local congressional race is the rumor that subscription papers meant to again help Breckinridge out of financial troubles are being quietly circulated in the district. It is claimed that the negroes in the matter started out right in the home of Breckinridge's chief opposition, and that the paper was circulated at Georgetown on Monday, which was county court day there.

The Prohibitionists of Alabama will not put out candidates for the office, but will make a non-political effort to have the Legislature enact a law requiring each saloon keeper to secure the names of a majority of the householders in his precinct to his petition before he can sell.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which there are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at H. K. Wood's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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FREDONIA.

J. I. Lindle and family of DeKore have located in our town on the farm of his father-in-law J. T. Carter.

Miss Mary Wyatt was visiting in Hopkinsville last week.

Warner Thomas and John Wilson, of Marion, attended church here last Sunday.

Finley F. Fryrear, who has been attending the railroad tank for some time was arrested in Dyer Bros. store in Kelsey last Saturday night by a detective and a U. S. deputy marshal, accompanied by W. J. Groom, sheriff of Caldwell county. The officers have been after him for about three years. He was taken to Louisville to await a requisition from the governor, and will be taken to Paris, Texas for trial. He is wanted for selling whiskey to the Indians, and also charged with murdering Indians.

H. C. Parr will spend the summer at Crittenden Springs to recruit his health, and await the settlement of governmental financial affairs. A Joe Carter was on the sick day or two last week.

John Loyd has bought every stock of groceries and first-class grothing to be found in a liberal share of every store; and prices will please you.

NEW SALEM.

George Conyers and Bob Threlkeld's families have the measles.

Miss Nora Towery and Mrs. Joseph La Rue are on the sick list this week. Mrs. Lala Carrington, of Craynesville, is the guest of S. E. Brouster's family this week.

Quarterly meeting of the M. E. church convened at Tyler's Chapel on the 4th Sabbath, with the Presiding Elder, Rev. Orr, in attendance.

Rev. Lowery called on the 4th, on account of the quarterly meeting at Tyler's Chapel.

But little corn planted in this section yet.

What tobacco plants that were protected by cloths are all the plants that amount to much. The late snowing after the late cold snap, are few and far between.

QUEER AND QUAIN.

Among Sioux Indians, when a person is cured of a disease, he is expected to give a party. It is expected, when it is turned, a small party will be given. The party will be given at the house of the cured person.

That famous statue of Napoleon, which stood high on the cliffs at Boulogne looking seaward in defiance toward England was blown down in the late English Channel storm. It stood twenty-five feet high and was well-known to the casual American tourist.

A hot water fountain is now in operation in Paris. The water that feeds the fountain passed through a coil of copper tubing 300 feet long. By dropping a coin in a slot jets of gas are turned on and ignited. By this means the water is heated. For each coin one is entitled to eight liters. It is expected that this fountain will be a great assistance to the poor, and if successful others will be built.

It may not be generally known that Uncle Sam prints one postage stamp that is not for sale, i. e. the second-class matter stamp. This stamp, new or canceled, never passes out of the hands of postoffice officials. Postage on periodicals is prepared by the pound in cash, and the receiving clerk cancels these special stamps to the value of the postage thus prepaid and forwards the canceled stamps to the department as vouchers.

A firm of New York carpet manufacturers has created consternation in Great Britain by sending to that country 40,000 rolls of carpet that were offered at rates considerably below those asked for English and Scotch carpets of the grade. The result was an immediate reduction of from 10 to 20 per cent. in the price of the native product and an order to produce at the mills special grades to compete with the American produce. Meanwhile prejudice against American manufacturers is industriously sown among the possible British purchasers.

The large prehistoric mound that stands about half a mile above Taggart Creek, Ky., on the James King farm, has been opened. Several skeletons were found. Around one neck was one string of 67 fine pearl beads, and another string of 400 fine ivory beads. Around the left arm was a thin copper bracelet. Under the hands were several small pieces of copper that had evidently been beads. The finest pieces of all lay upon the front of the skull. The copper was hammered out of the raw material. Around the hips were nearly 1,400 very small bone beads, which were greatly decayed.

