

## FLATTERING

Is the Mining Outlook, Says Dr. Rominger, of Michigan.

Dr. C. Rominger, who was fourteen years geologist for the State of Michigan, and whose home is now at An Arbor, spent two days this week looking over a portion of the mineral field of this section. He is known as one of the oldest and best geologists in the country, and is a man of wide experience and thorough knowledge in his profession.

In an interview with the PRESS he said:

"My trip here is purely incidental, having heard of your mineral interests and being near by, I came over just for my own gratification and at my own instance. Of course, I have had time for only a very limited inspection, and my investigations have not been sufficient for me to arrive at conclusions that would be satisfactory to myself, but basing an opinion upon what I have seen during my short stay, I think your mining outlook is very flattering. There are undoubtedly valuable minerals here—lead, zinc and spar, but a great deal depends upon the management of the mines. If properly handled, I think the mines will be successful. The great problem is the separation of the ores. The Eagle Spar Co. tells me that it has machinery that does this satisfactorily, if this is demonstrated when it comes to the practical test, then a very serious obstacle has been overcome, and successful mining in this section is assured."

Are there any other mines in the country like these?

"Yes, in Wisconsin and in Missouri are mines similar to those, but not in every particular. You have the fluor spar here, and it is not found in either of the others."

Is the demand for fluor spar sufficient to justify mining for it alone?

"Your most valuable minerals are the lead and zinc; the demand for these is, as you know, unlimited, while the demand for the fluor spar is as yet limited, but ten or twenty years ago there was not one-tenth or one-twentieth of the spar used as is used now, and the demand is likely to increase. You have very fine fluor spar here, and the supply in this country is limited to this belt."

## THE INSTITUTE

To Convene in Marion July 16 with Prof. Evans as Conducted.

The Crittenden County Teachers Institute will be held July 16-20, and Mr. Charles Evans will conduct it.

Mina Wheeler.  
Marion, Ky., June 27, 1900.

## Newton Brasher Dead.

Saturday Mr. Newton Brasher, one of the oldest and best known citizens of the Caldwell Springs neighborhood, was found dead in his barn. He has been afflicted with heart disease for a number of years, and it is supposed that an attack of this occasioned his sudden death. He was buried at Caldwell Springs Sunday, Rev. W. R. Gibbs preached the funeral discourse.

Mr. Brasher was seventy years old, and was a valuable citizen.

## \$5.00 REWARD

Will be paid by the undersigned for one of several letters written in 1895 signed, "George R. Landerm," requesting the recipients to vote for Dave Adams over T. J. Nickell for representative.  
GEO. W. LANDRAM, C. L. C. C.

## FIRE AT TOLU.

J. W. Guess & Sons., Store Burned Early Tuesday Morning.

The big general merchandise store of J. W. Guess & Sons., at Tolu was destroyed by fire about 2 o'clock Monday morning.

About that hour parties living near the building were awakened by a noise and observed a small light, not much larger, than a lamp, in the house. In a few moments the interior of the building was in flames, and the fire spread so rapidly that it was beyond all control before those aroused by the alarm could reach the scene, and the building and warehouse, with the contents of both, were rapidly reduced to ashes.

The firm carried a large stock of general merchandise and did a big business; the house was one of the best business houses in the county outside of Marion.

The origin of the fire is not known, but there is a strong impression that it was the work of an incendiary.

The loss is estimated at between \$7,500 and \$8,000. There was \$4,000 insurance on the stock and \$1,500 on the house.

## "Knights of the Rod."

The examiners required the applicants for certificates to teach, in the examination two weeks ago, to write essays. The following essay got a grade of 90. Guess who wrote it?

## THE COUNTY INSTITUTE.

The annual gathering of the "Knights of the Rod," is to the poor over-worked teacher, what the annual encampments of war veterans is to the heroes of the civil war. They braved death on many fields, baring their breasts to the bullets of a relentless foe; but what deeds of theirs were more gallant than ours, when we, day after day, charge upon line after line of examination questions, only to be repulsed, and forced back to the "third" or "second" ditch, never getting in sight of coveted ditch number "one," which is held by a determined Superintendent and two merciless examiners who know no fear.

Nor is this all: We are next attacked by heartless patrons, and our lives are steeped in worm wood. Bless us, oh, Lord! Why do we teach anyway?

In our annual conventions we meet and exchange our tales of woe; seek sympathy and are comforted; tell of methods we never tried, with the hope that some one else will do the experimenting; eat green water-melons, pass off the remainder of our time smiling at some sweet girl, and go home and report the institute a failure.

Oh! how many sessions have been whiled away thus! May we do better at the coming session, and improve the golden opportunities.

"So let us be up and doing while it is called to-day," for "the day cometh when no man can work."

On account of a celebration by the colored people at Princeton, June 30th, special trains will be run from Evansville and Hopkinsville, and intermediate points, to Princeton and return, on that date. Special train will leave Evansville at 7:00, a. m., leave Princeton returning at midnight. Round trip tickets will be sold to Princeton for this occasion, good only on the special train at rate of 65 cts for round trip from Marion.

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## A WARM HOUSE.

The Ministers Take a Crack at Each Other.

A bout between Rev. J. W. Bigham, Presiding Elder of the Princeton district and Rev. Dupuy, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this place, at the Cumberland Presbyterian church last Thursday evening, was the talk of the town for a day.

At the close of the lecture delivered by Mr. Likens, the Anti-Saloon League man, Rev. Bigham was called upon for a talk; and, as is well known by those who have heard him on any occasion, he is a vigorous talker, and in the course of his remarks he execrated church members for their attitude on the liquor question, stating that the Baptist, Methodist and the Presbyterians were responsible for the liquor traffic in this country.

Rev. Dupuy arose in the audience and said:

"Prove it." Bigham replied that he could and would, and when he finished his argument, Rev. Dupuy exclaimed:

"That is bad logic, and I want to enter my protest here against this man's charge that the blood bought church of Jesus Christ is responsible for the cursed evil."

"Will you take that side of the question?" demanded the man who had the floor.

"I will," replied Rev. Dupuy.

"Then name your time and place," said Bigham, "and what I will do to you will be a plenty."

This ended the warm passage-arms between the two popular ministers, but the town is still talking about that "rough house."

## BOY KILLED

By the Accidental Discharge of a Shot Gun.

Monday evening, Floyd Monroe, a ten-year-old boy who lived with John Franklin, near Tolu, was accidentally killed by the discharge of a shot gun in his own hands. According to the report we have, he was loading one barrel of the gun, when the other by some unexplained means, was discharged, and the entire load of shot struck him in the forehead, making a great hole in his head. He lived about thirty minutes.

Another small boy was with him at the time of the accident.

## Kelsey to Incorporate.

KELSEY, KY., June 25—Our city has taken the necessary steps to form a municipal corporation, and the following officers have been recommended for appointment, and if agreeable with the powers that be they will shortly be inaugurated: James Dobson, Police Judge; Frank Asbridge, Marshal; Messrs. A. S. Threlkeld, Sid Boyd, Geo. Reed, Bob Robinson, Sam Ramage, Trustees.

## A Life And Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines, Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery which wholly cured me. Hundreds have used it on my advice and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles." Regular size 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Orme's drugstore.

## JAMES H. MOTT.

May be Released From the Penitentiary on Parole.

Last week County Judge Rochester received from the Prison Commissioners a communication that indicates that James H. Mott, convicted in 1892 of the murder of Lafa Mott, in this county, is about to be paroled out of the penitentiary to which he was sentenced for life. The commissioners wrote to the county judge asking him to certify as to the responsibility of S. S. Sullenger, of this county, who proposed to be responsible for the conduct of Mott and for his return to prison, in the event the commissioners so order, and who proposed to buy Mott a suit of citizens clothes and pay his fare home.



JAMES H. MOTT.

Mr. Mott is an old man, and according to report, has been an exceptionally good prisoner as to deportment.

The law provides that the Prison Commissioners may make rules and regulations for paroling persons confined in the penitentiary. Persons in prison for murder may go on parole after they shall have served out at least ten years of the term. Persons sentenced for a felony, other than rape or incest, and who have not been previously convicted and served a term, and who have not been insubordinate to the rules and regulations may be allowed to go on parole outside of the building and enclosure, but to remain and be in the legal custody and control of the commissioners, and subject at any time to be taken back and confined, whenever such convict shall become disobedient to the law, or the commissioners shall deem best. Paroled convicts are, when they remain in the State, required to report their place of residence and conduct to the commissioners, through the county judge, at least every six months.

## FLOOD NOTES.

The heaviest loser in the county by the floods was probably Dosia Hill. He had ten acres of tobacco ready to top and only thirty plants were left. His corn was also washed away, and the farm was very materially damaged.

Livingston creek was five feet higher than ever known before. Judge Rochester went out to see about the Dry Fork bridge, and found that it had been picked up off of the bents and set down near by. He thinks it can be set back for from \$50 to \$75.

Nelse Roberts lived on the headwaters of Piney and when he woke up, the water was over the floor of his house. He raised a loud and long cry, and neighbors ferried him out.

## Bebout-Cameron.

At the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. T. J. Cameron, in this city, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Miss Victoria M. Cameron and Mr. Lewis L. Bebout were united in marriage. It was a quiet home wedding, only a few intimate friends were present to witness the simple but impressive ceremony, immediately after which the happy couple took the train for Paducah, their future home. Quite a crowd gathered at the depot to extend congratulations and wish them a joyous voyage through life.

The bride is a daughter of the late Thomas J. Cameron, and she is beautiful in person and character and loveable in disposition. She has scores of friends among the young people in Marion with whom she is a favorite.

The groom is one of the most popular young men in Crittenden county. He served in the Spanish-American war and came home Lieutenant of his company. Later he was appointed by the President as stamp deputy at Paducah, which position he now holds. Ambitious, industrious, actuated by noble sentiments, he is sure to make his mark in the world.

## Walker-Martin.

Thursday evening June 21, at the residence of Mr. L. H. James, of this place, Miss Sadie Martin and Mr. Samuel E. Walker were united in marriage, Rev. Jas. F. Price pronouncing the beautiful and impressive ceremony that united the happy couple for life. The handsome parlor was filled with friends of the contracting parties, and after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Walker were tendered the congratulations and best wishes of the many guests.

The bride is a relative of the James family and she has resided with them for a number of years. She is a most amiable lady, and possesses the many womanly virtues that brighten and enliven the home.

The groom is a popular and well known gentleman who counts his friends by the score. He is one of our most skilled and industrious contractors and builders, and stands well wherever known.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker began house-keeping in a pretty home on North Main Street Saturday, and the PRESS joins with their many other friends in wishing them the largest mead of happiness.

## TAYLOR IN NEW YORK.

Rochester, N. Y., June 26.—William S. Taylor, of Kentucky, arrived in Rochester this morning from Philadelphia. Taylor is traveling in the most unostentatious manner and is on his way to Canada to escape extradition proceedings which have been instituted against him in the State of Pennsylvania.

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Tea from 25 to 35c per pound.

Masons Fruit Jars, per doz., 67½c.

Soda 7 lbs, 25c.

Lard 9c a lb.

40c broom 30c.

Corn starch 4c lb.

4 pound package Gold-dust 22c.

Glass starch 4c lb.

11 bars good laundry soap 25c.

10 lb pail family white fish, 65c.

10 lb pail fancy Portland herring 75c.

Fancy cod-fish 10c lb.

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## TOPICS OF THE DAY.

### Only One-Sixth Are Educated.

The last enumeration of the people of Roumania shows that in a population of nearly 6,000,000 nearly 4,000,000 can neither read nor write and that only 1,000,000 have any education worthy of notice.

### His Popular Standing Underestimated.

A man elected vice president of the United States can say that the people have expressed their willingness, through the ballot box, that he should succeed to the highest office. The popular standing of the vice president is underestimated.

### A Pair of Hoosier Heavyweights.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Morian, of Indianapolis, weigh jointly 700 pounds, he being 450 and she 250. They have just returned from a trip abroad. There was no berth on the steamer big enough for the huge Hoosier and a special one was constructed.

### Surely the War Is Over.

Gen. Longstreet is a pensioner of the United States; Gen. Wheeler, United States army, is in command of a department, and a grandson of the famous South Carolina secessionist, Rhett, is third in the graduating class at West Point. Old Glory waves over a reunited country.

