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OUR MINING MOVEMENTS.

Machinery For the "Old Columbia" Has Been Ordered.

Lots of Spar Coming out of the Memphis, Zinc at Miller's.

The Kentucky Fluor Spar Co. is now turning out an average of fifty-five tons per day, of as fine fluor spar as ever came out of the earth. This firm is working both the Holly and Memphis mines. At the Holly the shaft is 75 feet deep; at the Memphis there are two big openings about 150 feet deep, and from one the drift extends out some 300 or 400 feet, while from the other it is about 200 feet. At this mine fifty men are at work. Here the spar is washed as it comes from the shaft and the most convenient and at the same time inexpensive arrangements have been perfected for washing spar. When the spar is tilted from the hoist tub on a platform some forty feet above the mouth of the shaft it presents the appearance of ordinary stone, thoroughly mixed with clay. On the platform it is separated, the lump going down a broad shoot, where it is washed with the hose. The small lump and finer particles are thrown into a sluice, down which it is carried by the water pumped from the shaft to a screen through which the finest particles fall, and is re-washed and shoveled out for the wagons. Two advantages are gained in the use of the sluice, the spar is washed by utilizing the water that has to be pumped from the mines, and every particle of the fine spar, most of which has been heretofore lost, is saved.

The arrangements were perfected by Mr. Harry Watkins, the mine manager, to whose skill and ingenuity the company is indebted for this simple but effective way of handling spar.

This spar is said to be the finest in the world, and the supply is simply inexhaustible.

The shaft at the old Columbia mines has been cleaned out. There are four drifts at a depth of 80 feet. The vein at the drifts is five feet wide and at the bottom of the shaft, 55 feet lower, it is seven feet wide. At the drifts fluor spar is mixed with the zinc, at the bottom of the shaft the fluor spar disappears, and the zinc is said to be as rich as any mines in the world. At places along the drifts, which run out from 100 to 200 feet, the vein is fifteen feet wide.

The company is now negotiating for the machinery to operate the mines and handle the ores. It will probably be four or five months before the machinery can be procured. In the mean time the company has a number of men prospecting on the property.

Mr. John C. Cummings, of Pittsburg, spent some days here last week looking at the various mines, and sizing up the district. We understand that he will be back again.

The zinc vein in the Cullom mines near Salem is reported to be twenty feet wide. This mine, as well as others in the Salem vicinity, if operated by the Eagle Fluor Spar Co., and this company has spent more money in prospecting, mining and erecting a plant than any other company operating in this section. Through it the perplexing problem of separating the lead, zinc and spar is already practically solved. The machine for this purpose has demonstrated its capability for the work. The Eagle has some half a dozen mines and is still prospecting.

Mr. J. C. Miller, who is working the LaRue vein, is very much pleased with the situation. He is now arranging his air-shaft and in a short time will be putting the pick into the mineral. He is making substantial improvements as he goes, in anticipation of permanent mining. Mr. Miller came here to get fluor spar, and made an investment for the purpose of mining spar, but his property is developing zinc and lead and he has had to change his plans.

Some of the metropolitan papers have been publishing fabulous stories concerning speculation-run-riot. Vast fortunes made in a fortnight, hundreds and hundreds of people pouring in from everywhere, and a whole lot of stuff of that character, over-drawing the situation a few hundred fold. The speculative feature is not over prominent, and the rash has been limited to men who have judgment as well as capital. They have made good, safe investments, and are spending their money in a business way; they have faith in the paying qualities of their properties, and as the developments proceed, the people of this section as well as the investors have reasons for congratulating themselves.

Mr. J. V. Martin, of Joplin, Mo., was here last week looking over the mining field. He is an experienced miner and is interested in mining properties at Joplin. He was well pleased with the situation here and said to the Press, "You certainly have a flattering outlook."

The Consolidated Oil and Gas Co., of Cincinnati, O., is sinking a shaft near Salem, and the prospects are flattering.

There are now about 300 men working for wages in the district and about 200 prospecting for themselves.

A vein of lead and zinc has been struck in the Memphis mines.

STUNG BY A CENTIPEDE.