FARM FOR SALE.

1334 acres, 21 miles northwest of Crittenden Springs—50 acres cleared, good timber, good orchard and buildings. Price, \$800.

J. E. Butts.

We are still selling goods for less money than any house in Marion.

Don't fail to see our line of

Spring Clothing, Dress Goods, And Shoes Before Buying.

J. H. MORSE

at the Clergy Say About

THE ELECTROPOISE

Rev. Robert 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's treatment."

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."

Editorial from Central Methodist, Catlettsburg, Ky., Rev. Z. Meek, Editor:—"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. Geo. H. Means, 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 neuralgia in one hour."

Rev. John I. Rogers, Danville, Ky.:—"A kinsman of mine who was apparently rapidly sinking into the grave, suffering with relative

75 Cases 1 pound oysters
11 " 2 " "

Rev. W. H. Wyatt, Morning View, Ky.:—"I began 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 given remedy."

Address DuBois & Webb, 309 Fourth street, Louisville, Ky.

CHEAP FOR CASH.

We assert openly, boldly and without fear of having to take it back that we are headquarters for all goods in our line, and furthermore we will guarantee to save you money on every purchase of goods pertaining to our business. We buy our goods right, save our cash discounts, sell strictly for cash and positively defy competition in prices. This is big talk, but we mean it, every word. Call and see us. Our prices are our most convincing arguments. Don't be misled by any of our would-be competitors, but hold on to your money until you go to the Cheap Hardware Store of PIERCE & SON.

ROOF PAINT.

Do You Want The BEST?

Have your roof painted with C. G. Tannehill's Slate Roof Paint—the best roof paint manufactured. Rates very reasonable.

C. G. TANNEHILL, MARION, KY.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me for the season of my horse for 1893, will please call and settle at once, as I am too busy to call and see you.

J. C. Baker.

FARM FOR SALE.

1334 acres, 21 miles northwest of Crittenden Springs—50 acres cleared, good timber, good orchard and buildings. Price, \$800.

J. E. Butts.

READ THIS!

A Straight Talk From A Straight Man.

I Sincerely Thank My Numerous Friends and Patrons For Kindness and Patronage.

Feeling Better to "SELL OUT!" Than to "GIVE OUT."

I Mean What I Say, EVERY THING MUST GO.

Come Early For Choice Goods

This is no Advertisement Scheme, but truly Business and must be done. Each sale must be for cash only, or no sale made.

I Am Sorry But Can't Prevent It.

EVERYTHING IN THE Grocery and Hardware Line Must Go At Cost For Cash Only.

75 Cases 1 pound oysters
11 " 2 " "

92 " 2 " " Tomatoes
79 " 2 " " " "

181 Country Hams.
4000 Pounds of Side Meat,
160 " " Tea,
45 Country Shoulders,
1500 Pounds Country Lard,
750 Sedar Buckets,
2000 Brooms.

And Three Houses FULL OF GOODS.

Too Much Space Would be Taken To Mention All Items.

I will itemize a few things to be sold at Schwab's:

1 Car Load of Fertilizer
1 " " " Plows,
1 " " " Wire,
1 " " " Nails,
1/2 " " " Corn Drills,
1/2 " " " Tennessee and Hickory Wagons.
40 Barrel's Granulated Sugar,
65 Barrel's Salt,
36 Barrel's of Molasses,
21 Sacks Coffee,
18 Dozen 4 qt Buckets,
17 " 6 " "
6 " 2 " "
19 " 8 " "

M. SCHWAB.

Don't Fail to See Our Big Stock of The Best Clothing on The Market.

Best \$20.00 Suits For \$15.00,
Best 15.00 Suits For 10.00,

Best \$10.00 Suit For \$7.50,
Best 7.50 Suit For \$5.00.

