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FORT TICONDEROGA.

Miss Nelle Walker Writes a Letter to Her Former Pupils.

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To the Hebron School Children:

Dear Children:—Four months have passed since I bid you good bye, but I often think of you and wish I could see your bright faces and hear your merry voices again. Old winter has gone, and you are enjoying the spring warmth and sunshine. I presume you boys are up with the lark and make the woods ring with the whistle and song of the plow boy. Suspect you have had some slight attack of the "spring fever" already, have you not?

We are just getting our first bright days, but it is still real cool, and we have fires. The snow has at last disappeared from everywhere but back in the mountains. Looking over on the Green Mountains some snow can still be seen on them. I have enjoyed the winter and the pleasures it afforded, but am ready for some warm days.

We took a drive one afternoon last week, and I want to tell you of some things I saw. We drove down to "Ti," that is Ticonderoga. These people call it "Ti" for short. As we were driving along at one place where our road was on the side of a mountain we came to a mountain torrent. This is a large stream of water rushing down the mountain, and caused by the melting snow. This was the prettiest sight I ever saw in Nature's work. As far up as I could see there it came rushing down over the rocks, and looking perfectly white. It seemed our road and made another falls on down to the foot of the mountain. We had a Kodak and took a picture of it. If we had had time, I should like to have climbed up to the very top of the mountain to find the source of this stream. Long after we had left it behind we could hear the roaring of this torrent.

We reached the village of Ticonderoga and again we heard the "rushing of many waters." Here, it was the water of Lake George as it rushed on to empty into Lake Champlain. This furnishes a great water power, making it a fine point for manufactures. They have two paper mills, one grapple mill, where they make lead pencils, one paint factory, and an iron foundry. We went all through this foundry and saw many new and interesting things. They showed us some machinery that was to be shipped to Norway; also some engines that were to be shipped to the gold fields in Alaska.

We then went out to the old Fort Ticonderoga. This name is very familiar to you who have studied history. This fort is situated about a mile from the village, and is on the lake. This point where the fort is built is one of the highest around here, and affords a view of the lake and country for miles around. It is surrounded on three sides by water; Lake George empties into Lake Champlain here. The name Ticonderoga, is an Indian name, and they called this stony promontory "Cheonderoga," or the place of many and mellow sounds; in reference to the dull roar of the falls, and the soft sounds of the rushing rapids that filled the smothering woods with its mellow noise as the clear wa-

ters of Lake George tumbled or rushed over their obstructions a mile beyond." One needs to stand there a few minutes to realize how appropriate the name is. The old fort stands on the extreme point facing the lake. Parts of the old walls are still standing; these are built of a gray stone, something like our limestone, and I noticed a few bricks scattered through it. The ground is covered with loose stones that have been torn from the walls. The old well, the entrance to the covered way, where the sentinel snapped his fusée at Allen, the passage entering the parade ground at its southeast corner where Allen entered, the western barracks still standing, the parade ground, the track-marking, the old entrance and sally-port, the protecting trenches, the old oven—all of these may be seen and easily traced. And yet this glorious old fortress representing all that is venerable in the history of our country is ungratefully abandoned to ruin and desolation, and the surrounding grounds to our shame have become a pasturage for horses and cows.

This fort was built in 1756 by the French, "and the walls have stood in the crumbling ages like warriors grown old and unfit for service, but would remind you of bygone days when they served their mission in this world."

It was into this old fort that Ethan Allen with his Green Mountain boys rushed, and of DeLaPlace demanded its surrender "in the name of the Great Jehovah and the Continental Congress."

An effort is being made to have it purchased by the government and preserved. This, certainly should be done. We owe it to the memory of the many brave that fought and died here for the liberty we now enjoy.

From these crumbling walls I gathered a few pieces of stone, and these I hope to show you some day. I wish that all of our school children might visit this old fort. Nothing has ever afforded me more pleasure than my short visit here. We took several pictures of the old ruins, and these, too, I hope to show you some day.

The old Crown Point fort is several miles above here, and I want to visit it while I am here. There are so many historical places near here that I would like to visit if I had the time.

I wrote some of you perhaps, of the stump of the tree to which the Indians tied "Old Put," and was preparing to burn him, but he was rescued. Your histories do not mention this, I believe, but they give so little anyway. This old stump is still standing and I have seen it. I want to get a piece of this, and with my stones from the forts, and the pieces of the old cannon, I will have a nice collection of Revolutionary relics.

Since my letter reached you in the Crittenden Press, I have received quite a number of interesting letters from many of you. Those from whom I have heard are Ray Daughtery, Harvey Clark, Reece Underdown, Joe Williams, Clyde and Walter Green, Alva and Stella Watson, Hollice Franklin, Hattie, Edith and Lillian Orr, Sallie Clement, Fen Wathan, Herbert, Reed and Hayes Easley, Tannie and Addie Alvis, Carl Flannery, Tommie Butler, Tiny Lanham, Bess and Lora Worley, Claude Springs, Elzie and Mildred Moore.

What has become of Gertie, Amy, Roger and Jean? These letters I have not had time to answer, but do so in this, and I hope it will reach every home.

I am getting along very nicely with my work, and can not say when I shall return to "My Old Kentucky Home." Would be glad to hear from you all again. I enjoyed every letter I received, and appreciated the little "souvenir" from Sallie. Good bye, and love to all.

Your friend,
NELLE WALKER.

OLLIE JAMES.

Some Press Opinions.

Hon. Ollie James has announced that he will not be a candidate for Congress this year. His friends say that the action of the committee is responsible for his refusing to make the race. In fact, we think the committee might have given a man a showing.—Carlisle County News.

The Louisville Post has for years ridiculed and misrepresented Ollie James, but it is now calling on him to run for Congress as "an Honest Independent Democrat." The Post doesn't know Ollie. He will never go to Congress if he must go as a bolter. He will stay at home and let President Bryan "take care of him" with something better.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

Ollie James will not be a candidate for Congress in the First district. Mr. James is one of the ablest men, young or old, in the State, and his many Democratic friends in Owen county hope to have the pleasure at some time in the future of supporting him for a high State office, say the Governorship in 1903. Or he would fill the place in the United States Senate that Deboe is now rattling around in to a nicety.—The Owenton Herald.

The positive announcement has been made that Hon. Ollie M. James will not enter the canvass for Congress at the approaching election. James has many warm friends in the Purchase counties, and east of the River is almost a universal favorite. This determination of Mr. James will be somewhat of a disappointment to his numerous friends in this county and all over the District, but if we are to be denied the compliment of his services for a time as our Representative in the Congress of the United States, it is a pleasure to know that we have him near to us. He takes a world of work off our hands. It is a source of unaffected pleasure, when a Bluegrass Republican or some city upstart with plenty of clean shirts and an empty head, comes down to give political advice to the Democracy of the old Gibraltar, to see Ollie take him up and dispose of him just about as a Bengal tiger would a billy-goat. The people enjoy these things. They cherish an affection for Ollie James, and the entry has been already made in their books that there is a future for him when he says the word.—Cadiz Record.