### The Law Wouldn't Let Them.

Nathan and Herman Citron, of New York, manufacturers of shirt waists, discharged William E. Gray, their engineer, because he was called to serve as a juror in the supreme court. The manufacturers were greatly surprised to learn that this was against the law and have taken Gray back.

### Employ Convicts on Farms.

The states of Texas, Mississippi and Georgia have recently abandoned the system of hiring out convicts, but have employed them to advantage on farms, especially in raising cotton. This form of employment has been found to work the least injury to free labor and to assure the best returns.

### Uncle Sam to Build a Railroad.

The government is to build a railroad system of its own in the Charleston navy yard, congress having appropriated \$40,000 for the rails and ties and the labor of laying them, and \$10,000 for a locomotive and cars. Four hundred tons of steel rails are now being delivered at the yard to be used in laying the tracks.

### Cannot Reduce the Army.

Gen. Otis has already been secured by the periodical publishers and in an article by him he says: "We cannot get along with any fewer troops than we have in the islands (the Philippines) at present, for a number of years." He also says the cost of maintaining this army is and will continue about \$130,000 a day, or \$47,450,000 a year.

### Railroad Men in the Philippines.

The salaries that the government has been paying the railroad men in the Philippines are in accordance with the scale of wages in the United States. A conductor receives \$200 per month, an engineer \$250, and a brakeman \$150. Such salaries are princely from the native point of view, as the most competent Tagal railroaders can be hired for salaries varying between \$50 and \$100 per month.

### Tolstoi's "Social Imagination."

One of Tolstoi's interpreters said of him that he was possessed of a "social imagination" that caused him, when he sat down to a luxurious dinner, to see behind the chairs the haggard, haunting faces of the unfed. The great Russian declared that there never could be any rest for him "so long as I have superfluous food and another has none, so long as I have two coats and another has none."

### No Color Line at Berea.

Berea college, at Berea, Ky., which has attracted widespread attention because of Miss Helen Gould's visit at the time of its commencement, and because of the large gift which she is reported to have given it, was founded in 1855 by anti-slavery Kentuckians. Since the war colored pupils have been admitted to all its privileges, the institution maintaining since that time the principle of equality. It is also coeducational, and is not under sectarian control.

### Tartars Are the Rolling Class.

The Tartars, who overthrew the native Chinese dynasty of China in 1644, are the ruling class in China. There are in the neighborhood of 10,000,000 Tartars in the empire. The "Chinese pigtail" dates from the Tartar invasion, when the Tartars forced the Chinese to grow cues after the Tartar custom as a mark of subjection. Thousands of Chinese were killed for refusing to plait their hair. There are, or were until recently, less than 12,000 foreigners permanently residents in China.

### How Old Is China?

If the Chinese themselves are to be believed, the Chinese empire has been in existence for more than 100,000 years. Other students say that it was founded 2,500 years before Christ, and by some Fohi, supposed to be the Noah of the Bible, is considered the founder. The great wall of China, portions of which are still in evidence, was completed 211 B. C. Printing is said to have been known in China as early as 202 B. C. In 1662 an earthquake shook the empire and 500,000 people were killed at Pekin alone.

## OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

In a wreck at McDonough, Ga., 35 persons were killed.

The National Association of Elocutionists is in session at St. Louis.

A cloudburst at Poplar Bluff, Mo., imprisoned a church congregation for several hours.

It is rumored that the farmers of Kansas and Oklahoma are forming a combine to bull wheat.

Franciscans of the United States will meet at Cleveland, O., to settle the question of moving Denver monastery. Cologne, Germany, was visited by a severe storm, which demolished many buildings and injured several persons.

An excursion train was wrecked near Green Bay, Wis., killing six persons and injuring 35 others. One is missing.

A maniac at Cedar Rapids, Ia., killed one man, fatally wounded another, injured two women and then committed suicide.

Maj. Charles M. Schaefer, late of the Fourteenth Minnesota volunteers, killed himself in a cemetery at New Prague, Minn.

S. A. Calwell, aged 52 years, died at his home four miles north of Mound City, Ill., Sunday. He was a leading farmer and fruit grower.

John P. Sendelbeck, a prominent merchant at Waterloo, Ill., was poisoned by an overdose of medicine. He is in a critical condition.

All forage crops and corn are in a serious condition in Kansas. Chinch bugs are destroying millet and oats, and corn is suffering for rain.

Four men lost their lives in the Champion (Mich.) mine explosion Saturday evening. It was reported at first that but one life was lost.

Brig.-Gen. Jos. Wheeler, who is to assume command of the department of the lakes, has arrived at Chicago, accompanied by his two daughters.

The American charge d'affaires at Constantinople has presented a fresh note to the Turkish government, demanding payment of the indemnity.

The Cherokee Indians oppose the census enumerators with rifles, believing that it is a scheme to allot their lands, to which they are opposed. It is understood that the marriage of Lady Randolph Churchill to Lieut. George Cornwallis-West of the Scots guards will take place quietly in London, Wednesday.

Sheriff Morrison of Washita county, Okla., and a posse were ambushed by the Casey gang of horse thieves. The sheriff was dangerously wounded, and two of his deputies killed.

J. Nelson, of Keokuk, Ia., a deck-hand on the steamer Henrietta, fell overboard as the steamer, carrying an excursion from Hannibal, landed at Quincy, Ill., Sunday, and was drowned.

A tornado in Oklahoma blotted out three lives and injured four persons. The fatalities occurred in a house which contained 16 men and which was carried 200 feet and then dropped in a heap.

There was a cloudburst at Waterloo, Ill., and vicinity Sunday. Great damage was done to growing wheat, corn and oats. Over 500 acres of wheat in shock, in low bottom lands, was washed away.

According to the government observatory's representatives, Pittsburgh, Pa., was the hottest spot in the United States Sunday. The maximum point was reached about 5 p. m., when 94 was registered.

Ten thousand persons were present at the semi-centennial anniversary of the Eden Theological college on Hunt road, near St. Louis, Sunday. Emperor William of Germany sent a cablegram of congratulation.

The heavy rains of the last few days have flooded the country about Mulberry Grove, Ill. All the crops in Hurricane Creek bottom have been destroyed. Much of the corn on the uplands is ruined on account of the water.

## DAMAGE BY FIRE AND WATER.

The American Restaurant and Other Concerns Burned or Drowned Out at Chicago.

Chicago, June 25.—Fire and water did \$60,000 worth of damage to the building and contents at 201-11 State street.

The building was occupied by a number of concerns, of which the American restaurant was the heaviest sufferer, sustaining a loss of \$10,000. A woman was carried down a ladder from the third story by a fireman, Michael Ehret, captain of an engine company, was badly cut by falling glass.

## AT HIS LONG ISLAND HOME.

Gov. Roosevelt Denies Himself to All Visitors Except Those Having Appointments.

New York, June 25.—Gov. Roosevelt, at his Long Island home, denied himself to all visitors except those having previous appointments. He said he expected to have a talk during the day with Henry C. Payne, vice-chairman of the Republican national committee. Mr. Payne's mission to Cove Neck was understood to advise Gov. Roosevelt of Chairman Hanna's plans for opening the campaign.

## Killed His Three Assassilants.

Wichita, Kas., June 25.—At Granite, a new town in Greer county, Cattle Inspector Jeff Gilmroe, Bill Anderson, another man and a woman engaged in a game of cards. They quarreled and drew guns. Gilmroe shot and killed his three assailants.

## Prominent Billiard Expert Dead.

Chicago, June 25.—W. H. Wade, an expert billiard player, and by many considered as the best bank shot in America, is dead at his home in this city. He was born in Boston in 1840.

## IN A POSITION OF PERIL.

The International Force at Present Available in China is Totally Inadequate.

## VICE-ADMIRAL SEYMOUR AND PARTY.

Alarm for Their Safety and for Those Released in Tien Tsin Remains Unalloyed—India Sending Reinforcements of Infantry, Cavalry and Artillery.

London, June 25, 2:19 p. m.—Although the powers at last seem conscious of the magnitude of the Chinese peril, and are concertedly hurrying forces to Taku, the international troops available to overcome the immediate perils of the situation are, apparently, totally inadequate.

The alarm, not only for the safety of Vice-Admiral Seymour and his party, who are not mentioned in any of the dispatches purporting to come from Pekin, but for his base at Tien Tsin, remains unrelieved. Almost the only ray of light is the report of Sheng, the director of railroads and telegraphs, forwarded by the French consul general at Shanghai, to the effect that the legations were safe June 19, and preparing to leave the capital with the consent of the Chinese government.

But the motives for the Chinese officials in keeping the powers appeased by reassuring messages is too obvious to allow the unreserved acceptance of the statements.

Tien Tsin Hard Pressed.

Tien Tsin is so hard pressed that it must be relieved before assistance can be sent to Seymour's force. The absence of the exact dates of the last dispatch from Taku, and other messages, makes it difficult to connect the various stories, but some of the dispatches might be read as indicating that even the large force mentioned by Rear-Admiral Kempf as about to start towards Tien Tsin has met the same fate as the combined American and Russian column which was repulsed June 21.

## Reinforcements From India.

India is sending eight battalions of infantry, a cavalry regiment, artillery and engineers as a fighting force, besides two battalions to guard communications.

## By Orders of the Czar.

The official Gazette of St. Petersburg contains an order of the czar, as follows:

"As we consider it necessary to raise the troops in the Amur military district to a war footing, we direct the war minister to take the requisite measures. At the same time, we direct that the necessary number of reserves belonging to the Siberian Amur district shall be called out for active service."

## FROM REAR-ADMIRAL BRUCE.

Tien Tsin Has Been Fighting for Life Ever Since Being Invested.

London, June 25, 3 p. m.—The admiralty has received the following dispatch from Rear-Admiral Bruce, dated Taku, via Che Foo, June 24:

"The total force which left Tien Tsin with the commander-in-chief for Pekin was about 2,000, composed of detachments from the allied ships. No action could possibly be taken to relieve the commander-in-chief, because it was only known that he was cut off by Tien Tsin being invested."

"Tien Tsin has been fighting for its life ever since. It was on receipt of this information, that the Chinese army had ordered trains for attacking Tien Tsin; that they were ravaging Tong-Ku, and reinforcing Taku, as well as mining the mouth of the Pei-Ho, that it was promptly determined to seize Taku. Since then every effort has been made to relieve Tien Tsin. I have commandeered a small coasting steamer for taking troops and sick and wounded across the bay to Wei-Hai-Wei, where I intend making a temporary base hospital and asylum for refugees."

## THE WATER SHIP ARETHUSE.

She is Being Prepared for Active Service in Chinese Waters.

Philadelphia, June 25.—Under orders from the navy department, a large force of men began the work of preparing for active service the water-carrying ship Arethuse, which has been in reserve at League Island since the close of the Spanish-American war. The Arethuse is to be sent to Chinese waters, and officials at the League Island navy yard expect to have her ready within ten days.

Every available part of the ship will be filled with coal, as ballast, and she is expected to carry about 3,500 tons to the American warships at China.

Lieut. Gill, formerly in charge of the hydrographic office in this city, who has been on sick leave, has been ordered to proceed immediately to the Asiatic station, there to report to Rear-Admiral Remy.

## French Reinforcements.

Paris, June 25, 11:25 a. m.—The French consul-general at Shanghai, telegraphing Sunday, reported that the Chinese minister of railroads and telegraphs has informed him that all foreign ministers and foreigners at Pekin were safe, Tuesday, June 19, and were preparing to leave with the authority of the Chinese government.

## To Be Hoped It Is True.

Paris, June 25.—An official dispatch received here from Saigon (the capital of French Cochinchina) says the French armored cruiser Vauban and

the transport Caravane have sailed north with 500 marines and a battery of artillery.

## THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Information Continues So Unimportant that Gen. Ian Hamilton's Fracture Furnishes a Text.

London, June 25, 3:22 p. m.—The information from South Africa continues so unimportant that the afternoon newspapers here are trying to make a sensation out of Gen. Ian Hamilton breaking his collar bone by a fall from his horse.

Gen. Warren wires that the rebellion has been extinguished in the north of Cape Colony, but he does not mention the capture or dispersal of the considerable Boer force which has been occupying that part of the country.