Mrs. Thos. Saunders, Bluffton, Tex., was stung by a centipede. A doctor was sent for, but before he arrived some sensible friend wet a piece of brown paper paper with Morley's Wonderful Eight and applied it to the wound. The doctor said his services were not needed, for the poison was neutralized or killed by the Wonderful Eight. Mrs. S. did not suffer from the wound. Sold by agent in every town. Free trial bottle at J. H. Orme's.

Spikes on a Rail.

W. H. Deboe was arrested Friday, charged with putting obstructions on the I. C. track. The examining trial was held by Judge Rochester, Monday, and Deboe was held over, and failing to execute the \$200 bond he was sent to jail, but it is thought that he will be able to execute the bond. According to the testimony three big iron spikes were found on the rail by the section boss south of Crayneville Friday, and Deboe was seen walking rapidly down the track at the same time. He was overtaken and brought to town. He acknowledges placing the spikes on the rail but says that he had heard that these would not throw a train off, but that the train would crush the spikes into the shape of a butcher knife, and he placed them on for the purpose of getting them crushed. Deboe lives two miles north of Crider, in Caldwell county.

The Old Brick Burns.

Friday night the old brick store house, south of the court house, and known as the J. N. Woods property, was burned. The fire originated in the ware room adjoining and was under too much headway to extinguish when discovered. The small house was occupied by Marion Clark as a paint shop, and he had a stock of wall paper. He had \$200 insurance. The brick was occupied by Mrs. Nina Howerton as a millinery store, and this stock was also insured. The property belonged to Mrs. H. A. Cameron and was insured for \$500. The brick house was built in about 1850, and was the last of the old business houses in town.

We understand that parties are negotiating for the lot, for the purpose of erecting a big hotel thereon.

Republican Convention.

The Republicans held their county convention at the court house Saturday. The following persons were appointed delegates to the State convention: Senator Deboe, J. T. Franks, W. A. Blackburn, A. J. Pickens, John Yandell, Jr., A. C. Moore, H. S. Wheeler, Anthony Davidson, Alvin Perry, A. M. Henry, J. W. Guess, Sherman Woodall, J. C. Elder, Jr., J. A. Crowell and Charles Moore.

The delegates were instructed to vote for John W. Yerkes for the nomination for governor.

Harvey Elder Dead.

Mr. Harvey Elder died at his home near town Thursday night. He had been in ill health several months, and recently returned from Evansville, where he was under the treatment of a specialist, and his friends were hopeful of his recovery. But he has been gradually sinking since his return and surrounded by friends and loved ones he passed peacefully away Thursday night. The interment took place at the old cemetery Friday evening.

Mr. Elder was a good man and a good citizen, and leaves a host of friends to regret his death.

Stock Law.

Mr. Owen Boaz, one of the leading farmers of Dycusburg, was in town Monday and expressed himself as very anxious to get to vote for a stock law. "We need the law in our district," said Mr. Boaz, "and I believe a majority of our people will vote for it." "I wish," he continued, "that you would invite a discussion of the matter in the Press. Let us hear from the farmers on this point."

Gypsum.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR OF MINES, LEXINGTON, KY., July 2.
Mr. W. R. CRUCE, CRAYNEVILLE, KY.:
Dear Sir: I have submitted your mineral specimen to A. M. Miller, Professor of Geology at State College here. You can rely upon his judgment fully. He pronounces it a gypsum. It is valuable as a fertilizer, also as a plaster paris. If you have it in good quantity and available to market it is quite valuable.
Yours truly,
G. W. STONE.

The above letter explains itself. Mr. Cruce found the mineral referred to on his property near Crayneville and there seems to be plenty of it. He will have the matter investigated and we hope the cars will soon be carrying it to market.

Populist Convention.

The Populists of Crittenden County will meet in Marion next Monday, July 23, to elect delegates to attend the State convention to be held in Louisville on the first day of August next to nominate a candidate for Governor to be voted for in November. I hope every Middle of the Road Populist in the County will attend.

W. H. Brown, Chm'n,
A. H. Cardin, Sec'y.

Illustrated Lecture.