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POPULIST FOR BRYAN.

Resolutions Adopted By a Conference of Kentucky Populist Leaders Held in Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., April 25.—A conference of leaders of the Populist party in Kentucky opposed to the "middle-of-the-roadsers" was held here today with Thomas S. Petit, of Owensboro, in the chair and C. E. Sugg, of Henderson, as secretary. About 60 Populist from various portions of the State were present.

State Senator R. C. Crenshaw, of Christian county; Mark E. Gardner, of Hardin county, and J. R. Lackey, of Trigg county, were made members of the National committee from Kentucky.

The following were elected as delegates to the Sioux Falls convention, which will be held May 9; Thomas S. Petit and R. C. Crenshaw, delegates from the State-at-large, and J. C. Noble, Paducah; John Keys, Murray; P. T. Burkhead, Enos; M. B. Pollard, Cadiz; M. O. Hughes, Bowling Green; L. S. Johnstone, Woodford county; O. N. Hughes, Leitchfield; Barry South, Frankfort; B. C. Flowers, Russellville; S. M. Peyton, Louisville; H. P. Lively, Manfordsville; W. L. Scott, Shelbyville.

Following are the resolutions adopted in full:

The People's party of Kentucky declares to reformers everywhere their continued faith in the justice and triumph of the principles for which we have fought so long and against such difficulties.

We rejoice that we have acquired so much strength in the number and power of those who advocate our principles, and whether they have chosen or not to assume our name and employ our organization matters nothing to us, as in accordance with our primary professions, it is the supremacy of principles and not of party that we desire.

We have in the past shown ourselves to be and are now ready to co-operate in every effort for good government, and would deeply deplore any division of the forces opposed to the present efforts of an entrenched money power to nullify the sacred teachings of the Declaration of Independence and the subversion of the noblest purposes of the Constitution of the United States.

We hope that in the coming national campaign a union of all reform forces may be effected, to the end that a solid front may be presented to the onslaught of corporate greed and militarism which is now being made upon republic.

We reaffirm the doctrines enunciated by our national convention in 1896, strongly emphasizing our



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belief by recent public events that United States Senators should be elected by a direct vote of the people.

That a constitutional amendment should be had that an income tax may be levied so as to equalize the tax burdens of the people.

That the executive powers should be exercised to enforce the laws now on the statute books for the regulation or suppression of trusts.

That we believe that the civil authorities are supreme in a republican government, and that the increased frequency of appeals to the military, both national and State, foreshadows danger to a free people.

That we favor the application of the principle of public ownership of public utilities to municipalities, State and nation.

That the power of the people may be more immediately exercised in legislation, we favor the initiative and referendum.

That the Hon. W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, is, of all men, the best equipped to lead the fight for the rights of "the great common people" we are fully persuaded, and we hereby instruct our delegates to do everything in their power to bring about a union of all reform forces with him as standard bearer.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup of Peppin is guaranteed to cure Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache and Stomach Troubles by J. H. Orme or R. F. Haynes.

The needs for relief at Hull and Ottawa are pressing. It is estimated that 15,000 are homeless, of which number 8,000 are destitute. The Queen has expressed sympathy and a relief fund is being raised in London.

Heavy rains and floods are doing great damage in Texas. Several fatalities are reported.

"CONFEDERATE VETERAN."

Low Club Rates Given With the Press.

The growth of the Confederate Veteran, published by S. A. Cunningham, at Nashville, Tenn., is remarkable. Its circulation of eighty-four issues, monthly, aggregated to January, 1900, 1,195,452 copies. Average for 1893, 7,683; 1894, 10,137; 1895, 12,916; 1896, 13,444; 1897, 16,175; 1898, 19,100; 1899, 20,166.

Subscriptions for the Veteran will be received at this office. It and the Press will be sent for a year at the club rate of \$1.60. By application to the Press, copies of the Veteran will be sent to our veteran friends who are unable to subscribe.

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DEATHS.

Col. A. D. McFee Passes Away at His Home in Marion.

Clyde Moore, a Promising Young Man, is no More.

Col. A. D. McFee, one of the most highly respected citizens of the county, died at his home in this city Saturday evening, April 28, after an illness of six days of heart disease. He had not been in good health for some months, but when he was unable to leave his room Monday, his friends anticipated no serious results from the attack. He gradually grew worse, and on Friday his condition became alarming and everything possible was done to relieve him, but he gradually sank, becoming unconscious Saturday morning, and remaining so until he breathed his last at 7 p. m.

The funeral took place from the residence Sunday and was one of the most largely attended ever known in Marion. Rev. Dupuy of the Presbyterian church conducted the services, delivering a touching address. The Ancient Order of United Workmen then took charge of the remains, and conducted the burial according to their beautiful ritualistic ceremonies, and the remains were laid to rest in the new cemetery.

Arthur Douglass McFee was born near Belfast, Ireland, in April, 1827. His father was a wealthy and prominent native of the Emerald Isle, and his mother was a Scotch lady, and a descendant of the famous Douglass family of Scotland. When Arthur was twelve years old, the family came to America, settling at Brooklyn, N. Y., where they remained a number of years, and where the two daughters were married and moved with their husbands to Canada. Later the family moved to Ohio,

near North Bend, where the parents died and the three sons then scattered to build up homes of their own, and since all have died, the subject of this sketch surviving them all by several years, the oldest a sister having died a few years ago at her home in Canada. Arthur sought and found employment on the famous line of steamers that plied the waters from Cincinnati to New Orleans, and was at one time well known in river circles. He was married to Miss Annie Marcus, of Boone county, Ky., and after the marriage, he settled in that county, and later moved to Newport, where he was in business a number of years, and then he went to Covington and then back to Boone, and from the latter he moved to Crittenden about twenty years ago, buying and settling upon one of the best river bottom farms in the county, where he lived until about a year ago, when he bought a nice home here and moved here to spend his old age.

His marriage was a happy one, and five children were born to them, two of whom, Douglass, a young man, and Mrs. Florence Gregory, wife of Dr. Gregory, since a surgeon in the United States army, died since they moved to this county, and sleep with their father in the cemetery at this place. The surviving children are Mrs. J. E. Dean, the wife of one of the leading farmers of the county, and Mrs. Myrtle Thurman, wife of one of the best known teachers of this section, and Mr. E. M. McFee, a grocery merchant of this place. Mrs. McFee, the faithful wife survives the husband, and is almost prostrated with grief at the home on Depot street.

Col. McFee had a host of friends in this county. Courteous and affable in manner, warm hearted, generous and kind in disposition, he was liked by all. He was devoted and true to his friends, and his word was always as good as his bond. All who knew him will drop a tear and a sigh of regret at his grave, and devoutly wish that he could have remained with us for years yet.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT.