Interest mostly centers in the Orange River Colony, where Gen. De Wet is causing the British much annoyance.

## Prisoners With the Boers.

New York, June 25.—The Tribune's London correspondent cables: "The Boers have 1,350 prisoners on the Delagoa Bay line, and possibly about 800 in the Orange River colony, which were taken at the Rhenoster river. Lords Lietrim and Ennis Moore have been taken north with other members of the millionaire's battalion."

## Dispatch From Gen. Roberts.

London, June 25.—The following dispatch has been received at the war office from Lord Roberts:

"Pretoria Presidency, June 25.—Clements successfully engaged a body of Boers yesterday near Wynberg, where he had gone to pick up supplies and some heavy guns preparatory to acting in combination with columns from Lindley, Heilbron and Heidelberg. He drove the enemy north of Sand Spruit, with loss. No casualties are reported."

"Ian Hamilton reports that Heidelberg is the most English town he has yet seen. The inhabitants gave him a great reception. The streets were crowded and decorated with bunting."

## SOUTHERN RAILWAY WRECK.

It Is Believed Now That the Death List Will Reach Forty—One—Repairing the Road.

Atlanta, Ga., June 25.—Additional reports received here from the scene of the wreck on the Macon branch of the Southern railway, at MacDonough, show that the list of dead will probably number 41. The number of the guig of section hands which was on the wrecked train is not known. As the work of removing the wreckage proceeded, bodies of negro laborers were found under the debris, and several have been recovered along the banks of the creek. They have not been identified. The entire gang was killed. Six bodies were brought here to await instructions from relatives as to their disposition.

The work of repairing the road bed is proceeding and traffic will be resumed.

## NANCY HANKS MEMORIAL.

Movement in Indiana to Make the Memorial One of Permanent Utility.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 25.—A movement has been started in this state to combine the two enterprises of erecting a monument to Nancy Hanks, the mother of Abraham Lincoln, and of establishing a national school of domestic science. The proposition is "to build a great training school for teachers of domestic science near the grave of the woman whose whole life was spent in the home, and whose influence, so potent in the future history of the country, was exerted in the home."

Many prominent persons are interested in the movement.

## UP TO FULL WAR STRENGTH.

The Sixth Cavalry to Be Filled to the Limit Before Sailing for the Philippines.

San Francisco, June 25.—An order from Adjt.-Gen. Corbin has been received at the Presidio directing that the troops of the Sixth cavalry shall be recruited to their full war strength. In view of the fact that this organization was ordered, recently, to proceed to Manila, and the order to recruit to the limit is sent some time later, the opinion is expressed that the regiment is to be sent to China instead of the Philippines. The recruits will be selected from those now at the Presidio.

## NAVAL NOMENCLATURE.

Names Authorized by the Secretary of the Navy for New Battleships and Cruisers.

Washington, June 25.—The secretary has authorized the following names for the new battleships and cruisers:

Battleships—Virginia and Rhode Island.

Armored Cruisers—Maryland, Colorado and South Dakota.

Protected Cruisers—St. Louis, Milwaukee and Charleston.

## A Series of Accidents.

Chicago, June 25.—Several electric cars on the Evanston line were derailed Sunday afternoon and evening. In all four persons were seriously injured, and several hundred received a severe shaking up.

## Resumed Operations.

Columbus, O., June 25.—The big steel plant here, which was shut down a week ago, has resumed operations with a full force.

## SALISBURY IS HOPEFUL.

The British Premier Not Inclined to Take Too Gloomy a View of the Crisis.

## HOPES THE PROBLEM WILL BE SOLVED.

In Spite of the Alarming Reports He Clings to the Hope that the Solution May Be Reached Without Involving China, as a Whole, in the Horrors of War.

London June 25.—Lord Salisbury is still hopeful that the Chinese crisis will be solved without war against that country as a whole. In spite of the alarming reports, he inclines to the belief that the government of China, in some satisfactory form, will shortly be able to reassess itself. He does not mean that he belittles the professions of the various viceroy who have given notice of their willingness to co-operate with the united forces. Without committing himself to a definite view of the future, he appears averse to any scheme of territorial indemnity which, when order is restored, might be suggested by the powers who have suffered during the uprising.

The interview of the United States ambassador, Mr. Joseph H. Choate, with Lord Salisbury, Saturday, was due to instructions received from Secretary Hay, in which the ambassador was notified of the friendly professions of the various viceroys, and was instructed to secure Lord Salisbury's views beyond casual conversation. Mr. Choate had not mentioned the crisis in the far east until he received Secretary Hay's cable message. The ambassador discovered the British premier's views were exactly as frequently represented in these dispatches. He maintained the belief that the diplomats at Pekin had not been massacred, and did not believe they were likely to be. He is eminently satisfied with the action already taken by the United States, and expressed the same views as the cable dispatches attribute to Secretary Hay.

In short the conference may be said to have not elicited a single point on which Lord Salisbury differed from the American attitude, and while he expressed his determination to use every endeavor to restore order in the Pei Ho valley and extricate the diplomats, his estimate of the situation was tinged with a spirit of hopefulness that contrasted greatly with the general tone of the British press.

The British premier did not discuss the eventual settlement, and the likelihood of a partition of China, etc., and it may be reiterated that this phase of the situation has not yet been made the subject of an exchange of views between any of the nations. Judging from the account of what passed between Mr. Choate and Lord Salisbury, the statement recently made by the foreign office, that Great Britain and the other nations, so far as the foreign office knew, were confining all their energies and deliberations solely to the present predicament, is a sincere statement of fact. If Russia, Japan or any other power has an ulterior object in making capital out of the trouble in China, Lord Salisbury does not appear to be aware of it.

## To Amend the Goebel Election Law.

Frankfort, Ky., June 25.—Democratic leaders announce that the democratic convention at Lexington July 19 is certain to pass a resolution asking Gov. Beckham to call an extra session of the legislature in order to modify the Goebel election law so it may be in operation in amended form at the November election.

## Ora Havill's Threat.

St. Louis, June 25.—Ora Havill, the imported employe of the Transit company, under arrest for hatching dynamite plots, told a reporter that when released from jail he would talk unreservedly, and his talk would "warm enough" for the whole push, referring to his employers, the St. Louis Transit Co.

## Cubans and Spaniards Strike.

Havana, June 25.—A strike has occurred among the laborers employed by the Havana Electric Co. The Cubans and Spaniards employed claim that the Americans received 40 cents a day more than they. To this the contractors reply that Americans are worth far more than Cubans as workmen.

## Alabama Cotton Injured.

Birmingham, Ala., June 25.—Recent heavy rains have done great damage in Alabama. It has rained every day this month here, the total rainfall, since April 1, being 24.92 inches, as compared with an average annual rainfall of about 45 inches. Cotton is badly damaged.

## Chicago Newspaper Man Dead.

Chicago, June 25.—Martin J. Russell, one of the proprietors and editor of the Chicago Chronicle, and for many years identified with the management of Chicago newspapers, died last night at Mackinaw Island, from a complication of diseases.

## Crops Badly Damaged.

St. Louis, June 25.—Dispatches from various points in Illinois, Missouri and Oklahoma report much damage to the wheat and corn crops from cloudbursts and severe windstorms, while western and central Kansas is suffering from extreme drought.

## Carpet Mill Burned.

Philadelphia, June 25.—The carpet mill of Maudland & Sons was destroyed by fire. Loss between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

## World to End This Year.

This is the recent decision of one of the prominent societies of the world, but the exact day has not yet been fixed upon, and while there are very few people who believe this prediction, there are thousands of others who not only believe, but know that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the best medicine to cure dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, biliousness or liver and kidney troubles. A fair trial will certainly convince you of its value.

## Maudie Again.

Maud Muller, raking hay one day, was caught in a rainstorm, so they say: The rain came down in a perfect flood; Said Maud: "I guess my name is Mud!"—Philadelphia Record.

## "Land of the Sky"

In Western North Carolina, between the Blue Ridge on the east and the Alleghenies on the west, in the beautiful valley of the French Broad, two thousand feet above the sea, lies Asheville, beautiful, picturesque and world-famed as one of the most pleasant resorts in America. It is a land of bright skies and incomparable climate, whose praises have been sung by poets, and whose beauties of stream, valley and mountain heights have furnished subject and inspiration for the painter's brush. This is truly the "Land of the Sky," and there is perhaps no more beautiful region on the continent to attract pleasure tourists or health seekers. Convenient schedules and very low rates to Asheville via Southern Railway.

## TO WOMEN WHO DOUBT.

Every Suffering Woman Should Read this Letter and Be Convinced that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Does Cure Female Weakness.

"I have been troubled with female weakness in its worst form for about ten years. I had leucorrhoea and was so weak that I could not do my housework. I also had falling of the womb and inflammation of the womb and ovaries and at menstrual periods I suffered terribly. At times my back would ache very hard. I could not lift anything or do any heavy work; was not able to stand on my feet. My husband spent hundreds of dollars for doctors but they did me no good. After a time I concluded to try your medicine and I can truly say it does all that you claim for it to do."

Ten bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and seven packages of Sanative Wash have made a new woman of me. I have had no more trouble since taking the fifth bottle. I weigh more than I have in years; can do all my own housework, sleep well, have a good appetite and now feel that life is worth living. I owe all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I feel that it has saved my life and would not be without it for anything. I am always glad to recommend your medicine to all my sex, for I know if they follow your directions, they will be cured."—MRS. ANNIE THOMPSON, South Hot Springs, Ark.



## When Half Sick

When you feel badly it is always wise to take a liver remedy. An inactive liver, by allowing waste matter to accumulate, is the cause of nearly all ordinary ills. You are half sick because you are half poisoned.

## Storm's Liver Regulator

is a wonderful liver remedy. It will do more for you than you expect, unless you remember how much the liver does. It strengthens and controls the liver, cures constipation, headache, dyspepsia, chills, rheumatism and debility. Benefits almost from the first dose. Money back if it fails. Price 50 cents.

Sold by All Druggists.

Prepared by JAMES S. ROBINSON, Memphis, Tenn.

When the eye is in trouble use a reliable remedy.

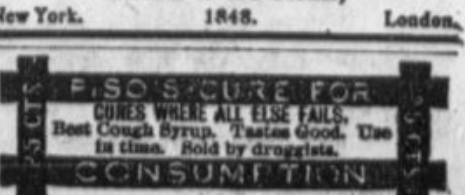


## Mitchell's Eye Salve

is a wonderful reliever of sore, weak and inflamed eyes. One bottle usually effects a complete cure.

Price 25 cents. All druggists.

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# The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

The Court of Appeals of this State has decided that it is not unlawful for the osteopaths to practice their method of healing.

If reports be true, the Democrats will have no money for campaign purposes this year. The hotel keepers at Kansas City will get it all.

This is rather a stormy season, but some of the gentlemen who were candidates for the Democratic nomination for governor last year have no lightning road up. They are safe.

Now that the canker worm, the mildew and the growth have all taken an active part in destroying a large per cent of the wheat crop, if the price of the remaining portion advances, let no one claim credit for the result of the work of God; done through the aforesaid agencies.

It is stated that a resolution will be submitted to the Democratic State convention at Lexington requesting Gov. Beckham to call an extra session of the Legislature to consider amendments to the election law. We are decidedly for amending the law—when the L. & N. and other corporations agree to spend no money in influencing votes.

The enormous campaign contributions are the cause of more unfairness and debauchery in elections than any election law that has been or ever will be enacted. We talk about the "battle of the ballots," but it's the battle of the dollars, and until this practice, custom or habit is checked, most any kind of old election law will do, for it is not the will of the people to be accurately registered, but the pulling power of the dollar to be tested.

We insist that there is no occasion whatever for bitter words, much less a quarrel, between Democrats over the candidacy of any of the aspirants for the nomination for governor. All of the gentle-

## FIFTY YEARS OLD

Why let your neighbors know it? And why give them a chance to guess you are even five or ten years more? Better give them good reasons for guessing the other way. It is very easy; for nothing tells of age so quickly as gray hair.