At the Opera house Sunday night July 22, Prof. W. H. Meyers will give an illustrated lecture on Palestine. The lecture is illustrated by one of the most powerful Lime Light Stereopticons. The service will close with an Illustrated Song Service. The Hymn "Rock of Ages" illustrated, alone will repay you for coming out. All are most cordially invited. Admission free.

Ninety-one Years Old.

Messrs. Press Fritts and wife, Ira Bristoe and wife, Leu Ford and family composed a party from this county that took dinner with Mrs. Burton Ford at Doc Dalton's in Caldwell county Saturday. Quite a number of immediate neighbors and friends also joined in the festivities. The occasion was the celebration of Mrs. Ford's 91st birthday, and no one enjoyed the occasion more than the cheery old lady, who heartily welcomed her guests and appreciated their visit.

Literary Club.

Mrs. G. C. Gray entertained the literary club Wednesday evening. The parlor of the pleasant home was decorated beautifully. A cozy nook with cushions, divans, etc., was arranged in the hall, and here the huge punch bowl was esconced, over which Miss Saunders, Mrs. Gray's charming guest, presided with grace and dignity, serving the lemonade during the guessing contest. Miss Blue, of Morganfield, won the prize—a handsome volume of Kipling. Light refreshments were served on the lawn.

Monday night, July 23, an illustrated lecture on "The Island of Madagascar," showing the struggles and the triumphs of the early missionaries and what the island is today, will be delivered by Rev. Meyers. Admission 10, 15 cents, reserved seats 25 cts.

Kokomo, Ind., Aug. 10, 1899.
Popsin Syrup Co.,
Dear Sirs:—For the past ten years I was troubled with my stomach. About 4 years ago was taken down with rheumatism; was not able to do a day work for 3 years. All medicine seemed of no benefit to me. A year ago I was advised to take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Popsin. I truly believe I would have died but for this medicine. My rheumatism is entirely gone and my stomach is in good condition. It has saved my life and I cannot recommend it too highly.
Yours respectfully,
Elwood McCracken.
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SUCCESS

Of the Southern School of Osteopathy at Franklin, Ky.

[Franklin Favorite.]

Tomorrow is commencement day and the second class of the Southern School of Osteopathy will bid their Alma Mater good-bye and go forth into the fields of future usefulness which await them. They go, not merely drilled in the theories of their profession but fitted by actual experience for every emergency of the sick room. They go with the brightest prospects for the future and our best wishes for the success that seems so surely to await them.

Each and every one of them have been actively engaged in the practice of their profession for the past ten months. Under the careful supervision of eminently qualified and painstaking instructors, they have witnessed and personally accomplished the successful application of the underlying principles of the science of their adoption. They come to the people, not with untried theory, but with a confidence born of success.

The secretary of the school has received a great many applications for practitioners which it will be impossible to fill. The graduates will each have choice of any number of promising situations which are calling loudly for men of this profession. In view of the fact that the entire country is awakening to the possibilities of Osteopathy this demand is not strange in the least, nor is there anything strange in view of this demand that students are pouring in from every direction to educate themselves in this, the most promising and profitable science now open to the American people. The class that will begin the first of September will more than double in numbers any former class in the history of the institution. The wonderful, yet merited success of the school shows no sign of waning, and young people everywhere are fast realizing the opportunity here offered them and are not slow to take advantage of it.

Catalogue and Journal on request. Address the Southern School of Osteopathy, Franklin, Ky.

Jesse Millican.

Jesse W. Millican was born in Montgomery county, Tenn., Dec. 21, 1836, professed religion and joined the Baptist church when eighteen years old, came to this State when a young man and became a member of Union church. In 1864 he moved to Illinois, and was instrumental in organizing a Baptist church at Pleasant Hill, Wabash county, moved back to Crittenden county in 1872, and again united with Union church. In 1876 he moved his membership to Dunn Spring church, of which he remained a faithful and consistent member until death.

Bro. Millican was a man of very strong faith; he taken God at his word, he was a christian man, a sound Baptist of the old land mark type, he loved to talk about his religion; the writer has had some very pleasant religious talks with him. Bro. Millican was uneducated, but he was a man of fine sense, and a good talker.