Financial Condition of the Marion Graded Public School District.

To the Tax-payers of Marion Graded School District:

Feeling that you are entitled to know the financial condition of the District, I submit a brief statement of your condition. It would be impracticable to publish an itemized statement of my account as treasurer since I have occupied that position, as it would require more space than the PRESS can give me.

When the graded school was organized, the old common school district owed a considerable floating debt for which the lot was liable. Out of the levies which you have cheerfully paid, we have paid off all the old indebtedness, built an iron fence, a stone pavement around both sides of the property, had a well bored and furnished the building throughout with seats, stoves, etc., have kept the interest paid on the \$8,000.00 of bonds, insurance paid and have maintained and paid for a free school eight months in each year and with a three years course higher than the public school branches, absolutely free to every child in the district within the school age.

On June 1, 1899, the old bonds matured at our option and we paid \$10,000.00 of the principal and refunded the other \$7,000.00 at 5 per cent interest, in denominations of \$500.00, and payable at any time at the option of the trustees after one year. We now have in bank \$1,000.00 ready to pay two of the new bonds on June 1.

I am satisfied, if the present levy is continued, that the school can be maintained at its high character and excellence, and \$1,000.00 per year paid on the principal of the bonds, and the district will soon be out of debt.

Very Respectfully,

H. A. HAYNES, Treasurer.

May 2, 1900.

Clyde Moore, son of Mr. R. A. Moore, died at the home of the family in this place, Thursday, after several days illness. The funeral took place from the residence Saturday morning, and the interment at the new cemetery. Rev. Dupuy conducted the services and a large crowd of friends gathered at the house and at the grave to pay the last, sad tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased. Clyde was nineteen years old, was one of the brightest and most promising young men in the community. Strong mentally and robust physically, full of energy, hope and ambition, there was every promise of a long and useful life, and his death was indeed a sad blow to the family and the many friends of the popular young

man. He had been in school, where he was admired by both companions and teachers, until a short time ago, and scores of his fellow students and young companions gathered at the grave and showed their sincere grief in the commingling of their tears.

Census Schedules.

Supervisor Moore is making up the census schedules for mailing to the enumerators of the First district. The packages weigh from three to twelve pounds, and each package will be sent out by registered mail. In all there will be some three-hundred packages for postmaster Orider to register, and, for a day or two, he will have plenty to do, and will probably feel that his salary is none too large.

ANDERSON POPE

Sent to the Asylum from Livingston County.

Monday Mr. Anderson Pope, a well known citizen of Livingston county, was tried on a writ of lunacy at Smithland, and the jury returned a verdict of insanity, and Sheriff Cowper took him to the asylum at Hopkinsville. He was formerly a citizen of this county, and has many friends here, who will regret to hear of his misfortune. About fifteen years ago, he was sent to the asylum, and after a time, was discharged as cured, and it was confidently hoped that the cure was permanent.

Rock Contract.

The city council has made a contract with Gus Summerville and Jas. Lemon for 500 tons of lime stone rock for macadamizing the streets. The contract price is \$1.15 a cubic yard, broken and delivered on the streets.

Resolutions of Respect.

Marion Lodge, No. 60, A. O. U. W.

We are again called upon to pay the last tribute of respect to a departed brother.

Brother A. D. McFee was born Apr. 10, 1827; was admitted a member of the Eureka Lodge, No. 4, A. O. U. W., Cincinnati, Ohio, March 22, 1877, of which he was a member when he died, April 28, 1900.

Whereas, It has pleased Him, who doeth all things well, to call from our midst our esteemed friend and brother,

A. D. McFee thus terminating a faithful life, which was crowned with many good and noble deeds.

Whereas, In his beautiful character shown by his great love for mankind, in the charitable manner in which he sought out and assisted the unfortunate, won for him our love and esteem and endeared him to us by the most tender ties. In his death we bow with Eureka Lodge No. 41, to sorrow, lamenting that his smile is gone and his kind voice silent.

Whereas, Crittenden county has lost one of its best and successful citizens, the community, a true man and his wife and children a loving husband and father, therefore be it

Resolved, that while we deplore his loss, we as brothers strive to live so that when the Grand Master on high shall sound the gavel of time and call us together never again to adjourn, we may be ready for the summons.

That we extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved widow and children of our deceased brother, may the great Father of life, mercy and comfort, guide and protect them during the remainder of their lives.

That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family of our dead brother, a copy be sent to the lodge of which he was a member, and to be published in the Crittenden Press.

J. F. Loyd,
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Out of a total of seventy Illinois towns voting on the liquor question last week, fifty-five went dry.

The appropriations of the present Congress, it is estimated, will amount to more than a billion and a half dollars.

If the reports be true, our soldiers in the Philippines are killing natives this spring like the Kentucky pot-hunters kill birds in the fall.

The Post announces definitely that there is no indictment against Mr. Taylor. If this be true, perhaps they are not such blood-thirsty fellows at Frankfort as they have been painted by the Post.

Ex-Governor Brown continues to present those pardons every time he appears in court for the accused in Frankfort. A vindication and not a pardon would leave all concerned in a better shape.

By a vote of 29 to 20, the Senate refused to pass a resolution of sympathy for the Boers. The popularity of the proposition to elect the Senators by a vote of the people has probably not left that august body in a sympathetic mood.

The fence put up by the committee, ten feet high, with stakes and riders, will probably keep any opposition to Congressman Wheeler off of the grass, and the necessity for a primary will not exist, and the committee will meet and nominate him for re-election.

A statement by the War Department shows that from July 1, 1898, when American troops reached Manila until April 27 of this year, 2,256 American officers and men were killed in action or died of wounds or disease.

There is one striking similarity between the Populists and Democrats, they can get up splits, divisions and dissensions on very slight provocations. They ought to be able to get together on this common ground, if there was no other affinity.

Now that the Supreme Court has heard our little tale of woe, let the matter be settled before the fishing season is over, as somebody will be out of a job and there is nothing like piscatorial recreation for reflecting upon what might have been.

The Chicago platform Democrats of New York, it is announced will not unite with the other contingent in holding a state convention to appoint delegates to Kansas City. The friendliness of the gold Democrats up there may mean that they have "an African in the wood pile," but it is a good time to be friendly.

The Paducah Register is not altogether pleased with the Press' comment on the action of the Democratic Congressional Committee. Nothing short of a bolt, we opine, would meet the Register's idea in the premises, and while we would like to be in good graces of our esteemed cotemporary, if it takes this to win its approval, we despair of ever flirting with the somewhat crusty old girl. If a man changed his location every time some matter of policy, or the idea or action of some neighbor met his disapproval, he would never take two meals at the same place. We need reform in politics about as urgently as in everything else, but to go out of the party with a bad case of

MAY 14 OR 21 DECISION

Will be Reached in the Gubernatorial Contest Cases.