## Ayer's Hair Vigor

is a youth-renewer. It hides the age under a luxuriant growth of hair the color of youth. It never fails to restore color to gray hair. It will stop the hair from coming out also. It feeds the hair bulbs. Thin hair becomes thick hair, and short hair becomes long hair. It cleanses the scalp; removes all dandruff, and prevents its formation. We have a book on the Hair which we will gladly send you. If you do not obtain all the benefit you expected from the use of the Vigor, write the doctor about it. Probably there is some difficulty with your general system, which may be easily removed. Address: Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

# HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

## Eradicates Scrofula

Subdues and heals Salt Rheum, cures Boils, removes Pimples and Eruptions, gives fair, clear, complexion. It thoroughly purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood.

men announced are worthy and capable, and any effort to advance the interest of one by belittling the others is an undemocratic method of campaigning. We had enough of that last year. It is now a question of availability, and in the discussion of this question, there is no necessity for bitterness.

The advanced sheet of the Financial Review informs us that the per capita of money in circulation during May, 1900, was \$26.71, and that the per capita in 1896 was \$21.15. This increase, if the figures are right, with the advantages to business it brings, clearly demonstrates that Mr. Bryan's contention in 1896 that the per capita was too small, was correct. If he were correct on that proposition, which was so bitterly denied by the gold standard advocates at that time, why was he not correct in his other contentions?

We trust that all readers of the News are following the mining developments in Livingston and Crittenden counties. Nothing of greater importance has occurred to Kentucky since the war than the discovery of zinc in these counties, and the starting up of the iron furnace here. Both are forerunners of tremendous industrial development that will draw the eyes of the country to this portion of the state. In a year from today Paducah will be talked about as much as Birmingham was in her boom days.—Paducah News. Crittenden and Livingston counties are very much gratified to feel that they are appreciated by the metropolis of the Purchase, and it is furthermore a source of pleasure to know that we possess the material accomplishments that will add to the beauty and wealth of the fair city, but we beg to inform the News that Paducah is not the "only pebble on the beach," and that in a year Marion and Salem will be called for as often as any other dish on the menu. Really if the Paducahans want to enjoy the fullest mead of Crittenden and Livingston's prosperity, they had better move up here while there is room on the ground floor.

## ATTENTION DEMOCRATS.

In pursuance to the order of the Democratic State Committee, the Democrats of each voting precinct of Crittenden county are hereby called to meet at their respective voting places at 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday July 14, for the purpose of appointing delegates to a county convention to be held at Marion on Monday, July 16, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State convention, which will be held at Lexington, July 19, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for governor to be voted for at the November election 1900. The basis of representation for precinct delegates shall be one vote for each 50 votes and fraction over 25 cast for Bryan electors in 1896.

All persons who will at the November election, 1900, be legal voters in this State, who are devoted to the principles of the Democratic party and desire to see those principles succeed, and who by participating in the precinct conventions will feel in honor bound to support the nominees of the Democratic National Convention, shall have the right and are hereby invited to participate in the said meetings.

Upon the basis of this call, the precincts in this county will be entitled to delegates to the county

convention as follows:

Marion, No. 1.....	2
Marion, No. 2.....	2
Marion, No. 3.....	2
Marion, No. 4.....	2
Dycusburg.....	5
Union.....	3
Sheridan.....	1
Tolu.....	4
Fords Ferry.....	2
Bells Mines.....	5
Piney.....	4

Remember the dates.

Precinct conventions July 14, at 2 p. m.

County convention July 16, at 2 p. m.

State convention July 19.

L. W. CRUCE,  
Chairman Co. Com.

## Tell Tale Corner.

Happenings Among the Young People—Edited by Four of Them.

Miss Minnie Campbell is visiting Zena Hubbard.

Miss Kitty Gray is visiting relatives in Henderson.

Our young friend John Langley makes several trips every day to Paris.

Miss Jordana Gregg, of Norwood, O., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Carrie Maxwell.

All persons who desire instructions in tennis playing should see Mr. P. D. Maxwell.

Miss Cora Clifton, of Dycusburg, is visiting Misses Lillie Doss and Stella Thurman.

Dean Woods returned yesterday from Dycusburg, where he has been working on the telephone line.

Miss Carrie Moore chaperoned a crowd that went to Evansville by boat to attend Ringlings circus.

John Travis was out of town Sunday. From reliable resources we learn that he was somewhere in Livingston county—probably in Salem.

If you have neckties, old or new, of which you have grown tired, ring 'phone No. 0. You will find the managers always ready to make an exchange.

Lonna Towery, the popular young gentleman who attended school here last year, was in the city Monday meeting his numerous friends.

Miss Rosa Kevil, who only a few weeks ago carried off a first class certificate in Fayette county, has repeated this commendable act in Crittenden county.

A new secret society has been organized in this city. There are only four members and no more will be admitted. The society is known as "The Knights of Mystery," or "The Invincible Quartette."

A most remarkable change has come over our friend, the youthful Deputy Circuit Clerk. He has not until recently been attending Sunday night church services, but now he is regular in his attendance and generally persuades someone to come with him.

We would not be surprised to hear that the noted scientist, F. J. Fohs will be a candidate for State Geologist. Every hill in the county has been overturned by Mr. Fohs, and relics and fossils of the early days of creation have once more been brought into the light of day.

Miss Leaffa Wilborn has secured the position as assistant teacher of the Fredonia school. Miss Leaffa is one of our most popular young ladies and her many friends congratulate her on her success and can assure the people of Fredonia that no better teacher could have been secured.

Miss Lelia Dupuy entertained a few of her young friends at her home on Salem street, Monday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent by playing crokinole and other games, and at a late hour refreshments were served. Miss Lelia proved to be a delightful hostess.

Last Thursday evening a crowd of young people went to that famous resort known as Crittenden Springs to take supper. When they were making arrangements to start home a certain young man went for his horse, but found that the animal had become impatient and had left for parts unknown. So two were boarders.

A sallow, jaundiced skin is a symptom of disordered liver, as it springs from biliary poisons retained in the blood, which destroy energy, cheerfulness, strength, vigor, happiness and life. HERBINE will restore the natural functions of the liver. Price 50 cents at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

DEAR EDITOR:—Realizing as I do that your paper has all that it can publish, I deem it courteous to ask a little space in its columns to return my heartfelt thanks to those of Marion for their kindness to me during my husband's long illness. To say that I feel thankful to them will not half express what I feel; words fail to do their work when I make the attempt to thank those who stood by me with helping hands and loving hearts from the beginning to the close of my husband's illness and death.

Yours sincerely,  
MARY KIRK.

## Steady Girl Wanted.

Several young men complain that they have no steady girl. It seems that they no sooner get fairly started with a girl, probably have the theatre tickets all bought, when the girl "can't go because she has a sick headache."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup of Pepsin cures all forms of Stomach Trouble and Sick Headache.

Girls—"A word to the wise," etc. Your friends, Orme and Haynes.

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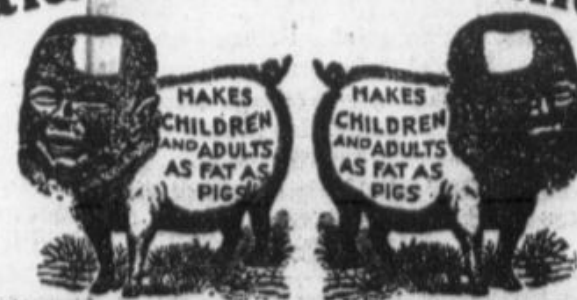
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**The Jeweler AND Optician**  
At Orme's.

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## Big Bargain at Kelsey, Ky.

\$3000 stock of General Merchandise, store room and residence for sale cheap for cash, or will exchange for a farm. I mean business.

J. M. McCHESNEY.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons indebted to me, that a settlement must be made, and that without further delay. This is the last notice, and unless promptly heeded, the matter will be placed in the hands of an officer. Come in and avoid the cost.

J. L. RANKIN,  
Fords Ferry.

Hardly a day passes, in families where there are children, in which B. A. L. LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is not needed. It quickly cures Cuts, Wounds, Blisters, Burns and Scalds. Price 25c and 50 cts at Orme's drugstore.

The June number of all Leading Magazines for sale at Haynes' drug store.

For relief and comfort in Asthma BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP has no equal. Price 25c and 50c at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

## We Want All the Wool in Crittenden County.

Bring us your eggs and Poultry and get the highest Cash Prices.

Don't forget that we sell the Best and Cheapest Groceries in the town.

We will sell ice to the retail trade, our wagon will be around every morning. See us before you engage your ice for the season.

**HEARIN & SON,**

## The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Seabee will vote on the saloon question Aug. 30.

Rev. Robt. Johnson, of Kuttawa was in town yesterday.

Mr. Harvey Elder was quite sick the first of the week.

Rev. Willis Brown will move to Sikeston, Mo., this week.

Mrs. C. E. Weldon, of Fulton, is visiting friends in Marion.

Mr. A. Dewey has rented Newcom residence on Depot street.

Mrs. Jennie Harth, of Caseyville was the guest of friends in Marion Sunday.

Mrs. Sue Dobson, of Kelsey, was the guest of friends in Marion Monday.

FOR RENT:—A residence on North Main Street. Apply to J. H. Walker.

There were some 12 or 15 guests at guests at Crittenden Springs last week.

Mrs. J. B. Hubbard was the guest of friends at Shady Grove last week.

Mrs. Sarah Campbell, of Kuttawa, is the guest of Mr. J. N. Boston's family.

Mrs. Sam'l Gentry, of New Harmony, Ind., is visiting friends in this section.

Three colored applicants for teachers' certificates were examined Friday and Saturday.

Messrs. A. C. Moore and W. B. Yandell and their families were in Evansville Saturday.

Mr. Chas. Linley and Mrs. Chas. Gregory left Monday for their home at Atchison, Kan.

BRICK:—We now have brick for sale, at the old yard.

JACKSON, LEWIS & CO.

I have two yoke of good oxen and three milk cows for sale.

JNO. P. REED.

Last week, Mr. J. W. Waggoner sold the Mathews mineral lease, near Frances, to the Eagle Spar Co.

Mr. J. C. Millar returned last week from New York, where he was called by the death of his brother.

Mrs. W. C. Carnahan returned from Livingston county Saturday, where she spent several weeks with relatives.

Si Taylor's famous band, of Henderson, will be at Crittenden Springs this week to remain through the season.

People that like good coffee always buy White Star coffee as it is the best.

J. D. Boaz.

Dr. Dixon's trade for a home in Evansville was not consummated, and his moving to that city may be delayed until fall.

Mrs. Nina Howerton was called to her father's home last week by the serious illness and death of her little sister, Reta Wilcox.

FOR SALE:—Two 3-year-old and one 2-year old horses, or will trade for rough lumber.

J. N. BOSTON.

B. F. Mouser, druggist at Chetopa, Kansas, says: "I have the best sale on Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin of any article in my store." So has J. H. Orme and R. F. Haynes. It cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache and Stomach Trouble.

The popular Circuit Clerk of Livingston county, Mr. J. C. Parsons, and Miss Nellie Dixon, of Cumberland City, Tenn., were united in marriage at the bride's home Tuesday.

Mr. T. F. Newcom expects to leave Friday for Washington to begin work as a clerk in the census department. His family will go to Dyousburg to remain with her father for the present.

If you don't drink

## Cook's Beer!

You don't drink the best. That's all.

For sale only by C. E. DOSS & CO.

The Magnet Laundry still leads. It does the best work.

MARKHAM TERRY.

Four year old Monarch, \$2 per gallon or 50c a quart—hand made sour mash at C. E. Doss & Co.

Rev. E. C. Leeper will preach for the Rev. J. F. Price at the C. P. church next Sunday, at the usual hours.

Mr. W. R. Cruce, the handsome and affable traveling salesman for the National Lead Co., is at home for a brief rest.

Mr. G. W. Friar, of Boardley, Union county, was in town Monday. He is blind and came over to see his pension attorney.

All goods are alike to Putnam Fadeless Dyes, as they color all fibers at one boiling. Sold by Glenn & Deboe, Crayneville, Ky.

Goods delivered to all parts of the city promptly and free of charge.

'Phone 47. J. D. Boaz.

FOR SALE:—I have four good milk cows with young calves for sale. Two miles east of Salem.