He leaves an aged companion and five children to mourn their loss—three sons and two daughters. Two of his sons are ministers of the gospel, the well known and dearly beloved Rev. L. J. Millican, of the M. E. Church South, who is now in Illinois, and our own dear brother, Henry Millican of this county, who is a minister of the Baptist denomination. Bro. Millican died the 20th day of June, 1900, the funeral sermon was preached by the writer at the home, from Eph. 3:15, of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named; after which our dear brother was laid to rest in the Dunn Spring cemetery to await the resurrection.

Servant of God, well done, Rest from thy loved employ; The battle's fought, the victory won, Enter thy Master's joy.
—W. R. GIBBS.

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MARION, : : : KENTUCKY.
CURRENT COMMENT.

John Harrington, who celebrated his 100th birthday in New York on independence day, is well and hearty, and says he is so, at 100 years of age, "because I keep away from worry and attend to my own business."

It is a notable fact that the vast sum given by private individuals to educational institutions last year was largely from those who are distributing their wealth while they live. Direct gifts of this kind came from 140 persons, the bequests numbering 67.

Straw is prevented from accumulating on a stable fork by a new attachment having springs coiled around the end of the fork, the bar being forced back when the fork is in use and springing forward to push off the straw.

In the United States, according to official figures, there are 5,687,818 depositors in savings banks, with deposits of \$2,230,366,954. France, Germany and Great Britain have each more depositors, but no other country comes near this in the aggregate of money saved.

Those New York shop girls to whom Mrs. Emma A. Schley bequeathed \$5,000 each merely because they were courteous to her while selling goods to her are living proof that politeness pays. The testator, whose estate amounted to \$5,000,000, did not even know the first names of some of these lucky girls.

Willis W. Cooper, of Kenosha, Wis., the new secretary of the Twentieth Century Revival commission, has agreed to devote his whole time to the work without salary. This commission has undertaken to encourage the renewal of old-fashioned Methodist revivals throughout the country, and to bring about the conversion of 2,000,000 people before the end of the year 1901.

The capital of the railways of the United States is \$11,033,954,898, more than the total amount of money in the world and about six times the amount of the currency in circulation in the United States and five times the amount on deposit in the savings banks of this country, or slightly less than twice that on deposit in the savings deposit banks of the world.

In buying out his associates in the Southern Pacific, Collis P. Huntington becomes sole and individual owner, manager and controller of a vast transportation system, embracing 7,600 miles of railroad, ferries, terminals, river and ocean lines extending from Portland, Ore., through California, to New Orleans, and representing \$350,000,000 of securities and nearly \$600,000,000 of annual gross earnings.

The present government of China is certainly doomed. Whatever the outcome of the war the dowager empress and her variety of statesmen will be thoroughly put away. The foreigners and commercial men at all of the treaty ports hold that her government has been wrecked, and that the only solution for the existing anarchy will be the establishment of a new government controlled by the civilized nations.

Last year there were 7,123 persons killed in railway accidents in the United States and 44,621 injured. This is more than were killed and wounded in the battles of Gettysburg, Spotsylvania and the Wilderness—the three most sanguinary battles of the rebellion. Most of those injured were employees, the number of passengers killed being 239 and injured 3,442, or one passenger killed for every 2,189, 923 carried and one injured for every 151,798 carried.

The retirement of Sir William White as head of the construction department of the British navy calls attention to the fact that his pay has been \$20,000 a year, while Rear Admiral Highborn, who does the same work in the American navy, is paid but \$6,000. The salary in this instance is a good basis of comparison, and the same proportion holds true in many other branches of the service. The salaries of the officers in the higher ranks in England are greater than in America.

It appears from the recent Porto Rican census that 31 per cent. of the total population are under 10 years of age and only 11.8 per cent. over 45 years of age, while the corresponding figures for this country in 1890 were 24 per cent. and 17.2 per cent. respectively, those for India are 29 per cent. and 15 per cent., and those for Cuba 22.7 per cent. and 14.2 per cent. In none of the states of the union is there such a large proportion of children, save among the colored population of Texas and South Carolina.