BOY'S AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING LESS THAN EVER HEARD OF BEFORE.

PIERCE-YANDELL-GUGENHEIM CO.

INCORPORATED.

Mrs. Loving's is the place to get bargains.

John Demaris moved to West Marion Monday.

Frank Bevel, of near Frances, is low with consumption.

Mrs. Laura Skelton will not be undersold.

Born to the wife of A. J. Clift, April 14, a boy.

Country sorghum for sale at Thomas Bros.

For a good job of painting or paper hanging, see Joe Longnecker.

You will always regret it if you miss the Schuberts on the 26.

Mrs. Loving gives a small present with each hat she sells.

Squire Crat Stephenson has a car-buncle on his face.

Chas. Burris, the well known painter has moved to Marion.

Mr. M. H. Sanders has sold the Monitor to Thos. Davidson.

If you want nice stylish hats or bonnets, see Mrs. F. W. Loving.

Mrs. J. M. Horning, of Blackford, has the latest styles in millinery goods.

Squire W. B. Rankin is adding a couple of rooms to his country home.

Ladies don't fail to call on Mrs. Laura Skelton, the leading milliner.

Get your lime at \$1.00 per barrel from Pierce & Son.

Go to Mrs. Loving's for the prettiest and cheapest goods in town.

Mr. J. W. Brasher, of Caldwell Springs, was in town yesterday.

Southern green seed sweet potato \$1.00 per bushel at M. H. Weldon & Son.

Chas. Burris was before the police court Monday. A plain drunk, price \$1.00.

W. H. Bigham is another to report a plentiful supply of tobacco plants on his farm.

The two newly opened streets in East Marion, have been christened Clark and Maxwell.

Mrs. J. M. Horning, Blackford, Ky., sells millinery goods cheaper than the cheapest.

Frank Dodge and bride are arranging to begin house-keeping in his neat cottage on Depot street.

The wife of Newton Croft died at her home in the Sheridan neighborhood Tuesday last week.

Mrs. Laura Skelton has just received the nobbiest, prettiest and cheapest line of millinery we have seen.

A lot of blasting powder and fuse, for sale at what it will bring. Must be sold.

Mr. Gish, a Hopkinton architect, was in town Monday with plans for the new school house.

Henry, the 18-year-old son of Geo. Croft died at his home in the Sheridan neighborhood Wednesday last week.

The Hoosier and Campbell corn drills are the best made. Be sure to examine them before buying a drill.

Mr. John C. Herndon, of Frankfort, was in town Monday, handing out cards announcing himself a candidate for State Treasurer.

Ladies when you see and price Mrs. Laura Skelton's millinery goods you are sure to buy. They are cheaper than the cheapest.

If you want a splendid town lot for a residence, see R. C. Walker. He has a few left in East Marion, the growing part of town.

Ladies it will pay you to call on Mrs. Laura Skelton and price her goods before making your spring and summer purchases.

I am selling fertilizers at less money than others. My goods are the equal of any, and better than many. Save money by buying of me.

P. H. Woods, Crayneville, Ky.

Don't throw your money and time away on cheap fertilizers. You can not afford to experiment in this line. We sell only fertilizers that have been thoroughly tried. Get our prices.

Mr. A. B. Wicker, the Frances heavy weight, is on the streets to-day.

Persons wanting first-class painting or paper hanging see Joe Longnecker.

Mr. R. T. Dunn, of Springfield, Ill., is in town to show up the Walter A. Wood harvesting machine.

Col. A. D. McFee received a few days ago from friends in Cincinnati a fine imported Southdown buck.

The trustees have experienced some trouble in selling the school bonds, but think matters are shaping up all right now.

The Hubbard boys, of Shady Grove, hope to be able to effect a settlement with their creditors shortly.

Sarah J. Gill has been appointed postmaster at Commercial Point, vice C. S. Winston, resigned.—Sturgis Enterprise.

Dr. W. F. Truitt has been appointed physician for the poor-house. The salary for services is \$5.00 per month. The appointment is a good one.