T. A. HARPENDING.

To those who drink whiskey for pleasure; HARPER Whiskey adds zest to existence. To those who drink whiskey for health's sake; HARPER Whiskey makes life worth living. Sold by J. H. Orme, Marion Ky.

Senator Deboe and family reached home Monday. Since the adjournment of Congress Mrs. Deboe and daughter have been at Atlanta City and the Senator was in New York until the convention, when he and his family were in Philadelphia.

Now if any of your family are suffering with Chills and Fever, aching of the bones, Jaundice, Biliousness, or any other symptoms of Malarial Poison, we earnestly solicit you to try a 50 cent bottle of Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup, for it used according to directions we know it will cure. No Cure, No Pay. Sold by agent in every town and by J. H. Orme.

Of the eighteen who were examined for certificates to teach two weeks ago, four secured first-class. These were M. F. Pogue, 92 and three-elevenths; E. J. Travis, 89 and one-eleventh; Miss Rosa Kevil 87 and four-elevenths; Miss Ida Duvall, 85. Nine made second class certificates and five failed.

Miss Reta Wilcox, the eleven year old daughter of W. E. Wilcox, the well-known teacher, died at her home in the Mattoon neighborhood Thursday night after ten weeks illness of typhoid fever. She was a bright, promising child, and her death was a sad blow to the family and the many friends.

All of the dirt and rubbish that partly filled the Columbia mines has been removed and the workmen are down about 100 feet, opening up the drifts. Mr. Zahlin, a smelting expert from New Salem, Ill., is here for the purpose of examining the ores of this mines, and, we understand, that some very rich samples have been taken out.

Mr. Pickens, wife of Mr. Joel A. C. Pickens, died at her home in Marion Monday night, after two weeks illness of flux. She was buried at Sugar Grove Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Pickens was an excellent christian lady, and many friends will mourn her death, and deeply sympathize with the husband, who sustains such an irreplaceable loss.

If its prompt service and the best work you want, the Magnet laundry is the one for you to patronize.—MARKHAM TERRY.

Pure white corn whiskey, hand made sour mash, \$2 per gallon or 50c per quart.

C. E. Doss & Co.

Boaz's White Star Grocery has engaged the services of Mr. Joe Randolph, who will always greet you with a pleasant smile and courteous treatment.

Mr. A. Ziff, the New York Store man has moved his stock of goods to Marion and is now ready to do business at his old stand west of the Post-office.

A few nights ago Mr. J. E. Thomas, near Crittenden Springs, found a note addressed to him and near his door, telling him that if he did not discharge his farm hand he would be waited upon with switches. Naturally Mr. Thomas is very indignant; he is a law-abiding, peaceful citizen and this threat is a violation of law that he will have probed to the bottom.

Dr. W. T. Daughtery, of Sheridan, has arranged to locate in Marion, and for the present his office will be with Dr. Dixon. He has been unable to secure a residence, and will board with ex-County Judge J. A. Moore. He came up Monday. Dr. Daughtery is one of the promising young physicians of the county, and stands well with the members of the profession, and is appreciated by the people of among whom he has been located for the past two years.

Mr. Sep. Haynes, formerly of this place, but now of DeLand, Fla., and Miss Nonie Wallace, of the same state, were united in marriage at Cypress, N. C., last week, and came to Marion, where they will spend several weeks before returning to the Florida home. Mr. Haynes is a brother of our good citizens Messrs. H. A. and R. F. Haynes, and he has many friends in Marion who wish him and his bonnie bride all the happiness that young hopeful, people anticipate.

In the Episcopal church at Forkland, Ala., June 20, Mr. Alfred Glover, Jr., and Miss Edna Cossitt were united in marriage. The bride is the daughter of Dr. T. H. Cossitt, of this place, and she is one of Marion's handsomest and most popular young ladies. We are not acquainted with the groom, but nevertheless extend him our congratulations upon his good fortune in winning the fair Kentuckian.

### County Court Orders.

Jeff Love, J. K. Campbell and Douglass Davis were appointed road overseers.

M. P. Jacobs and B. T. Curnel were granted license to peddle goods in this county.

### Marriage License.

June 20—John H. Hughes and Linnie E. Ashley.

June 20—Edwin Young and Gertie Cardin.

June 23—Robt. H. James and Mattie Gregory.

June 25—Allen W. Garrett and Fannie Lee Watson.

### Officers Elected.

L. Hardesty & Son, Mt. Eden Ky, says: "We consider Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup the best we ever sold. We sold 40 bottles of it this month and not a failure in the lot. In fact, when our doctors find a case hard to cure, they send to us for Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup and it never fails to cure. Sold by agent in every town and by J. H. Orme.

### Deeds Recorded.

E. H. Taylor's heirs to W. L. Taylor, 9 acres for \$90.50.

J. T. Elder to Jas. J. Fleming, house and lot for \$1,775.

John P. Swansey to W. R. Cruce 19 acres for \$570.

J. L. Settles to Jas. M. Threlkeld, five-eighths of an acre for \$10.

If the predisposition to worms in children is not cured they may become emaciated, weakly and in danger of convulsions. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is the most successful and popular remedy. Price 25c at Orme's.

## The New York Store

Will open up, one door west of the Post office, with a full line of

**Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gents Furnishing Goods,**

**...JULY 1...**

WE QUOTE YOU A FEW OF OUR PRICES.

Men's All-Wool Clay Worsted Suits	\$6.50
Men's Cassimer Suits.	\$2.50
Men's Shoes,	\$1.00
Men's Fine Shoes	\$1.25
Boys Shoes	\$1.00
Boys All-Wool Suits	\$1.50
Men's Overalls,	30cts
Men's Fine, All-Wool Pants	\$1.50

I have numerous other bargains. Call and see for yourself, give me a trial and you will be convinced that we are the people you are looking for.

Yours Respectfully

**A. ZIFF.**

Sell high—pass you by,  
Sell cheap, sell cheap.

## City Bakery!

Has employed an experienced GERMAN BAKER and is turning out the BEST BREAD ever sold in Marion.

We always have these fresh, pure goods on hand:

BREAD,	PIES,
BUNS.	LEMON WAFERS,
OAT MEAL CRACKERS,	FRENCH ROLLS,
GRAHAM CRACKERS,	LIGHT ROLLS,
(Nothing equals these for delicate stomachs)	COFFEE CAKES,
FROSTED HONEY	COCOANUT CAKES
CAKES,	GINGER SNAPS
NEWSBOY CAKES,	WEDDING CAKES
OLD FASHION GINGER CAKES.	made to order.

Nothing ever equalled the goods or the service we are now giving the public. Bread, Lunches, etc., for Picnics and Barbecues.

**THE CITY BAKERY,**

W. H. COPHER, Manager.

Lunches or Meals at all Hours.

## The Red Circle Pill

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

**WITHOUT A RIVAL.**

THE RED CIRCLE PILL does not nauseate, sicken or gripe. Try it once and you will never be without it. Sold only by

Druggist, **R. F. Haynes,** Marion

## Wool Carding...

**Marion Woolen Mills Begins business May 1**

Having thoroughly overhauled the machinery, making it practically as good new I will be ready to card wool on and after May 1. I have employed a carder more than 20 years experience. I can do the very best work, and guarantee a faction. I will pay freight to machine on all shipments of 100lbs or over. U with your neighbors and make this amount. Mark each bundle with own name and write full particulars as to way you want carded.

PRICE: 8 cents per pound or one-fourth toll.

**Mrs. May Doss,**



## AN AMERICAN BOY.

YOU say you were "born here—that settles the matter."

Not quite; perhaps much as the marching and noise, the burning of powder, the din and the clatter.

On Fourth of July makes soldiers of boys.

You see, the American standard was set quite high at the first, and it's rising still higher.

No American boy is allowed to forget That he cannot be great through the fame of his sire.

The men who are great on our history's page That speak of our work for our first hundred years.

Whose fame is increasing as age after age Rolls backward, to drown in the gulf of the years.

Are great from the fact that they stood for the right.

Regardless of person, of place, or of pelf; They battled each evil that rose into sight For the good of their fellows, forgetful of self.

This is what is expected. You may have been born

In the slums of a city, or far in the West "Amongst the shimmering plumes of the ripening corn;

Or first saw the light where a king's golden crest

Overshadowed the land; where the poor turned their eyes From their hovels, far out over mountain and wave.

To the sunset Republic, where liberty's skies Smiled down on the homes of the free and the brave.

Being born an American, can't be denied.

Gives a man a fair start on the highway of fame.

Or of wealth, or whatever else he may decide To deserve, to achieve and attach to his name.

But whoever would win must be ready to work;

He must earn and secure before he may enjoy;

In all the wide field there's no sheaf for the shirker—

It means this to be an American boy.

You may not be selected for perilous trips Over mountains and glaciers, or sail in the van

Of the fleet for entrapping an enemy's ships.

Then take to the waves on a catamaran.

But you must be ready, and stand by your guns.

Wherever you find them, as firm as the earth.

If you would be proved one of Uncle Sam's sons

By lawful adoption or fortunate birth.

Then hold your head high, your eyes on the stars

And stripes of our banner, your hand firm and sure;

You will win, though you carry an enemy's scars—

Like Galahad strong because you are pure.

Stand fast for the right. Look well to your ways!

Build your life of pure gold, with no grain of alloy;

Do your best if you'd win yourself loftiest praise.

And deserve to be called an American boy.

—Margaret Holmes Bates, in S. S. Times.

How WE DIDN'T CELEBRATE.

FOURTH OF JULY bade fair to be a dull day. The selectmen of our town had refused to appropriate

any money for a celebration, as it had been a very bad financial year, and for the same reason our own pocket money was in very limited sums, and our fathers were loud in the praise of the selectmen for not increasing the taxes for what they felt was a useless waste of money.

Had the times been good we knew our parents would have given us a generous supply of pocket money, and that they would have prevailed on the selectmen to give us some kind of celebration.

Thus the matter stood on the second of July, when we boys met in the acorn field to talk the matter over. None of us were disposed to take the same view of the matter as our parents, and we were open to any plan which would celebrate the day in a fitting manner. Plan after plan was proposed, only to be dropped for want of funds to carry it out. Finally one of the boys suggested that it would be a good idea to set fire to the old sawmill. That would make a splendid blaze, and as it was isolated from any other building, there would not be any danger of the fire spreading. The building was very old, and had not been used for many years, although the machinery was still in place. I am sorry to say that the idea was a catchy one, and was adopted by a unanimous vote, and four of us boys were elected a committee to put the matter through. When the committee met to talk the subject over, it was found that I was the only one who was thoroughly familiar with the building, and who therefore knew just where the best places were to fire the old ark, as it was commonly called.

I called the boys' attention to the fact that if we were caught setting fire to the building we would be put in jail, and that if I had anything to do with the thing, all the boys must be bound by cast-iron oath never to breathe a word of the matter. This was agreed to, and the following "oath" was written out and signed by all the boys who were in the secret.

"We, the undersigned members of the Celebration club, do

hereby swear and affirm that we will never reveal any of the doings of this club, or of its various committees, under penalty of having our shoes filled with boiling oil, our ears cut off and our eyes burned out with a red hot wire." This was signed by every member of the club, and was certainly very binding, and horrible enough to suit the fancy of 14-year-old boys.

After this was signed the committee appointed me chief of the four, and I arranged to explore the building that night alone, and make my report the next day as to the best places to start the fire. We then planned to set the fire in four places, each of the committee to apply the match just as the clock struck 12 on the night before the Fourth. I was to prepare my plans, and we were to meet at the acorn field at three o'clock on the afternoon of the third and hear my report of the whole plan.

At the age of 14 I think I must have been absolutely without a trace of fear in my make-up, for I never was known to hesitate to go into old buildings or on board old, deserted ships even when they were said to be haunted, in the middle of the night or at any time, and I had never seen anything to cause me to be afraid.

So it was arranged that I should make my plans that night, and I fully determined to do so. About one o'clock the next morning I stole out of the house and made my way to the old sawmill. It was a very dark night,

not a star to be seen, and the whole sky hung with black clouds, while occasionally a distant roll of thunder could be heard. I reached the mill without meeting anyone and crawled into a window. In the cellar, where the boiler-room was situated, was an old lantern that I had used many times to explore the dark rooms in the mill, and finding this I was just about to light it when I heard a noise that sounded like some one trying to force open the door where the logs used to be run in to the saw. Putting down my lantern I ran into the room where the door was situated, and sure enough there was a light shining through the crack of the door, showing that there was somebody at work in the old shoot. I ran noiselessly across the room and hid behind some old barrels which were piled up in the farther corner of the room. A moment later the old door swung in and two men came into the room.