Washington, May 1.—The argument in the Kentucky Governorship case was heard Monday and Tuesday, and the decision will be handed down the 14th or the 21st of this month. Already one of the Judges has been selected who will examine the briefs of the authorities. This is the usual procedure. In a case of this importance all the justices pay equal attention to the case, or comparatively so. It is generally understood here that Justice Harlan up to this time has had more to do with the case than any other. He is the one with whom the attorneys consulted in making arrangements for advancing the case on the docket.

Being from Kentucky he is also assumed to be more familiar with legal aspects of the case than any other. Whether he is the Justice who will look up the authorities and make a report to his associates is not known—the ways of the Supreme Court are past finding out for sure.

the jim-jams, because the committee made, intentionally or unintentionally, an error, is not our style. We prefer to stay in and take a crack at the committee whenever and wherever occasion offers, and if anybody has to move out, let it be the fellows who commit the error. That's our philosophy.

Official reports show that 66,869 Spanish residents of Cuba have refused to sever allegiance to the mother country.

MARION BANK.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders. Officers Re-elected.

Yesterday the stock-holders of Marion Bank held their annual meeting, and all were represented in the meeting. Instead of declaring a dividend a surplus of \$5000 was set aside. The old officers were all re-elected, as follows: President—J. W. Blue, jr. Vice-Presidents—S. Gugenheim and Dr. J. V. Hayden. Cashier—T. J. Yandell. Assistant Cashier—Perry D. Maxwell.

Directors—S. Gugenheim, H. A. Haynes, J. I. Clement.

The year's business was gratifying to the stock-holders and the management and business generally was never more satisfactory.

EIGHTY FOOT FALL.

Dick Belt Takes A Big Tumble Down The Mines Shaft.

Tuesday afternoon, Dick Belt, a young man employed as a washer at the Memphis spar mines, started to climb down the ladders leading from the top to the bottom of the 130 shaft. He stopped at the mouth of a drift just as one of the small cars loaded with mineral came in from the drift, and the car struck him with sufficient force to break his hold, and down he shot towards the bottom, eighty feet below. At the mouth of the drifts are planks covering a part of the main shaft, and as the falling man struck these a slanting lick as he passed, the force of the fall was partially broken, and he reached the end of his long tumble more dead than alive. Dr. Joe Clark was called and dressed the bruises, and found that the hip was fractured. Yesterday Belt was sitting propped up in bed, feeling pretty comfortable.

Perhaps two or three will do this. In any case a report will be made informally to all of the Judges next Saturday or the Saturday following, which is consultation day.

If the work of examining the briefs can possibly be got through with, the report will be made at next Saturday's consultation, the opinion ordered written, and will be read on Monday.

If the report is not ready for the consultation it will not be submitted until the Saturday following. Then the opinion would be given on the following Monday.

The decision is more apt to be rendered on the 14th day of May than any other day. It will be hardly ready before then, and the court will adjourn on that day or the 21st for the summer. It will not meet again until the 2nd of October. Hence the decision is certain to come on any of the three next Mondays, with the probabilities that it will come on the second Monday, the 14th.

CHANGE OF VENUE

Granted by Judge Cantrill in the Cases of the Persons Charged with Goebel Assassination.

Frankfort, Ky., May 1.—After hearing the testimony of forty witnesses and brief arguments by counsel for both the prosecution and defense, Judge Cantrill granted the petition of five of the defendants charged with complicity in the Goebel assassination for changes of venue.

Those who joined in the petition were Caleb Powers, Captain John Davis, Henry E. Youtsey, Harland Whittaker and Richard Combs, col.

The attorneys failed to agree upon what county the venue shall be changed to. The defense suggested Bourbon county, where the next term of court begins in June. The prosecution objected to going to Bourbon county, basing its objection on statutory grounds, and suggested special term of court be held for the exclusive purpose of these trials in Woodford or Scott county. Judge Cantrill took the matter under advisement and will decide tomorrow to what county the trials shall go.

Hearing of proof in motions for bail for these defendants and also for W. H. Culton, who did not ask for change of venue, will begin tomorrow, according to the present outlook will take up the remainder of the week and will be practically complete so far as available evidence on both sides is concerned.

A Livingston Man.

Frankfort, Ky., May 1.—J. O. Rutter, of Livingston county, was sworn in this morning as second clerk to Superintendent of Public Instruction McChesney. He fills a vacancy caused by the resignation of N. H. Gardner, of Warren county.

A mastodon's skeleton was unearthed near Flora, Ind.

Senor Paterno, the former President of the Filipino Cabinet, was captured by the Americans.

A constitutional convention will be held in Virginia for the purpose of restricting the negro vote.

It is reported from the Kiowa and Comanche agency in Kansas that the Indians are starving.

It is generally believed at Constantinople that the Turkish Porte will not pay the American claims without a display of force on our part.

We have a stock of the Goebel pictures on hand. We sell them for the benefit of the monument. They were selected by his brothers and are almost perfect likenesses of the dead Governor. We have several different styles. Goebel had a very expressive face and each picture shows some attitude or expression almost perfectly. Come early and get your choice. We expect to handle them only a short time. Call on Walter Walker or myself.

If you have not already reported, let me hear from you as soon as convenient. Do not fail to see your people. At present it seems that we may have to take off our cap to Piney precinct. Our first report came from Piney; our best report, so far, came from Piney. The work is nearer completion there than anywhere else. We have heard from all its districts but two; I am satisfied they will come in soon and sustain if not increase the reputation already made. What other precinct wishes to come up with it, or surpass it? The field is open; Piney will gracefully yield you the palm if you win it.

MINA WHEELER.

TWO DISTRICTS.

Educational Associations to Meet in Marion, May 25.

The Educational Association of the First and Second Congressional Districts will hold their spring sessions together at Marion, May 25 and 26. This will be a notable gathering of the teachers of the two districts, and the best educators, and most enthusiastic educational workers will be here. These two districts are more thoroughly awake to the common school work than any others in the state, and the meeting here will represent the sentiment of the best workers in the great cause of popular education the State has. A large attendance is expected, the programme is being prepared and will probably be ready for publication in a few days.

Marion should, and doubtless will, maintain her reputation for hospitality, and the people will do every thing in their power to make the meeting a success.

President Dole has been selected as the first Governor of Hawaii.

Charles Herbert Allen was formally inaugurated Civil Governor of Porto Rico, Monday.

An abnormally heavy rainfall in Colorado has flooded the streams and has done enormous damage.

The First battalion of the Fourteenth Infantry has reached San Francisco after two years' service in the Philippines.

Michigan Democrats have endorsed W. J. Bryan and Charles A. Towne for the next national ticket.

Labor unions in various parts of the United States declared strikes yesterday, the demand generally being for shorter hours and better pay.

BLANCO.