Tuesday Sheriff Franks placed Charley Brown under a \$50 bond to answer, at Circuit Court, the charge of disturbing religious worship.

Sheriff Franks has purchased from Mr. Thomas Wallace, of Shelby county, a handsome saddle mare, in whose veins courses the blood of some of the famous saddle sires.

In publishing the court news some weeks ago the name of Ben King was by mistake associated with the King-Alton affair. Ben had nothing whatever to do with it.

Jas. Henry Paris rides his fine saddle stallion to town occasionally, and the splendid animal presents a fine appearance as he sports along at a two-forty gait, as smoothly as a swallow flying.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Newton J. Gray and Miss Willie Ann Bass.

Wm. Bennett Crider and Miss Mary S. Lamb.

The Third party of Crittenden county, will meet in Marion Saturday May 12, to re-organize its county committee. Hon. Ben Keys, the nominee for Congress, will be here on that day to address the people.

Quarterly court adjourned Wednesday. Several cases of minor importance were disposed of, but there were but two jury trials. The case of Dr. A. S. H. Boyd vs. Jas. Kirk attracted considerable attention. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

To-day at high noon Mr. W. B. Crider, one of the old substantial farmers of Piney and Miss Mary Lamb will be united in marriage at the residence of Rev. Jas. F. Price of this place. The Press extends congratulations.

Albert Deboe was before Squire Myers a few days ago, charged with a breach of the peace. He was fined \$5.00. He was wrestling with some boys, and was thrown into a mud-hole. Sunday clothes and all, when Burt Crayne proceeded to make fun of his sad plight, Albert went after him with a knife, and who would blame him?

It is only a few years since the rheumatism has been treated as a blood disease. But that this is a correct theory is proved by the extraordinary success attending the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in this painful and very prevalent malady. It seldom fails of radical cure.

Yesterday at 3 o'clock p. m., sharp, Sheriff Franks completed his tax book for 1894 and was ready to begin receiving for the taxes for that year. Promptly one minute thereafter the first receipt was signed and delivered to Thos. Cochran, who had rushed breathlessly across the street to pay his taxes.

Deputy Postmaster Thos. Hearin rejoices in the arrival of a male at his home. The young man is a 12 pounder and possesses in a rare degree all of the accomplishments incident to his age. He favors his father, as is noisy as his paternal grandfather, and looks as handsome and young as his maternal grandfather.

Wm. Frazier, colored, was tried in Henderson Wednesday for seduction, and after the court decided that he must go to jail he said he was ready to marry the plaintiff. She consented, and the two were married on the spot.—Enterprise.

FIRE AT SALEM.

The Postoffice Destroyed By Incendiaries.

Tuesday night about 12 o'clock the little city of Salem was aroused from its peaceful slumbers by the explosion of a keg of powder, and when everybody rushed out to learn the cause of the noise, the little business house which contained the postoffice and stock of goods kept by postmaster Ront Boyd was wrapped in flames.

Before anything could be rescued, except one book, all were in ashes. The house was near the residence of Mr. Boyd, and but a short distance from a large tobacco stemery, and several times these buildings caught fire, but the untiring efforts of the citizens saved them and the main business portion of the town from destruction. How the fire originated is not known, but it is very probable that incendiaries did the work. When Postmaster Boyd retired everything was in good order, and there was nothing likely to cause an accidental fire.

There was a small amount of insurance on the stock, but it covered a very small per cent. of the loss. Mr. Boyd carried a small stock of assorted merchandise. Fortunately the supply of stamps on hand was small and the loss in that particular was small.

Deeds Recorded.

Jas. King, sr., to Paralea Tabor, 1/2 acre for \$15.

Jno. L. Sneed to L. S. Winters interest in land for \$200.

J. W. McDonald to Bird McDonald, interest in land for \$150.

Melvin Roberts in Jail.