"Now, ain't this just the place to hide 'em, Jack?" asked the first man to enter the room.

"Couldn't find a better, Jim," said his companion, looking around.

"Then let's bring the things in. They will be safe here, for I don't believe anyone has been in here for years except me. The place has the name of being haunted, but I guess I'm the only 'haunt' that ever was here," and the man laughed at his own joke, but his companion quickly held up the lantern which he carried, and as it flashed on his own face I could see that he was rather white. He did not say anything, however, and the two men went out, leaving the door open. In a few minutes they came back, bringing each a bag, which they put down in the farther corner of the room and covered with rubbish, with which the floor was covered. Then they started for the door again and the one who answered to the name of Jack said:

"Now we will go back to the boat, float down the river and stay on Crow Island all night, and keep in the woods all day. Then to-morrow night at 12 we will come in the big boat and take the swag and by daylight we will be well on towards New York."

"That's the plan, I guess," said Jim, "but I wish we had the big boat out the river now so we could get away to-night. They will be looking for us to-morrow, and we may have some trouble to get away without being seen."

"That's all right," said Jack; "I'm glad we didn't, for they would have seen the boat come in and then if it had gone off the same night they would have mistrusted that she had some connection with the robbery."

"Guess you are right, as usual, Jack, and your plan is the best. When the boat comes up to-morrow they will not of course suspect anything."

"No, that's just it. I have the plans all laid, as I told you before we cracked the crib. Johnson will sail up sometime to-morrow afternoon, go ashore in the city and buy some provisions, give out that he is a fisherman just put in for supplies, and say he will get away early next morning. They will suspect nothing there, and will be watching the depots and roads leading

out of the city and this town. No one will think of our coming in a boat, and our leaving this side will throw off every suspicion. I pride myself that this is a well worked up job."

"Right you are, Jack," said Jim, and they went out shutting the door tight after them.

I ran up the stairs and to a window looking out on the water, and watched the boat as it went slowly down the river. I watched about half an hour, then I went downstairs, lighted my lantern, and pulled off the stuff from the bags and took them into the boiler room. On opening them I found them filled with watches, jewelry and silverware. They had evidently been robbing a jewelry store in the city, and after examining some of the boxes I found one with the mark of Paterson & Co., and I knew then that they had robbed the largest jewelry store in the city.

What to do I did not know, but I concluded to hide the stuff where they could not find it and then go home and think it over. I opened the old ash pit under the boiler and put both the bags carefully in the hole, then put out my lantern and went home. I got into the house just as the sun was rising, and I tumbled into bed, but not to sleep till I had thought out a plan of action. After I had made up my mind what to do I went to sleep. I did not wake up the next morning till morning called me at nine o'clock, and then I made off as if I was mad

and then the men were placed in position to watch for the robbers. Of course, the catching of them was planned by the chief, but he asked me what I thought of the plan before he carried it out, and I made one or two suggestions, which he adopted.

About midnight while I was watching at the upper window I saw three men in a boat coming up the river. I immediately ran to the cellar and told the chief. He placed his men at once, and I hid behind the barrels to see the fun. I had a big flash lantern, and I was to turn it on when the men started to remove the rubbish from where they had hidden the bags. Of course, they did not expect anything out of the way, and they all three came in. The two men who were called Jack and Jim came first, and the one whom they referred to as Johnson came last, with a lantern. As the two men leaned over the pile to clear away the rubbish I opened the lantern and the police jumped upon the men and secured them, while the chief put his pistol into the face of Johnson with the remark:

"Throw up your hands, old man, if you don't want this bullet."

He dropped the lantern and put up his hands in a hurry, I can tell you. In less time than it takes me to write it, they were all handcuffed and taken out into the boat. Just as we were about to row off with the men, we saw a light in the cellar and I, with two of the police rushed back just in time to put out a fire that had started from the lantern that Johnson had dropped, and that we had failed to notice as we took the men out.

We made sure there was no more fire and then rowed back to the city. The men were convicted, of course, and I was given a very handsome reward for my part in the discovery.

None of the boys dared to say anything about it for fear the townspeople would find out why I went to the mill, so to this day no one, not even the police, know how I knew about the robbery. We did not have our celebration, but we spent the whole day in the acorn field, talking over the robbery and the fact that I captured the robbers.

One thing more I want to say, and that is that from that time till now I am the greatest coward that ever lived, and no money would ever hire me again to go into any dark place alone. I can't say why, but such is the fact.—Jennie Jameson, in Farm and Home.

THE FOURTH.

Hail to "America, land of the free!" Holding her honors on land and on sea! Reaping her victories, kindly and true, All in the name of "The Red, White and Blue!"

Hail to the spirit of justice and truth Born in America's spirited youth! Hail to her enterprise, courage and skill! Hail to her upright persistence and will! Hail to her loyalty! Hail to her brave, Determined endeavors her dear states to save

When danger assails them! and hail with a cheer Her glorious old banner her sons hold so dear!

Hail to our "National Holiday!" Hail! For never in hearts shall its joyousness fall! Hail to its advent, and even its noise, Since it stirs in the hearts of our girls and our boys

A bold, sturdy reverence, never to die While America's flag waves, for Fourth of July!

—Mary D. Brine, in Christian Work.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

THE MORNING

THE EVENING

—Adapted from The Puritan.

Too Difficult.

"There's no use wasting time on some psychological problems," remarked the man with white whiskers and silver-rimmed spectacles. "I am always willing to express opinions on telepathy, and mind cures, and reincarnation, and kindred topics."

"Well, there can't be many mystical topics that you are afraid of."

"Only one. I give up when it comes to explaining how it happens that the boy who won't get up till nine o'clock, if he can help it, on a school day, and the boy who will be out with a brass cannon at four o'clock in the morning on the Fourth of July are one and the same boy."—Washington Star.

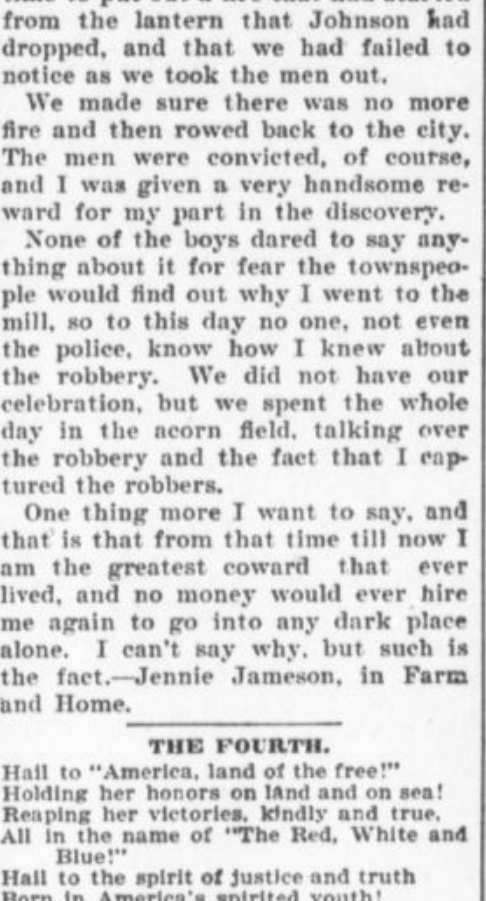
An Early Start.

Hopkins—You country people start into town early on the Fourth of July!

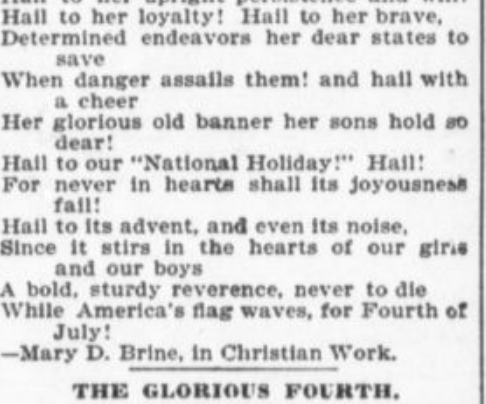
Perkins—Well, we have to—head off our city relatives coming out to see us.—Golden Days.



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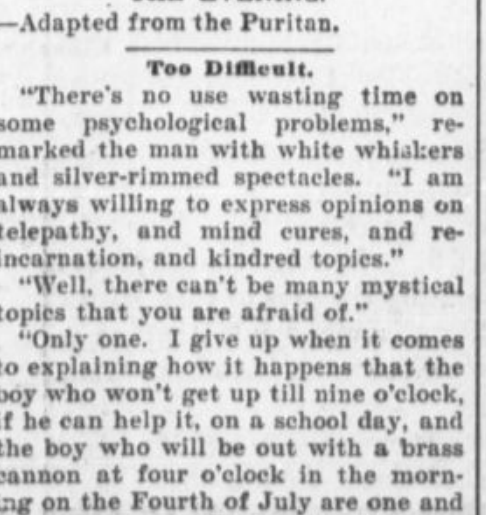
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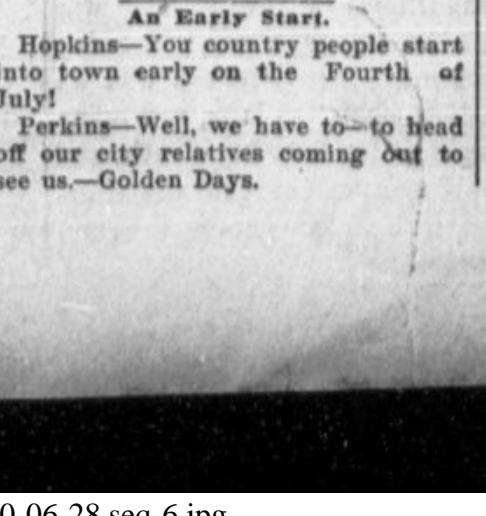
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## FOR MALARIA, CHILLS AND FEVER.

The Best Prescription Is Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

The Formula Is Plainly Printed on Every Bottle, So That the People May Know Just What They Are Taking.

Imitators do not advertise their formula knowing that you would not buy their medicine if you knew what it contained. Grove's contains Iron and Quinine put up in correct proportions and is in a Tasteless form. The Iron acts as a tonic while the Quinine drives the malaria out of the system. Any reliable druggist will tell you that Grove's is the Original and that all other so-called "Tasteless" chill tonics are imitations. An analysis of other chill tonics shows that Grove's is superior to all others in every respect. You are not experimenting when you take Grove's—its superiority and excellence having long been established. Grove's is the only Chill Cure sold throughout the entire malarial sections of the United States. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 50c.

## A California Medicine.

THAT IS GUARANTEED TO PREVENT AND CURE

## MALARIA and CHILLS and FEVER.

There is manufactured in San Francisco, California, a medicine that is sold under a positive guarantee to cure all forms of malarial poisoning, chills and fever, swamp fever, dumb ague, etc. This remedy is Casca Ferrine. It is not a secret patent medicine, but, instead, the formula of the preparation is made known to all. One of the chief ingredients of Casca Ferrine is Casca Sagrada, the bark of a small tree that grows nowhere in the world but in California. Casca Sagrada has no equal as a liver and intestinal tonic among all the drugs known to medicine. All physicians throughout the world regard it as one of the most valuable of all drugs. It is strictly tonic in its action and effect on the liver and bowels, and there is positively no reaction from its use, as in the case with every other medicine that acts specifically on the liver, such for instance as calomel, aloes, jalap, podophyllin and similar drugs. It is impossible to cure malaria, chills and fever, etc., unless the liver is active, and the bowels open so that the poison can be expelled from the body through these natural channels. This is one reason why Casca Ferrine is so effective in preventing and curing all forms of malarial poisoning. It acts as a natural tonic to the liver and bowels, tones them up, and in a short time places them in such a healthy condition that they will act naturally without the aid of medicines.

In addition to Casca Sagrada, the only other ingredients of Casca Ferrine are Cinchona, the bark that quinine is made from, and which is unrivalled in medicine as a general system tonic; Malt Extract, the greatest of nutrient and reconstructive tonics; Iron, the feed of the blood, the use of which insures a prolific supply of red cells, and pure California Sherry Wine, one of nature's greatest restoratives.