All who are interested in the raising of good mules are invited to come to Tolu, Ky., Saturday, May 5, and see the largest, best built, and best Jack that has ever been in this part of the country. I will be at Tolu from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. for the purpose of showing to all the Mammoth of Crittenden county. Blanco (Laz.) is a Spanish Jack from Tennessee stock; is 15 1/2 hands high, ear 13 inches long, 28 inches from tip to tip, knee 13 1/2 inches in circumference, 48 inches from point of shoulder to point of hip, hip 22 inches, back 42 inches, breast 9 inches between fore legs, 24 inches from point of shoulder to top of withers.

All Jack men are invited to come and bring their stock for show.

Respectfully,
J. H. Hardesty, Owner,
Luther Hardesty, Keeper.

The P. N. Corset Co.,

of New York City, has given us the sole agency for their Celebrated Molded Corset. All have cork protected rust proof clasps and all steels are protected from rust staining your underwear. They are the only corsets that do not press in at the pit of the stomach, and will make an irregular form a perfect one.

No doubt you have accused your modiste when fitting your waist of making you appear broad and with a thick figure, but such is not the case with the modiste; this is caused only by the ill-fitting corset and if you want to have a perfect figure, try the celebrated P. N. Molded Corset, it will give you the most graceful figure and with such outlines of gracefulness that your dress waists will be wonderfully improved. They give you beautiful curves over the hips and a straight front effect.

We have in our windows a display of this celebrated corset, showing the anatomy of the most graceful forms that have ever been on exhibition.

You are cordially invited to examine these corsets. Every pair is guaranteed to give the utmost satisfaction or your money is refunded. If once worn, you will wear no other.

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AND WITH IT COMES THE
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Carpets
Mattings

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Let me supply your wants in these goods. I will treat you right in prices all along the line.

Best Refrigerators Made, Elegant Goods Very Cheap. Prettiest Baby Buggies.

Call and see my stock of Mattings, Carpets and Linoleums. My carpet samples affords the widest field from which to select.

Marion, Ky.

J. N. BOSTON.

Not the biggest stock in town, but always the

Best Stock of GROCERIES

And always the LOWEST PRICES is the place you want to find when you want to buy.

I meet the demands in both of these qualifications. Try me and I will convince you.

THE WHITE STAR COFFEES have no trouble in keeping the lead over all comers.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Goebel buttons 10c at the Press office.

Don't forget the trustee election Saturday.

Rev. Dupuy preached at Sturgis Saturday night.

Mrs. M. R. Gilliam returned from Texas last week.

John Travis is handling the soda fount for Orme.

Postmaster Tom Moore, of Princeton, spent Sunday in Marion.

Mrs. Elizabeth Douglass returned to Marion, Ill., a few days ago.

Mrs. James Bradley, of Piney Fork, was quite sick Saturday.

Twelve different styles of pictures of Gov. Goebel at the Press office.

Over fifty people attended the dedication at Sullivan Sunday, from this place.

Mr. R. A. Moore left Tuesday to resume his work on the road, selling groceries.

The members of the Christian church spent Tuesday picnicking at the Crittenden Springs.

WANTED—To rent a house in Marion of 6 or 8 rooms for July 1st.—H. F. Ray, Franklin, Ky.

Messrs. J. A. Vick and J. W. Gwartney, of Carrsville, have purchased the barber shop on Main street.

HARPER Whiskey is liquid music, bottled poetry, ripe mellow, Refreshing and delicious. Sold by J. H. Orme, Marion, Ky.

Cuts, wounds, burns, sprains and bruises quickly heal if you apply BALDARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Price 25 and 50 cents at Orme's drugstore.

Frankfort!

Has Nothing to Do With our Prices!

We have just received a fresh and full line of fine candles, the best on the market.

Fruits of all kinds.

Nuts from 15 to 20 cts per lb.

Graham crackers 10c per lb.

Soda Biscuits 10 c per lb.

Ginger snaps 25c per barrel

Honkey 3 cans 25c

Beans 3 cans 25c

Potted Ham 3 cans 25c

Sardines 5c a can.

Rolls Oats 3 packages 25c

Pettit Johns breakfast food 2 packages for 25c

Grape Nuts 15c per package

Seed Potatoes 90c per bushel

Coffee, roasted, from 15c to 30c per pound

Rice 3 pounds for 25c

The best Syrup 25c per gallon

Tinware, Stoneware, Glassware, Woodenware, Graniteware cheaper than any house in town.

We have a full line of everything in the grocery line and want your trade. Will sell cheap give you full weight and treat you right.

WOOL! We want all the wool in Crittenden county! Don't fool your wool away but get our prices before you sell.

All kinds of produce wanted—we pay the best prices.

Everything to eat at the Lowest Prices.

HEARIN & SON,

Don't forget our Horse and Cattle Powders, Hog Cholera Medicine, Poultry Food and Louse Killer.

A Nice House and Lot for sale.

Some fine stock hogs for sale cheap.

Mr. J. W. Blue was in St. Louis last week.

Mr. J. O. Brown, of Tolu, was in town Monday.

Mr. F. S. Loyd, of Fredonia, was in town Friday.

Mr. O. James is attending court at Paducah this week.

Prof. W. T. Blakely, of Cave-in-Rock, Ill., was in town Monday.

John Parr, of Caldwell, was trying the resting places in town Saturday.

Mr. John Jack, of Cave-in-Rock, Ill., was in town Monday on business.

Don't forget us when you want fine perfumery and toilet articles.

Mrs. Nina Howerton.

John Reed is building a new stock and grain barn, and the probabilities are that he will have it insured.

Mrs. Nina Howerton has just received some novelty belt goods from New York. Call and see them.

Mr. H. C. Moore, of Hopkinville, came down Saturday to attend the burial of his nephew, Clyde Moore.

Al Swansey came over from Kuttawa Monday. He is well pleased with his livery stable venture at that place.

All orders for pictures of Gov. Goebel will be filled immediately on being received by Walter N. Walker.

Miss Lucy Walker returned from St. Louis, last week, where she was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Charles English, some weeks.

Miss Lillie Cook went to Madisonville Tuesday to stay with her mother, who is under treatment of an Osteopath physician at that place.

Toney Hughes, col., who has been teaching in Oklahoma, returned home last week. He likes the country out there and will return this fall.

Saturday Mrs. T. J. Cochran was called to Equality, Ill., by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Dora Rodgers of that place.

The price of the Goebel pictures on sale at the Press office have been cut down fifty per cent. Let every one secure a picture while they are so cheap.

The very finest. The ne plus ultra. The creme de la creme. That's HARPER Whiskey in three languages. Sold by J. H. Orme, Marion, Ky.

Mr. W. D. Crowell, the Blackford hardware merchant, was in town Saturday. He is well pleased with his business, and thinks Blackford is destined to come to the front as a mercantile center.