Saturday Sheriff Franks arrested Melvin Roberts, who was indicted by the grand jury for malicious striking and wounding, and cast him in prison to await Circuit Court. He could not fill a \$400 bond. Roberts is the boy who struck his father on the head with a hatchet some months ago. He was discharged by the examining court, but the grand jury investigated the case and returned an indictment.

Another Assignment.

Yesterday Mr. T. H. Prewett, a Dycusburg merchant, came to town and made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. H. A. Haynes of this place was made the assignee. For some weeks Mr. Prewett has been laboring with all his might to pull through without an assignment, and was hopeful of succeeding until yesterday; when one of his creditors attached his stock.

A shocking accident occurred here on Wednesday. Little Keen Ennis, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ennis, got his father's pistol out of a box where it was kept, and while playing with it accidentally shot himself. The ball passed directly through the abdomen and was found in his clothing. It passed out of the body on the left side of the spine. Three skillful doctors were summoned but the wound was such a great one that they could not do him any good.—Grand Rivers Herald.

A very pleasant affair occurred last evening at the handsome residence of Mr. John N. Clark, in East Marion. Quite a number of young people assembled, and music, dancing and social converse whiled the hours away on fairy wings. The host and his family did everything in their power to render the occasion one of unalloyed enjoyment.

Pierce & Son have purchased the T. P. Moore and the F. M. Olive stocks of goods at Dycusburg. The assignee for the Dycusburg firms effected the sale yesterday.

Last week several snakes were shipped from Marion to Dr. McGraw at Evansville. The doctor is probably going to kindly take charge of a few more Kentucky towns.

The new C. P. church at Fredonia will be dedicated the first Sunday in May, and the new one at Flat Rock the 4th Sunday in June.

When you go to Blackford buy your millinery goods from Mrs. J. M. Horning.

Persons who use fertilizers will find to their interest to see me before buying. I handle an extra article at the lowest price.

P. H. Woods, Crayneville, Ky.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. P. E. Shoemaker is very ill. G. C. Gra... come for a few days.

Jas. Lee Walker has moved to Marion.

R. F. Haynes, Jr., was in Louisville last week.

Mrs. W. H. Bigham has been sick some days.

Dr. E. A. Orr, of Creswell, is dangerously ill.

Mr. J. C. Walters, of Kelsey, is in town to-day.

J. J. Nunn, of Sullivan, was in town Saturday.

L. H. James returned from Smithland Tuesday.

J. H. Dyer, of Sturgis, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. H. A. Hodge has recovered from her recent illness.

Frank Machin, of Princeton, was in Marion yesterday.

Mr. S. Hodge, of Princeton, was in town yesterday.

Mr. E. H. James, of Louisville, was in town Monday.

C. S. Nunn and A. J. Baker were in Dycusburg Tuesday.

Mr. Sam Malloy, of Kuttawa, is in town talking life insurance.

Misses Nannie and Huey Nunn, of Repton, were in town Monday.

Messrs S. Gugenheim and H. A. Haynes are in Blackford to-day.

Mrs. W. P. Loyd is the guest of her son Mr. J. F. Loyd, of this place.

Mr. T. H. Prewett and wife, of Dycusburg, were in town Monday.

Hon. Jno. W. Blue was out riding in a buggy for a short time Monday.

Mrs. Heath, of Caseyville, was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Walker, Tuesday.

Mr. Everett Woods, of Memphis, spent Sunday with relatives in this place.

Mrs. Wigginton, of Caldwell, was the guest of Mrs. H. P. Long this week.

Mr. J. W. Wallace moved to Tolu Monday. Mr. Wallace is a good citizen.

Dr. Boyd and Mr. Foster Threlkeld, of Tolu, spent two days in town this week.

Rev. J. G. Haynes and family of Lanesco, are guests of relatives in this vicinity.

C. C. Wheeler and wife have gone to house-keeping in a cottage north of Bellville street.

Geo. H. Cox, agent for the Ministers aid society, was in town Monday. He lives in Owensboro.