Whenever once used for Malaria and Chills and Fever, Casca Ferrine will ever after be the accepted specific for and safeguard against these ailments, for the reason that it not only cures them, promptly and effectively, but it leaves no after effects.

Casca Ferrine also prevents biliousness, makes digestion perfect, enriches and purifies the blood, gently relaxes the bowels when constipated, and causes their action to become permanently regular. These results, which it can be depended upon with an absolute certainty to effect, render the system proof against malaria. Casca Ferrine not only fortifies the system against malaria, but also prevents and cures all disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels, which so often result from infected air and impure water. Casca Ferrine is put up in large bottles containing 24 fluid ounces and retails for one dollar per bottle. If your druggist does not carry it in stock ask him to order it from the wholesale house, as all wholesale houses carry it. It will not order it for you we will send you any quantity desired on receipt of price. Casca Ferrine is prepared in San Francisco, Cal., for the Sierra Pharmaceutical Co., of St. Louis, Mo. Main Office 772-94 Washington ave., St. Louis, Mo.

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## SMITH'S SURE KIDNEY CURE

.... CURES ....

This remedy will keep the Kidneys in a healthy condition, purify the Blood and give proper action to the Liver. Stands pre-eminently superior for the cure of diseases peculiar to women. If you are troubled with kidney and bladder troubles, such as Dropsy, Bright's Disease, Catarrh, Gravel of the Bladder, Albumen in Urine and unhealthy deposits or too frequent discharge of the urine, pain in the back and bladder, dropsical swelling of the feet and legs, etc., we claim that by using SMITH'S SURE KIDNEY CURE a complete cure will be effected.

### READ THESE TESTIMONIALS

From those who have used Smith's Sure Kidney Cure:

I have used three bottles of your SURE KIDNEY CURE, and it has made a permanent cure. MRS. W. F. FURTER, Jonesboro, Ark. I received your medicine for Smith's SURE KIDNEY CURE, and have taken one bottle, and it is the only medicine that has done me any good. There are several soldiers here affected with the same as I, and we cannot obtain the medicine here. JOHN H. KELLY, Cottage 1, State Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Dayton, O.

Mrs. J. R. FAVER, Atlanta, Ga.

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Winchester Factory loaded shotgun shells, "NEW RIVAL," "LEADER," and "REPEATER." A trial will prove their superiority.



## PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

Delegates Arriving in Chicago for the Prohibition National Convention.

### A STRAIGHT PROHIBITION PLATFORM.

The General Belief is that Other National Issues Will be Set Aside and the Battle be Fought Along Strict Party Lines—Gossip as to Men to be Honored.

Chicago, June 25.—Sentiment among the delegates to the prohibition national convention who have arrived here apparently favored the nomination for president of John G. Wooley, of Chicago. The fight this year, it was stated, would be made on a straight prohibition platform, even, perhaps, to the exclusion of all other national questions.

#### Is Mr. Wooley's Plan.

Mr. Wooley is the chief advocate of this plan of campaign, and would not care to be nominated on a broader platform, taking in the tariff, expansion, money and other planks. For this reason, according to Chairman Stewart of the national committee, and other prohibition leaders, he is considered the most logical candidate for the presidency. Hale Johnson, of Newton, Ill., and Dr. S. C. Swallow, of Pennsylvania, have many friends, however, and a brisk contest is expected before a nomination is made.

#### The Vice-Presidency.

The nomination for the vice-presidency probably will be governed to a great extent by the result of the balloting for the presidency. Should a western candidate for the presidency be selected, the vice-presidential nomination, it is stated, will probably go to an eastern man, W. W. Smith, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., being the most prominently mentioned in that connection. If an eastern man is nominated, Dr. E. L. Eaton, of Des Moines, or Prof. F. T. McWhirter, of Indianapolis, who is also spoken of for permanent chairman of the convention, may be nominated for vice-president.

#### Not Yet Decided Upon.

Neither the temporary nor permanent chairman of the convention has yet been decided on. The national committee will meet Tuesday night to hear the report of the national treasurer and National Chairman Oliver Stewart, concerning the work of the past six months, and at that time the temporary chairman will be named. The most prominent candidates are Maj. Elliott, of Stockton, Cal., and A. G. Wolfenbarger, of Lincoln, Neb.

#### Good Balance in the Treasury.

The report of the treasurer, it is stated, will show a larger balance in the treasury than at any previous meeting of the national committee, and the party will enter the campaign better equipped financially than ever before. For permanent chairman, Prof. McWhirter and Samuel Dickie, of Michigan, seem to be most favored, but this question will not be decided on until after the convention has been called to order.

### HELEN GOULD WILL OFFICIATE.

Programme for the Unveiling of the Dewey Cannon, at Three Oaks, Mich., June 25.

Three Oaks, Mich., June 25.—The programme for the ceremonies connected with the unveiling of the Dewey cannon, June 25, is substantially completed. The address of welcome on behalf of the state of Michigan will be delivered by Gen. R. A. Alger, and the oration of the day by Wm. E. Barton, D. D., of Chicago, on the theme "The Unveiling of the Dewey Cannon will be performed by Miss Helen Miller Gould.

### KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN PARADE.

Opening of the Twenty-Second Annual Convention of the Order in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, June 25.—The twenty-second international convention of the Knights of St. John began here, with several thousand knights in attendance. Mass was celebrated at the cathedral, and the delegates then proceeded to Odd Fellows' temple, where the convention was called to order by Charles W. Naulty. Mayor Ashbridge extended the hospitality of the city to the visiting knights. In the parade 5,000 members of the organization participated.

### THE CRIME OF A FIEND.

Horrible Attempt of a Burglar to Cover His Crime by Arson, Involving Cremation.

San Francisco, June 25.—A burglar entered the residence of E. S. Cederberg, in this city, while the family were away, bound Mrs. Lillian Ross, the nurse, to a bed, on which a baby was sleeping, robbed the house poured coal oil on the floor and after lighting it made his escape. The flames were discovered by neighbors just in time to prevent the cremation of the woman and child. The robber secured \$130 in gold and some jewelry.

### The Brooklyn Ordered to Take.

Washington, June 25.—Secretary of the Navy Long has ordered Rear-Admiral Remy to go with the cruiser Brooklyn from Manila to Tokyo, and to tender to Gen. MacArthur conveyance of any troops which the Brooklyn can carry.

## PEOPLE AND EVENTS.

Mrs. McKinley's pet dog, wandering beyond the white house grounds the other day, was captured by a dog catcher, but was rescued from extinction by one of the servants.

Miss Sarah Flanagan, whose father was chief clerk of Kingston, Ont., for more than a half century, has recently been appointed to fill the position herself and is the first woman to hold such a position in Canada. She has been assistant for some time and was selected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the occupant of the office until the next regular election.

The prince of Wales is remarkable among royal personages for the enormous amount of luggage which he takes with him on his journeys. He makes a point of never appearing twice in the same coat when visiting, and his wardrobe is most extensive. He takes with him two huge boxes of hats and large trunks filled with coats, dress suits and every kind of clothes.

Senator Depew has the reputation among his fellow legislators of being the bookish member of congress, as he is the only member of either house who is a regular visitor to the apartment set aside in the congressional library for members of congress. Two rooms have been fitted up luxuriously for them, but have failed to tempt others than Senator Depew, who keeps the attendants busy in supplying the wants of his omnivorous researches.

## VARIOUS AND INTERESTING.

The highest point of the new Montgomery Ward building in Chicago is 355 feet, while that of the Masonic temple is only 322 feet. The Auditorium tower is 270 feet high.

Cigars are now prepared from sheets of paper which have been soaked in tobacco juice, and then pressed and cut into the requisite shape by means of specially-constructed machinery.

The paved streets of New York aggregate 1,720 miles, of which Brooklyn provides 548 miles and Manhattan 405 miles. There are 745 miles of macadam streets, 339 miles of granite, 238 miles of cobblestone, 230 miles of asphalt, 84 miles of trap, 45 miles of Belgian block, 19 miles of brick, 13 miles of gravel and 0.68 miles of wood pavement.

## LEGALITIES.

Neglect of city authorities to observe proper sanitary precautions in the construction or maintenance of a sewer system is held, in Hughes vs. Auburn (N. Y.), 46 L. R. A. 636, insufficient to create a liability on the part of the city for damages on account of disease resulting therefrom.

A statute making it unlawful to work more than eight hours per day in mines or smelters is held, in Morgan (Col.), 47 L. R. A. 82, to be in violation of constitutional guarantees of liberty and the right to acquire, possess and protect property, notwithstanding a decision of the supreme court of the United States holding that the federal constitution was not violated by such a statute.

An act to regulate the weighing of coal at the mine which prohibits the screening of coal until after it is weighed and duly credited, if miners are employed at quantity rates, is held, in State vs. Wilson (Kan.), 47 L. R. A. 71, to be a valid exercise of the police power, where it does not purport to prevent contracts as to the amount of wages or in any wise infringe upon the freedom of contract.

## WHAT THE RETAILERS SHOW.

(From the New York Dry Goods Economist.)

Hemstitched chiffon veillings in pastel shades.

High novelties in ribbons, in neckwear, belt and sash widths.

Children's pique reefers handsomely trimmed with open embroidery.

All sorts of gauze, Japanese lace and prettily decorated paper fans variously mounted.

Exceedingly graceful designs in taffeta parasols in all the medium and pastel shades.

Cushions covered with artistically patterned cotton materials for veranda and hammock use.

Couch boxes for cozy corners and cottage bedrooms covered with cotton prints or tapestry.

Washable chamois gloves in white and natural shades finished with hooks, buttons and clasps.

Cycling and driving gloves with mocha palms and woven silk backs in tan and navy blue shades.

Outing hats of duck, pique and straw as well as many varieties of shirred mull shade hats in white, black and colors.

Many colors and designs in taffeta and satin coaching parasols with hemstitched, embroidered or shirred trimmings.

Striped gauze draperies showing broad or narrow cords, coin spots and other designs in an effective range of art colors.

The patterns for fancy cotton waistcoats are mostly in the light brown drills, to be made double breasted, but these should be always worn with a dull finish, and not glazed at all, as the latter are not half so smart.

## Meaning Dudes.

Evangelina—Have you become acquainted with many of the young men in our social circle?

Angelina—Oh, yes; I know a "thing" or two.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

## ANSWERS FOR THE ANXIOUS.

Some Sapient Suggestions for the Edification of Unenlightened Inquirers.

Gloriana B., of Westport, writes: "I have a young gentleman caller who is always trying to kiss me. How shall I dissuade him?"

You should dissuade him with a hatpin or an ax, Gloriana, but as an all-around anti-kiss argument there is nothing so dissuading and at the same time painless as a large Bermuda onion, says the Baltimore American. You should eat one or two or three before the kissing bug flies around.

"Musician," of Waverly, wants to know how to discover whether or not her piano keys are ivory or celluloid.

Touch them carefully with a lighted match. If they are celluloid you should then call the fire department.

"Housewife," of Roland Park, asks: "How can I keep roaches out of my house?"

Place the butter near by. They prefer it. "Lucy F." of Highlandtown, says: "My hair brush shows a good many falling hairs every day. How can I stop them?"

Soak the brush in glue over night.

"Rube," it certainly was inhospitable of your friend, whom you were visiting, to refuse to allow you to use his tooth brush.

However, we should cultivate a sweetness of disposition which will enable us to overlook such traits in others.

"Worried," of Catonsville: The quickest way to remove indelible ink from a carpet is to pour muriatic acid on it. Any carpenter can mend the hole it will make in the floor.

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Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes Feel Easy. Cures Corns, Itching, Swollen, Hot, Chapped, Smarting Sores, Sweating Feet. All Druggists and Shoe Stores sell it, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

## The Corned Philosopher.

"Woman," said the Corned Philosopher, "will never succeed in her demand for the same pay as man for doing the same work."

The only way to get the same pay for the same work is to howl for more pay for less work.—Indianapolis Press.

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Try Yucatan Chili Tonic (Improved).

A reliable Tonic; each dose has the same proportion of medicine. Pleasant to take. Price, 50 cents.