Mr. J. W. Wilson, the new manager, is very busy now overhauling and getting the Crittenden Springs in first-class shape for the season. The hotel and premises will be more than ever enticing, when the tasty and skillful hand of the manager has completed his work.

We learn that our long time friend, W. J. L. Hughes, since leaving Marion to become a servant of "Uncle Sam" in the revenue service has also again become a Benedict. We extend congratulations.

Don't you want some fine Black Minorcas or Light Brahmas chickens or eggs. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give me your order.

R. S. PARIS, LOLA, KY.

Ladies furnishing goods, fancy and toilet articles. Millinery and sewing done to order at the Ladies Bazaar.

Mrs. John A. Jack, Propr. Cave-in-Rock, Ill.

Great opportunity offered to good reliable men. Salary of \$15 per week and expenses for man with rig to introduce our poultry mixture and insect destroyer in the county. Send stamp. American Mfg. Co., Terre Haute, Ind.

Quite a rush at the West Side Millinery Emporium last week. All employees kept busy.

Miss Winnie Wilcox was called home last week by the serious illness of her little brother.

Miss Mamie Crayne, who was so seriously burned, as reported in the Press last week, died Friday morning, after much suffering.

FOR SALE—Fine Tomato and Cabbage Plants.

Mrs. J. S. Braswell, Marion, Ky. Phone 116.

The State Board of Equalization increased the assessed value of property in this county six per cent on realty and three per cent on personalty.

Prof. Evans began his four weeks' term of a normal course at the school building Monday. Quite a number of teachers are in attendance, and an interesting term is promised.

It has been reported time after time that other parties have an interest in the new millinery store. For the benefit of my friends I wish to announce that no one except myself, has anything, whatever, invested in the store.

Mrs. Nina Howerton.

Mr. A. Ziff, of the New York Store, moved his stock of goods to Seebree, where he will open a business house this week. He is a pleasant affable young man, and was well liked by the young people of this place. We hope he will meet with success in his new home.

County Judge Tom Evans, of Smithland, was greeting his friends in Marion Saturday. Tom is as popular, where known in this county, as he is in Livingston, and down there when he offers for an office, about all he has to do is to get ready to go in.

Agents on salary of \$15.00 per week and expenses; the greatest agent seller ever produced; every stock and poultry raiser buys it on sight. Hustlers wanted. Reference. American Mfg Co., Terre Haute, Ind.

Our old friend Edgar Bozeman, of Tolu, spent two days in town last week. Edgar has some ambition to represent this district in the Lower House of the General Assembly, and tells us that if nobody else wants the place next time, he will gladly serve the people.

Back combs, side combs, hair pins and lace broaches at the West Side Millinery Emporium.

Coming To Marion.

The District Conference of Princeton District, M. E. Church, South, was held at Glenn's Chapel, Lyon county last week. The attendance was large, and the session interesting.

Messrs. Lee Dyer, of Lyon county, J. A. Aiken, of Princeton, H. C. Cobb, of Kuttawa, and J. W. Guess, of Crittenden, were elected delegates to the annual conference.

Henry Walker, of Crittenden, was licensed to preach, and was recommended to the annual conference for admission on trial. Marion was selected as the place for the meeting of the next session of the District conference.

QUESTION ANSWERED.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers' and grandmothers' never thought of using anything else for indigestion or biliousness. Doctors were scarce and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous Prostration or Heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by R. F. Haynes.

NOTICE!

To the taxpayers of Crittenden county, who have not paid their taxes for 1898 and 1899:

I need the money and must have it.

I will put one or two men in each precinct to collect the tax or levy. I will begin in Dycusburg precinct May 15, 1900, and will not miss a man. And to you who just pay a poll tax, if not paid you will find your name on the delinquent list.

JNO. T. PICKENS, S.C.C.

Tuesday marriage license was issued to John H. Briles and Miss Rhoda Lee Agents.

Quarterly meeting at the Methodist church Sunday and Monday.

Chicago gave a royal welcome to Admiral Dewey yesterday. The military and civic parade lasted four hours, and 600,000 people cheered the Admiral almost continuously along the line of march.

COLUMBIA \$50. Hartford \$35. Pennant \$25 to 30

Complete line of Bicycle Repairs.

Bargains in second-hand wheels.

C. C. TAYLOR. At Haynes' Drugstore.

Bile and all other obstructions to good health are immediately removed from the Liver, Stomach and Bowels by Morley's Little Liver Pills for Bilious People, Sugar Coated One a dose. Sold by

LAUNDRY.

I have purchased the agency for the Magnet Laundry, and solicit the patronage of the people. Good work, prompt delivery guaranteed. The Magnet has always given entire satisfaction. Remember me every Monday morning.

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Prettiest lace In town.

Completest Line of Medicines.

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Clothes, Hair and Tooth Brushes.

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These symptoms mean torpid liver and a clogged condition in the bowels. They also mean the general health is below par and disease is seeking to obtain control.

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Quickly removes these Symptoms, Strengthens the Stomach, Cleanses the Liver and Bowels and Promotes Functional Activity in the Kidneys. A few doses will restore Health and Energy in Body and Brain.

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Boston Grocery.

As the city of this name is the "Hub of the Universe," so the Boston Grocery is the center of the grocery trade in this section. If the cleanest and best of goods, honest, square, fair dealing, and prices that are right for both buyer and seller, merit your patronage, this house will be glad to see you.

Everything in the Grocery Line.

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28 inch Wheel.....\$40

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Our line is the Best and most complete

The BIG 4

The most complete line of wheels ever offered—must be seen to be appreciated—but a catalogue will be mailed on application. Remember we want good agents. Are you with us? If not, drop us a line and our representative will call on you.

OUR OWN Speed

28-In Wheel \$30

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28-In Semi-racer chain's \$75

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OUR 1900

Sundry catalogue is now ready, illustrating many of the latest Cycle Novelties.

THE RELIABLE Ideal

30 in Wheel.....\$20

24 in Wheel... 22 50

26 in Wheel... 22 50

28 in Wheel \$22 to 25

News from all over the County.

Happenings of the Week
As Chronicled by Our
Special Correspondents.

DYCUSBURG.

Pete Hollon, of Kuttawa, was in town Sunday.

The farmers are complaining of the cut worms.

We had a heavy rain and hail storm Sunday evening.

Wood Irvin, of Kuttawa, was here one day last week.

Dr. Will Graves returned to his home in Paducah last week.

Mrs. C. L. Burks and Miss Cora Clifton went to Marion last week.

M. B. Charles and wife, and Mrs. Mattie Wallington went to Paducah Sunday.

Madames P. K. Cooksey and T. J. Yates went to Kelsey shopping one day last week.

S. H. Cassidy & Co., are not handling much tobacco this season. They purchased about a million and a half pounds here, and about the same at Kuttawa.

EMMAUS.

O. T. and John Hodge are on a real estate deal.

Fruit prospects are remarkably good in this neighborhood.