Rev. J. F. Price leaves to-day to preach a series of sermons at Shiloh, Webster county.

Prof. J. M. Kernahan, of Dixon, is in town. He is an applicant for the Principalship of our school.

Misses Georgie Boaz and Nettie Wolf, of Kelsey, are the guests of Miss Dora Clement this week.

Rev. J. J. Smith passed through town yesterday en route to Water Valley to attend the holiness convention.

Miss Emma Weldon returned to her home at Pinkneyville Tuesday, after spending some weeks with relatives in Marion.

Squire J. S. Bugg has been very sick several days. At one time his case assumed a serious aspect, but he is now recovering.

Mr. J. T. Wheeler, of Caldwell Springs, was in town Saturday. After a resident of five years in Livingston he moved back to Crittenden.

Mrs. Clara Brown, of Tolu, and Miss Alice Browning, who is teaching at Tolu, spent Saturday and Sunday at the latter's home at this place.

M. Schwab and M. E. Fols spent Tuesday on Piney fishing. The only bites they got were about noon, and were taken from the lunch basket.

A. J. Pickens is anxious to make a trip to California this fall. Quite a party of people from Crittenden are thinking of visiting the golden gate the coming autumn.

Mr. Jimmie King, one of the old men of the county, is very low at his home in the Harold neighborhood. He has no particular disease, the lamp of life is simply going out from long usage.

CHARGED WITH COUNTERFEITING.

A Young Man of Livingston County in Serious Trouble.

Tuesday a United States detective arrested Will C. Parker at Salem and lodged him in jail at this place. He is charged with making and passing counterfeit money. It is thought that others are involved in the affair with him, and it is possible that the meshes of Uncle Sam may be drawn around more than young Parker. It is thought by some that Parker is not as guilty as others, that he has been used by the real counterfeiters to pass the spurious stuff. The article made and passed was a base imitation of the silver dollar.

The circumstance of the passage of the unlawful money was this: Parker succeeded in working off three spurious dollars on as many persons at Salem. The character of the money was discovered, and when there was talk about it, he took up two of the dollars by giving good ones for them. The third party refused to return the counterfeit, but reported the matter to the government. Last night a deputy U. S. Marshal left with the prisoner for Louisville.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

The Old Jail Residence to Be Removed.

The Court of Claims convened Tuesday, in special session, all the board was present, except J. S. Bugg. Peter Quarles, col., was released from paying poll tax.

W. W. Roberson was released from road work.

The court ratified the action of the County Judge in paying J. P. Pierce \$250; balance due on Dry Fork bridge.

Messrs Burget and Hurst, commissioners to examine the Dry Fork bridge, filed a report to the firm. They say that are operated by coal-mining machines and convict labor will continue work, and will supply sufficient coal to keep the furnaces running. Meetings of strikers were held at different times to-night to make bridge from Morganfield road.

John King was allowed \$20 for making bridge on Morganfield road. Ordered that the order declaring Mrs Wyatt and child paupers, be dated Dec. 1st, 1893.

E. Gregory was allowed \$10 for timber for crosslaying road.

S. G. Taber allowed \$4.80 for removing drift wood from creek.

It appearing that the grand jury has condemned the jail residence, Judge Moore appointed commissioner to have same removed.

J. E. Howerton released from poll tax.

C. J. Burget and Sam Hurst were each allowed \$3.00 for services as bridge commissioners.

A. J. Myers was allowed \$5.00 as commissioner in removing drift.

Ordered that each Justice be allowed \$4.00 for one days services at this term of court.

Electric Bitters.

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Tobacco News.

Tobacco has been very active during the last week and moving freely. Prices continue very steady with scarcely any change in the market the whole season. The weather continues very cool and unfavorable for the young plants and complaints have been coming in that the bugs have commenced preying on the plants and it looks now as the planting of another average crop is not by any means very flattering.—Henderson Gleaner.

THE SCHUBERTS.