One of the last bills which passed congress opens to settlement the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache Indian reservation in southeastern Oklahoma. The number of acres open to settlers will be over 1,600,000, which will give space for about 10,000 farms of 160 acres each. The opening up of this reservation is another step toward inducing the Creeks, Cherokees, Seminoles, Choctaws and Chickasaws to take up lands in severity. When this is done the old Indian territory can be united to Oklahoma and become a state.

THE CRY OF ALL EUROPE.

"Revenge To-Day, Mourning To-Morrow" is Practically the Universal Cry of Europe.

BUT MANY TO-MORROW'S MUST ELAPSE.

The Powers Must Lay Aside Their Jealousies in Order to Overcome the General Impotency that Has Resulted in the Terrible Tragedy of Peking.

London, July 16.—"Revenge to-day, mourning to-morrow," is practically the universal cry of Europe, but it is sorrowfully admitted that there can be no revenge to-day, nor, perhaps, for many to-morrows, for the incredible barbarities that are reported to have marked the last scenes within the legations at Peking.

Confagration Spreading. Nothing is clearer than that the anti-foreign confagration is rapidly permeating even hitherto quiescent provinces, and, though it is recognized that every day which leaves Peking in the power of the mob, increases the perils and difficulties of the situation, nothing comes from the diplomats of Europe to show that the powers have overcome these jealousies, resulting in general impotency, to which is commonly ascribed the sacrifice of the handful of women, children and men comprising the international colony in Peking.

Nothing New Received. Nothing has been received that adds to the information previously obtained regarding the massacre. The only ray of light extricable from the Peking message appears to be the statement that Cheng and his followers did their utmost in defense of the legations. The rebels, however, are evidently greatly in the majority, and the few loyalists are helpless before the hordes who have joined and are daily joining the bloodstained Camarilla, who have usurped authority at Peking.

Other Towns Threatened. The fate of the capital appears to threaten other towns like Tien Tsin, Che Foo and even Shanghai. The defeat of the allied forces at Tien Tsin seems to place that town in desperate straits, and if retreat to Taku is necessitated, observers consider that it will belikely to decide the policy of warring viceroys.

Admiral Seymour's Move. The departure of Admiral Seymour from Tien Tsin and the movement of warships toward Shan-Hai-Kuan, on the gulf of Lio Tung, are taken to indicate that this route may be adopted for an advance on Peking, which is distant 170 miles from Shan-Hai-Kuan. The members of the Chinese legation still assert that they have no information concerning the fate of the foreigners in Peking.

Dispatch From Gen. Doward. The war office issues a dispatch from Gen. Doward dated Tien Tsin, July 11, which adds little to previous information. The Chinese, according to this dispatch attacked the station the morning of July 11, and were repulsed after four hours' hard fighting, in which 500 of the enemy were killed.

Gen. Doward's Command. On July 9, Gen. Doward, commanding a force of 100 Americans, 950 British and 400 Russians and Gen. Fukushima, commanding 1,000 Japanese, attacked the Chinese and captured their positions southwest of the city killing 350 and capturing four guns. American and Japanese troops subsequently rushed and took the western arsenal, Gen. Doward adds that the day's honors rested with the Americans and Japanese. There were no casualties among the Americans or the Russians.

AS VIEWED IN BERLIN. Solidarity of Interests Will Assure Perfect Harmony.

Berlin, July 17.—The German consul at Che Foo, having communicated to the governor of Shan Tung Emperor William's offer of a reward of 1,000 taels for the rescue of foreigners in Peking, has received the governor's reply, which is dated July 13, to the effect that the shutting up of foreigners in Peking has deeply touched his heart, but that attempts to relieve them have failed, owing to the revolt in Chi-Li, but the governor adds, he will again try his best to effect their release.

At the foreign office here there is no question as to the correctness of the Chinese news of the massacre of foreigners in Peking. Officials take the view that it is against the interest of the Chinese to admit that there has been a massacre, and that, therefore, the Chinese official dispatches on the subject are, for once, probably true. Regarding Tien Tsin, the foreign office's latest dispatches from Admiral Bendemann declare that the situation has improved as reinforcements continue arriving.

The foreign office, while deeply deploring the horrible events at Peking, expresses confidence that "henceforth the powers' solidarity of interests will assume perfect harmony."