## The Right Spirit.

"What did Col. Stillwell say about the brandied cherries sent to cheer his convalescence?"

"He said he was afraid he wasn't strong enough to eat the fruit," replied the little girl, "but that he appreciated the spirit in which it was sent."—St. Louis Republic.

Mrs. A. G. Russell, Nashville, Tenn., wrote: Dr. Moffett's Teething (Teething Powders) is the greatest blessing to teething children that the world has ever known.

Bathing Without Shoulder Straps.

The rank and file on the Modder river were a short time ago forbidden to bathe, and sentinels were posted on the banks to look for surreptitious swimmers. One of the sentinels caught sight of a swimmer, who persistently ignored his summons to surrender to arrest. At last the bather emerged from the river; the furious sentinel advanced upon the dripping figure and claimed a prisoner. "Confound you!" was the reply, "can't you see I'm an officer?"—London Chronicle.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of Gno's TASTELESS CHILI TONIC. Its simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

## A Parist.

"Meet me," he wrote, "on the corner at 8-10 this evening, without fail!"

And she replied: "There is no such corner as 'fail'."

She was a parist.—N. Y. World.

I am sure Pisco's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

She—"If it wasn't for the old bachelors there would be no fairs." He—"If it wasn't for the fairs there would be no old bachelors."—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

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The man who is too proud to beg isn't always too proud to hint or proud enough to refuse what may be offered.—Somerville Journal.

If you want "good digestion to wait upon your appetite" you should always chew a bar of Adams' Peppin Tutti Frutti.

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A favorite good wish in Ireland used to be, "May you live to eat the hen that scratches over your grave."

Remember that other people's business isn't any of yours.—Chicago Daily Democrat.

Uncle Sam uses the best of everything. Uncle Sam uses Carter's Ink. He knows.

Some men are lions in society and bears at home.—Chicago Daily News.

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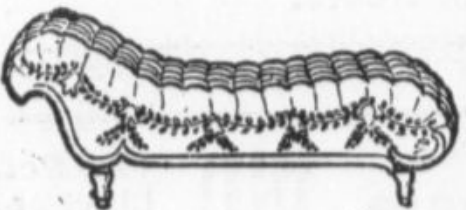
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### NEW SALEM.

There is some sickness in this section. The tobacco crop is the largest in fifteen years.

Sabbath school at New Salem every Sunday evening at 3 o'clock.

Our farmers have had a good long rest on account of so much rain.

Aunt Narcie Childress, of View, is visiting her many friends in this section.

Our woods are full of tie men. Our timber will soon be a thing of the past.

What wheat that was cut, is in a fair way to be lost, on account of rotting in the shock.

Our mining interest continues to increase, and our Salem friends have another spell of railroad fever.

Squire Harpending informs us that he will be through taking the census in Union in three more days.

The prospects for the farmers are indeed gloomy. Two days plowing in a month is what the farmers have got done to their crops.

Your correspondent has in the last week visited the flood districts on Deer and Claylick creeks, and to say the least of it, it is very bad; hundreds of acres of corn, tobacco and wheat are ruined, rails washed away; some land will not be fenced, but abandoned for the present.

A woman in Idaho got a divorce from her husband because he would not take her to the Paris Exposition. He testified in court that he was afraid of water and that he was afraid to get into a bath tub even, he got so sea sick. That man has indigestion just as a good many others we know and should take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Get it at J. H. Orme's or R. F. Haynes'.

### LEVIAS.

Miss Leona Price is quite sick.

D. L. Barnes, of Hillsville, Ky., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Beard.

Jimmie Threlkeld and wife, of Livingston county, are visiting in our vicinity.

Rev. R. A. Larue went to Crooked Creek Sunday to baptize a number of converts.

The singing school at Union taught by Prof. Jno. Southerland is progressing nicely with thirty members.

Misses Carrie Harpending, Lula Eaton and Maude Threlkeld paid our village a call Thursday returning home Friday.

Glad Threlkeld has purchased his father's saw and grist mill at this place. We are glad to know that he will be with us.

Mr. Cornell and family, of New York visited L. L. Price and family last week. They are talking of locating here among their kin for some time.

Recent rains have done great damage to crops throughout this section and farmers are very much discouraged about the condition of their crops.

Mrs. W. J. Larue, Charles and family, are visiting Dr. H. D. Larue at New Burnside, Ill. Mrs. Larue will remain for several weeks with her son.

Farmers in this section have all cut their wheat but it is damaged considerably owing to the incessant rains. Oats are fine and they hope to harvest a good crop.

Unless a woman eats sufficient nourishing food she can neither gain nor keep a good complexion. Food when digested, is the base of all health, all strength, and all beauty. HERBINE will help digest what you eat, and give you the clear, bright, beautiful skin of health. Price 50c and 75 cts at Orme's.

### TOLU.

Corn is looking fairly well, but has not had more than half cultivation.

Quite a number of our people attended church at Hurricane Sunday.

Quite a number of our townsmen are attending court at Marion this week.

Little Walter Weldon who has been very sick for a week is improving rapidly.

Wheat harvest is about over; a great deal of the wheat has been lost from different causes.

Jas. M. Guess who has been sick for quite a while is so far recovered as to be on the streets Monday.

Rev. G. S. Summers will preach at the Presbyterian church in Tolu, Sunday night July 1. Everybody invited.

After lying idle since the departure of the old reliable miller, Ong, the Tolu mill will resume business again in a few days with T. A. Minner and Walter Black at the helm.

Wm. J. Stone, a step son of John Drake, met with quite a accident Sunday, while playing with a windless he was struck on the head and knocked down. Dr. Warford sewed up the wound and the boy is getting along all right.

At 2 o'clock Monday morning J. W. Guess & Sons' store and warehouse with all their contents were destroyed by fire. It is thought to be the work of incendiary since the store had not been opened on Sunday. The loss partially covered by insurance.

### CHAPEL HILL.

Little Arlof Walker is very ill. Born to the wife of J. H. Walker June 8th a girl.

R. M. Franks, from Lola was through neighborhood.

Miss Addie Carly, from Hurricane, is visiting Mr. T. M. Wards.

Mrs. J. C. Long sold her wheat binder to Mr. Bud Deboe, of Crayneville.

Mr. Ed Hill and wife, of Sheridan, are the guests of Mr. Corry Minner.

Miss Maud Hill and Addie Bigham visited Mrs. Joe Parr, of Caldwell county this week.

Mr. James Minner and wife from Hurricane, are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Rev. James W. Bigham, of Marion, was the guest of W. H. Bigham the first of the week.

Mr. Woodall & Co. met at Mr. L. M. Hill's last Saturday night and gave them a Music Entertainment.

Mr. B. F. Walker was in Caldwell county last Monday to see his little grand-daughter.

Tobacco in this neighborhood looks well. Some complaints of worms already. Put out your cobalt and let the worm in the bud. Now is the time to kill the fly.

Aside from the serious inconvenience and pain caused by piles, there is a tendency to fistula and to cancer in the rectal regions. Piles should not be allowed to run on unchecked. TABLET'S HUCKEY PILE OINTMENT is an infallible remedy. Price 50cts a bottle; tubes 75 cents at Orme's.

### CARRSVILLE.

Mr. Albert Likens is taking lessons in music.

Prof. Wright is still engaged taking the census.

Miss Lou Clemens is visiting relatives at Allen Spring, Ill., this week.

Finis Davis and wife, are visiting Chas Daniels, who is very ill.

Prof. R. F. Babb will teach at Upper Mud Spring between the rivers this year.

The harvesting spell interspersed with rain is about over greatly to the relief of all the farmers.

Quite an interest is being manifested in the mineral developments of this county. Supervisor Cox, of this place, is pushing the matter with business like methods.

The recent rains have made it impossible almost for the farmers to half-way cultivate their crops, so that from present prospects corn will have an early laying by.

Miss Nannie Campbell, of this place, who attended school at Marion and received a first-class certificate, was examined in this county last week and received a first-class.

### SHADY GROVE.

J. G. Asher was called to town Tuesday on business.

Miss Dedie Clement, of Marion, is the guest of Dr. McConnell this week.

Miss Olive McConnell of Iron Hill visited her sister Mrs. Lemon Monday.

Bro. Wallace filled his regular appointment here Sunday with a large congregation.

Mr. Fred Lemon is able to be out in town again. Hope he will continue to improve.

Drs. Orr and Reynolds, of Cresswell, were called to see Dr. Truitt, of this place, who is very sick.

Mr. Dennie Hubbard and his mother was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Campbell, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Denver Woodson and wife returned home Monday from Slaughterville, where Mrs. Woodson has been visiting her mother.

### LONE CEDAR.

Frate Hill has moved to the Teets farm above high water.

Ewel McKinley and family of Nann are visiting D. H. King.

Lish Corley and family were guests of R. J. Ford Saturday night.

D. W. Jackson who has been sick for some time is improving.

The Misses Dupuy, of Marion, are guests of friends in this neighborhood.

Several from our neighborhood attended the Children's Day exercises at Weston Sunday.

John Cox, who has been in Tennessee for some time has returned. Welcome home to all our boys.

Addison Lawrence, after spending several days with his brother Abe of this neighborhood returned to his home in Karkers Ridge, Ill.

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### Nursing Mothers

dread hot weather. They know how it weakens and how this affects the baby. All such mothers need Scott's Emulsion. It gives them strength and makes the baby's food richer and more abundant. 50c and \$1. All druggists.

### CIRCUIT COURT.

Lofton Case Dismissed and Other Cases Disposed Off.

Circuit court convened Monday with an average docket. A great many cases were continued on account of the absence of witnesses. The following cases have been disposed of:

The cases of the Commonwealth vs A. T. Caps, Walter Thompson, John Funkhouser, forfeited bail bond, continued until Saturday.

James Collins, peace bond, the court adjudged that defendant be put under bond to keep the peace for the next six months, and J. W. Gahagan went on the bond.

The case against Ransom Lofton, charged with burning the office at the Spar mines was dismissed. The Commonwealth's attorney filed the following paper:

"The grand jury having returned an indictment against Wm. Maynard for the offense of burning the property charged in this indictment, and having consulted with all the witnesses and carefully examined the case, I do not believe the defendant, Ransom Lofton, should be convicted of the offense charged against him and ask the court to dismiss this indictment against him.

Henry Belt, barn-burning, dismissed by Commonwealth because Fred Lawrence, an important witness could not be obtained.

Jesse Jeffords, firing pistol at random, fined \$50.

George Russell, disturbing lawful assembly, fined \$20.

The case of Albert Johnson charged with detaining a woman, was set for trial tomorrow.

Alley Sisco, cutting in sudden heat and passion, set for trial today.

Virge Lindell, malicious shooting, dismissed by Commonwealth.

Melvin Roberts, forgery, dismissed.

The following grand jury was empanelled: R. W. Wood, foreman; Jno. W. Love, Urey Bigham Wm. A. Adams, W. N. Rochester, C. J. Bozeman, H. B. Phillips, H. P. Jacobs, G. W. Jones, D. J. Green, Marion Dean and J. M. Lamb.

Yesterday morning the jury was given the case of the Commonwealth against T. J. Yeats, charged with disturbing a lawful assembly, but as we go to press no verdict has been returned.



Every woman loves to think of the time when a soft little body, all her own, will nestle in her bosom, fully satisfying the yearning which lies in the heart of every good woman. But yet there is a black cloud hovering about the pretty picture in her mind which fills her with terror. The dread of childbirth takes away much of the joy of motherhood. And yet it need not be so. For sometime there has been upon the market, well-known and recommended by physicians, a liniment called

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which makes childbirth as simple and easy as nature intended it. It is a strengthening, penetrating liniment, which the skin readily absorbs. It gives the muscles elasticity and vigor, prevents sore breasts, morning sickness and the loss of the girl's figure. An intelligent mother in Butler, Pa., says: "Were I to need Mother's Friend again, I would obtain 9 bottles if I had to pay \$5 per bottle for it."

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We take this method of thanking our neighbors and friends for their untiring kindness to us during the fatal illness of our precious Reta. We shall ever hold them in grateful remembrance. W. E. WILCOX AND WIFE.

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#### A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, is a type of Constipation. The power of this malady is felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25c at Orme's drugstore.

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