An Excellent Programme For To-Night.

All lovers of good music will enjoy the rare treat at the Opera House to-night. The Schubert Quartette, which is worthy of the patronage of all Marion, is composed of the following:

Samuel T. Battle, Tenor
William Harris, Tenor
John R. Tyley, Baritone
George H. Iott, Bass

SUPPORTED BY

Miss Bertha L. Clark, Violin
Miss Laura B. MacCorkle, Reader and Whistler.

The programme for the evening is as follows:

In Absence, Schubert Quartette.

Violin Reverie, Miss Clara, Violoncello.

The Old Clock, Miss Clara, or Reading, The Message, A Pro's Composition on Corn A Pro's.

Solo, MacCorkle, Streizki, Solo, McGarrick, Schellfarrite.

Solo, McGarrick, Schellfarrite, Solo, McGarrick, Schellfarrite.

Still, Still With Thee, Gerrish, Schubert Quartette.

You Will Never See

Ben McMican handsome, Oily James small, John Parr sad, Ah Henry without friends, Dave Woods mad, Walter Clement, Jr.'s in Congress.

Taylor, the verdict being rendered against him in favor of Madeline Polard when a meeting of prominent women was called to take action regarding the case of Col. Breckinridge. Representatives of several female organizations met at Willard's Hotel Saturday night and after an interesting conference adopted resolutions calling on Congress to consider the qualifications of Representative Breckinridge for membership in that body.

Marshall Weston, who was Joe Stewart not whistling, Calvin Elder a benedict, Belt Kevil turning hand-springs, Bill Freeman combing the hair on top of his head, Joe Adams fishing on Sunday, Bill Cruce perspiring, Billy Duke Haynes fighting.

Sunday School Conference.

The Sunday school Conference of the Princeton District M. E. church South, will be held at the Methodist church at Kelsey, May 8th and 9th.

The following programme of topics will be discussed:

1. The purpose of the Sunday school, by Dr. J. A. Akin.

2. The organization of the Sunday school, Rev. E. M. Gibbons.

3. The Sunday school teacher, methods and work, Rev. Joseph S. Chandler.

4. The Sunday school Superintendent, how to superintend a Sunday school, Harry A. Haynes.

5. How to study the scriptures, Rev. J. V. Guthrie.

6. Sermon on "The Word of God, as a factor in the formation of character," Rev. S. Newson.

7. Sunday school music, H. Cobb.

8. What are the principal hindrances to Sunday school in the county and how to overcome them, Rev. B. F. Sheffer.

9. How shall we retain the young people in the Sunday school, Rev. T. L. Crandall.

10. The relation of the Sunday school to the church, Rev. W. H. Hargan.

11. The relation of the pastor to the Sunday school, Rev. E. Smith.

12. The Sunday school conference, its purpose and work; what have we learned, discussion by the conference. B. F. Orr, Presiding Elder.

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Programme Church Re-union.

To be held at Piney Creek church Saturday night before the first Sunday in May, 1894.

9:30 a. m. Welcome address by Bro. T. J. Jennings. Song and prayer.

9:45 Object of the meeting by the pastor, Rev. E. B. Blackburn.

10:00 History of the church, S. Woodall, T. G. Shinnall, to be read by J. B. McNeely.

10:30 Historical sketch of the pastors, Alvey Cole, W. A. Woodall and J. B. McNeely, committee, to be read by W. A. Woodall.

11:00 Years of prosperity and adversity, Rev. H. B. Fox and A. Woodall.

12 o'clock, dinner on the ground.

1:15 p. m., Sermon.

The remainder of the day to be spent in the most appropriate way. Sermon at night. We desire to have a Sunday school mass meeting Sunday morning at 9 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m.

Come out and let us have a glorious time, and do good for the Lord and his cause: Yours for Christ,

M. M. Crayne, A. Woodall, W. A. Hill, J. R. Woodall, W. J. Dolan, Committee.

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J. W. BROWN, Executor.

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