Absolutely Unfounded. New York, July 16.—A dispatch to the Herald from Pretoria says: "The reports circulated in London and cabled out here that Gen. Roberts is seriously ill are absolutely unfounded."

Col. John Hamilton Dead. New York, July 16.—Col. John Hamilton, U. S. A., retired, is dead in Brooklyn. He was appointed to West Point from Indiana in 1847. He retired in August, 1887.

OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

Col. J. Mack Tanner has taken command of the Fourth Illinois regiment. Rain in Nebraska has aided the corn crop generally, except in the western portion.

Kentucky democrats will hold a convention this week to nominate a gubernatorial candidate. It is believed that the Isthmian canal commission will decide in favor of the Nicaraguan waterway.

The United States Monetary league will formally notify Bryan of its action in his behalf at the recent Kansas City convention.

Fire, at Quincy, Ill., destroyed Everett Wiskirchen's livery stable, cremating four horses. Wiskirchen's loss is \$7,000, and insurance \$2,000.

The Missouri national guard is in annual encampment at Springfield, Mo. The location is an ideal one, and the regiments well represented.

Dr. Robert J. Hill, for 34 years a prominent St. Louis physician, died early Sunday morning, and will be buried with military honors.

Constant rains falling in the vicinity of Texarkana, Tex., throughout the week just past have proven to be an injury to both cotton and corn.

Five persons were injured in a freight wreck on the Queen & Crescent at Greendale, six miles from Lexington, Ky. A cow caused the wreck.

Two prisoners held in connection with the Humphries lynching, nearly escaped from the Anderson county (Tex.) jail by tunneling through the wall.

Great numbers of cattle and hogs in Fannin county, Tex., and adjoining territory, are dying from a disease unknown to stockmen. Some pronounce it black leg.

C. W. Burnes, under arrest, at St. Louis, for train robbery, says that "Nelson" is his brother, Channing Burnes, and that their father is an Austin (Tex.) grocer.

A car of the Union division of the St. Louis Transit Co. was blown up with dynamite Sunday night, and two passengers very badly injured. The car was completely wrecked.

Frank Neseinheuer, an employee of the Burlington shops, at Hannibal, Mo., died suddenly Sunday night. The indications were that death was the result of morphine poisoning.

Illinois apples scored a triumph at Paris when Illinois was marked 18 on a possible score of 20; Missouri, 16; New York 16 (after having been first marked 14), and Nebraska marked 16.

The body of the late Senator Gear, of Iowa, has been shipped to Burlington, where the funeral will be held. A distinguished party accompanied the corpse from Washington on a special train.

Mr. S. E. Hindman shot himself dead at Burlington, Ia., because his wife, who is the receiver of Charity lodge, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., had been accused of being \$800 short in her accounts.

Poverty, ill health and a weak-minded wife impelled Louis Eisen, a shoemaker, at Baltimore, Md., to kill himself, his wife and 13-months-old babe with a razor and to wound his 3½-year-old son.

It is asserted at democratic headquarters in Chicago that Eugene V. Debs, presidential candidate of the Social Democracy of America, will withdraw, October 1, in favor of William J. Bryan.

Gov. Allen of Porto Rico and Gen. Russell Hastings, of Bermuda, were guests at the McKinley home in Canton, O., Sunday. Gov. Allen went to talk over matters connected with the administration of the island.

"The dead are silent and the Chinese lie." This has come to be a maxim in Berlin. Even faith in Li Hung Chang has fled. No one hopes any longer that he will reach Peking before the situation there becomes irreparable.

The investigation of the Cuban postal scandal by the postal department has developed a remarkable set of expenditures by E. G. Rathbone. Of Rathbone's accounts \$100,000 has been disallowed or suspended for explanation.

The administration, represented by Secretary Hay, discourages the idea of calling congress together before the regular meeting in December, on the ground that a state of war does not exist and is not likely to, and that the force of 100,000 men already provided is sufficient for all purposes.

THE CABINET COUNCIL.

The Situation in China Talked Over Communication to the President Prepared.