Alfred Montgomerie has a few well developed cases of measles in his household.

Miss Birdie Travis and sister and Ed Peak spent three days in Marion last week.

Power Wolfe has secured the public school at Elm Grove for another term.

Prospects for a Sunday school in this neighborhood it seems has gone to the wall.

Bro. Kinsolving has agreed to preach for the Emmaus people for an indefinite time.

Albert Butler, we understand, contemplates severing his connection with the Emmaus church.

Phil Travis has engaged in the turkey business, having recently stocked two farms with the plumed bird.

Henry Burklow, who is charged with detaining a woman against her will, has, it is said, gone to Texas.

Rev. J. C. Kinsolving attended the ministers and members meeting at Deer Creek church Saturday and Sunday.

Willie Summers and sister attended the commencement exercises of Marion Graded School Friday and Saturday.

The grist mill at Hodge's Cave, under the management of Messrs. Chester Grissom and Sam Shelby, is doing a thriving business, having run three days last week.

CARRSVILLE.

Mrs. Marlow died last Monday night at her home near here.

We learn that Prof. M. C. Wright will be census enumerator of this precinct.

Mr. Wright Gwartney has moved from his place to Marion where he will engage in the barber business.

Prof. C. C. Howard closed his spring term of school last Friday. He will leave next week for Memphis where he will be engaged during the summer months.

Several of school teacher boys will conduct a self propelling normal here until the examination. They say to this they have discovered perpetual motion.

The sad news reached Squire J. S. Love last week that his brother in Colorado died very suddenly. Mr. Love went from this county to Colorado soon after the war.

LONE CEDAR.

Farmers are busy planting corn. The Flanary saw-mill started to work last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sallie Lamb is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Bessie Cain visited relatives in this neighborhood last week.

Miss Susie Lofton spent last week with the family of Sam Lucas.

John Clark and wife, of Marion, visited Ira Clark's family last week.

Miss Nannie Dean visited her brother in the Iron Hill neighborhood last week.

The young people had quite a pleasant time at the singing at Dan King's Saturday night.

Rufe Ford and John Thomas, with their families spent Sunday with Bob Drury.

A Sunday school will be organized at Mrs. Carrie Lofton's the second Sunday in May, afterwards it will be held in a grove near the Lofton ford. All are invited to attend and take a part in the work. The name of the school will be Lone Cedar.

CHAPEL HILL.

J. F. Adams is on the sick list. T. M. Hill will build a fine stable.

J. E. Bebout is visiting his mother near Siloam.

Mr. Will Mayes, of Union, was through here last week.

J. F. Adams & Co. sold their wheat to Clark & Kevil for 67cts.

Miss Addie Bigham visited Mrs. Joe Parr, of Caldwell county, Saturday.

W. L. Adams and T. H. Minner will go to Pinckneyville to fish a few days.

Mrs. Martha Armstrong of Kansas is visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Horace Williamson has some fine spring chickens ready for the skillet.

Mr. Wm. Wheeler, of Union county, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Adams.

The singing school at this place commenced Friday night with a class of 30 pupils.

A full crop of wheat is expected in this precinct; it looks fine; a small acreage was sown.

W. H. Bigham wants to sell a Walter A. Wood mowing machine and rake, both in good repair; will trade for stock.

FREDONIA.

Miss Edna Cole, of Dogwood, was in town Sunday.

William Mitchell, of Dycusburg was in town Monday.

Brgham Hopkins hats for young men.—Sam Howerton.

Miss Josie Butler, of Salem is visiting relatives near here.

Patent leather shoes for young men.—Sam Howerton.

The prospect for the fruit and wheat crop is encouraging.

Mrs. Tom Walker and family of Kelsey, have moved to Tennessee.

Cobb Neel, of Salem, was in town two or three days last week.

Lace curtains and window shades, all sizes, prices and grades.

C. B. Loyd.

Misses Lucy Hughes and Mabel Baker, of Crider, were in town Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sallie Rice, of Troy, Tenn., is visiting her parents, J. S. G. Green and wife.

Straw hats for every day and Sunday too. Can suit all the boys as well as you. C. B. Loyd.

Several of our young men attended the commencement at Marion last Friday night.

A crowd from town went over to Sullivan Sunday to the dedication of the C. P. church.

Our line of neckwear is complete. For style and quality cannot be beat. C. B. Loyd.

Mrs. W. Guess and daughter Miss Nellie, of Crider, were visiting relatives in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. R. Morgan and son Robert, of Princeton, were visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Strouse & Bros., suits and pants for young men, up-to-date and stylish, good as tailor made. Sam Howerton.

Mrs. A. E. Richards, Miss Ada Dycus and Mrs. Pursey Cooksey, of Dycusburg, were visiting and shopping in town last Friday.

If good bargains you would not refuse. You should get our prices on dress goods, pants and shoes. C. B. Loyd.

Rev. Milton Cookrill, of Missouri has been visiting relatives here for a week or two; he preached at New Bethel last Sunday and at Kuttawa Sunday night.

TOLU.

Judge Pierce, of Marion, was in our village Friday and Saturday. Mr. Forest Harris and wife visited at A. J. Bennetta last Sunday.

Deputy Sheriff Ainsworth was in our village last week on official business.

The present prospect in this section is for a bounteous wheat and fruit crop.

Mr. J. W. Guess has about 20 acres sowed in stock peas. Who can beat that?

Elder Blackburn preached at the Methodist church in this place Saturday night.

Miss Beulah McCollum of Carrsville is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. Mantz, of this place.

Charley Crackle, of Caseyville, is superintending the loading of a barge at our landing.

Mr. Eugene Guess and wife, and Miss Minnie McAmis visited on Hurricane Island, Sunday.

Mr. Ed Woolfolk, of Paducah, is here loading a barge with lumber bought of Pierce and Cloyd.

Quite a number of our folks attended the ministers and deacons meeting at Deer Creek Sunday.

For the first time in many years the river bottoms are about all planted in corn, in the month of April.

Mr. Herbert Myres has his business house about completed and will soon be doing business in more comfortable quarters.

Eugene Guess recieved a very fine Jack off of the steamer, Richardson last week, that he purchased in Tennessee. Gene likes fine stock and will have them regardless of cost.

For Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis, or Consumption, no medicine equals Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Price 25 and 50 cents at Orme's.

Full Blooded

Bronze Turkey Eggs \$2.00 for 12
Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs... 1.00 for 15
Poland China Pigs \$10.00.
All guaranteed first class.
W. L. KENNEDY, LOLA, KY.

Headache and dizziness are quickly cured by Morley's Little Liver Pills for Bilious People. They arouse the Torpid Liver, work off the Bile and cure Constipation. One a dose. Sold by

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The Best Liver and Stomach Remedy on earth.

Guaranteed to absolutely cure any curable case of Indigestion, Constipation, Chronic Headache, Jaundice, Biliousness and the early stages of Brights Disease and Diabetes. For the ailments peculiar to women it is

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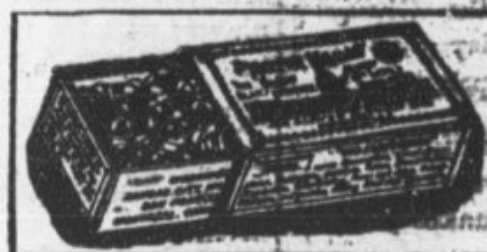
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Guaranteed by our REGISTERED GUARANTEE to cure all diseases arising from Impure Blood and Inactive Liver or Kidneys. 200 Days' Treatment \$1. The dollar back if you are not cured.

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I have suffered with kidney trouble for years; at times unable to work, doctored for years but grew worse. Took "Our Native Herbs" and am well. John Drake, Tolu, Ky. I have given "Our Native Herb Tablets" a fair trial, and it is as recommended for the kidneys, headache and catarrh. Wallace Bennett, Tolu, Ky.

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FROM PORTO RICO.

MAYAGNER, PORTO RICO.

ED. PRESS:—Knowing some of your readers, at least, would like to hear from a Crittenden boy who finds life not altogether unpleasant in our new possessions, I concluded to let you know that I had not forgotten the good old PRESS, and the good people of old Crittenden.

There are many things here pleasant, but there are some unpleasant phases, and one of them is to gaze upon the hungry and starving people. Of course you read about it in the papers, but when you put your paper down the sad story is soon forgotten, and you enjoy your good solid meals without thinking any more about the naked and hungry in another part of the country.

Many Americans who ran away from cold weather the past winter, coming here, found many things to entertain or interest them in the cities, but when they started out for a visit across the island they found it more interesting, and much to excite their pity. The other parts like the outward charm of this city, and in some of them the evidence of the deplorable poverty of the people is too plain.

Guadilla, on the northwest of the island, agriculture is the sole reliance of the people for maintenance, and there the people have flocked in from the country hunting work, only to die miserably when none was to be had, even in spite of a generous government. It is said that the death rate this winter was fifteen persons per day in population of 9,000. The residents in the poorer sections of the city are the chief sufferers. It is not an uncommon sight in these squalid quarters to see the boys and girls absolutely without clothing. Government aid alone has kept life in their impoverished bodies. The Hurricane of August of last year deprived them of their source of sustenance, and recovery is painfully slow. Mayagnez is one of the richest cities on the island and makes the best appearance because its labor fell back on boat building. The town enjoys the distinction of maintaining the only street car line on the island, and the people point to it with pride as an evidence of advancing civilization, quite unconscious of its ramshackle, third class quality.

The overland route from Ponce to San Juan, along the military road gives one a good view of the country. I have made that trip, and the road is macadamized the entire distance. I stopped and took dinner with a rich planter on the road, and his bill of fare was fried eggs and fried corn-cakes,

vegetable soup with garlic, larded beef, cooked hard and flavored with garlic, steak, onions and garlic, potatoes, rice and jelly. It was fine, but too much garlic for me.

The Porto Ricans extend to us a hospitality which seems to exceed in warmth and cordiality the Kentucky article. The American soldier is received into the best houses, when he shows an appreciation of their hospitality. Everything in the house and on the place is at the command of their guest. You can have the hosts' horse to ride or his underwear for a change, its all at your service, and even the cook struggles to prepare American dishes for you, and they swell with pride when they can present some American articles among their edibles.

With best wishes for the PRESS and its readers.

BERT E. WOODY.

Livingston Indictments.

The grand jury adjourned yesterday at noon after returning 87 indictments, as follows:

- 62 against non-residents for failing to file a descriptive list of land.
- 7 gaming.
- 6 disturbing religious worship.
- 2 selling liquor.
- 1 breach of peace.
- 1 wilful murder.
- 1 house breaking.
- 4 living on shanty boat without license.

1 willfully failing to perform duties as chairman of school board.

- 1 assault and battery.
- 1 keeping bawdy house.

—Livingston Banner.

Tortured a Witness.

Intense suffering was endured by witness T. L. Martin, of Dixie, Ky., before he gave this evidence: "I coughed every night until my throat was nearly raw; then tried Dr. King's New Discovery which gave instant relief. I have used it in my family for four years and recommend it as the greatest remedy for Coughs, Colds and all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. It will stop the worst cough, and not only prevents but absolutely cures consumption. Price 50 cts and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

Rev. J. D. Fraser, who has been suffering with appendicitis for some time, is reported as much better and able to walk about the yard. He has been with relatives at Lafayette for some time. —Cadiz

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lima Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed For sale by J. H. Orme druggist.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

SALEM LODGE, No. 81, F. & A. M.

Whereas, Our Supreme Grand Master in his infinite wisdom and mercy, has seen fit to call from labor to refreshment our esteemed brother, W. J. LaRue, who died at his home in Crittenden county, Ky., April 24, 1900.

Resolved, That in his death Masonry has lost a valuable friend and support. The church a pillar of strength. His family a kind husband and indulgent father, and the community a shining example of benevolence and industry, as well as a wise counselor.

Resolved, That we as Masons extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family; that these resolutions be spread upon our records. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the wife of our deceased brother, also a copy be sent to the Crittenden Press for publication.

R. H. Grassham, T. C. Grissom, G. H. Rappolee, Committee.

Many a fair young child, whose father has puzzled the mother, until she has suspected rightly her darling was troubled with worms, has regained the rosy hue of health with a few doses of WHI TE'S CREAM NERMIFUGE. Price 25 cents at Orme's.

(Advertisement.)

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Kentucky at Louisville. Joseph Spugnardi etc., Complainants.

vs Southern Building and Loan Association, Defendant.

By virtue of decrees entered in the above styled case on the dependent bill and petition of D. A. Carpenter, Receiver, against A. M. Baldwin and Tula E. Baldwin, his wife, the undersigned special commissioner on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1900, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. at the court house door at Marion, Ky., will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder the real estate hereinafter described on the terms of one-third cash, balance to be paid in equal installments in three and six months; bond for the deferred payments to be executed by the purchaser with approved security payable to the Clerk of said Court, which bond shall retain a lien upon the property sold for the full payment thereof, and bear interest at the rate of six (6) per cent. per annum from the date thereof until paid. The purchaser is required to make a deposit of \$15, cash at the time of the sale.

Said real estate is particularly described as follows:

Lot No. 2, in J. W. Blue's addition to Marion, Kentucky, near southwest corner of said town and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of lot No. 1, thence N. 87. W. 78 feet; thence S. 3 W. 106 feet; thence S. 87 E. 78 feet, thence N. 3 E. 106 feet to the beginning. Being the same conveyed to Susan G. Morgan by J. W. Blue, Sr., and wife on the 13th day of August, 1892.

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