Washington, July 16.—At the conclusion of the cabinet council it was stated that no line of action had been determined upon; that the meeting was not called to formulate any plan, but simply to talk over the situation. It is thought that a communication was drafted for transmission to the president at Canton. After the meeting Secretary Root immediately went into consultation with Adjt.-Gen. Corbin. He refused to discuss the situation.

In all probability the president will come home within the next two or three days to remain a day or two. There is reason to believe that 8,000 or 10,000 troops will be gotten together as rapidly as possible, and hurried to China. Some of these probably will be taken from Cuba. If the situation requires more men congress will have to be called together to provide for them.

Salvationists' La Junta Colony.

Chicago, July 16.—A score of Salvation Army members from this city will start, Tuesday, for the colony near La Junta, Col. Commander Booth Tucker will leave Chicago on Wednesday evening to visit the La Junta colony.

HOTTER THAN SANTIAGO.

Terrific Fighting Reported in the Vicinity of the Walled City of Tien Tsin.

ALLIED TROOPS SUFFERED SEVERELY.

Several American Officers Killed or Wounded, Among the Latter Being the Gallant Col. Liscum of the Ninth United States Infantry—Was Hotter than Santiago.

Tien Tsin, July 14, via Chee Foo, July 15, and Shanghai, July 16.—At two o'clock this afternoon 7,000 of the allied troops were attempting to storm the wall of the city. The attack began at daylight.

The Chinese on the walls are estimated conservatively at 20,000. They are pouring a terrific hail of artillery, rifle and machine gun fire upon the attackers.

The Americans, Japanese, British and French troops are attacking from the west, and the Russians from the east.

The Americans suffered terribly. As the press representative left the field the chief surgeon of the Ninth Infantry said a conservative estimate was that 25 per cent. of the Americans were hit.

Col. Wilson H. Liscum is reported to have been mortally wounded as he was walking in front of the troops. Maj. Regan and Captains Buckmiller, Wilcox and Noyes are among the wounded.

The marines' losses include Capt. Davis killed, Lieutenants Butler, Leonard and several others wounded. Officers declared that it was hotter than Santiago.

When the correspondent left the Americans were lying on the plain between the wall and the river, under an enfilading and a direct fire. It was equally difficult for them to advance or retire.

The correspondent counted 300 wounded men of all nationalities.

CONFIRMED BY ADMIRAL REMY.

Dispatch at the Navy Department From Admiral Remy.

Washington, July 16.—The navy department has received official confirmation from Admiral Remy of the reverse of the allied forces at Tien Tsin on the morning of the 13th. The dispatch is dated Che Foo, July 16, and says:

"Reported that allied forces attacked native city morning of 13th, Russians right, with Ninth infantry and marines on the left."

Losses allied forces large; Russians 100, including artillery colonel; Americans, over 20; British, over 40; Japanese, 25, including colonel; French, 25.

Col. Liscum, Ninth infantry, killed; also Capt. Davis, marine corps; Capt. Lemley, Lieutenant Butler and Leonard wounded.

At seven in the evening allied forces' attack on native city was repulsed with great loss. Returns yet incomplete; details not yet confirmed.

REMEY. The officers of the United States marine corps mentioned in the foregoing dispatch are probably Capt. Austin R. Davis, recently at Manila, killed, and First Lieut. Smedley D. Butler, of the United States steamer Newark, and First Lieut. Henry Leonard, recently on duty at Cavite, and also of the Newark, wounded.

BY WAY OF LONDON.

Dispatch Confirmatory of the Fight at Tien Tsin.

London, July 16.—The Evening News prints a dispatch dated at Shanghai, 10th, giving a detailed account of the attack of the allied forces on the native city of Tien Tsin, as reported in the press dispatch dated Tien Tsin, July 13, via Che Foo, July 15, and Shanghai July 16.

According to the Evening News dispatch, the allies were repulsed and compelled to retreat with a loss of more than 100 killed, the British losing 40 and the Japanese 60. The Americans and Russians, it is added, also suffered heavily. Among the killed were a colonel of French infantry and Col. Liscum of the Ninth United States infantry. A Russian colonel of artillery was also killed.

The dispatch adds that the Chinese fought with great desperation and their marksmanship was accurate and deadly.

THE AMERICAN VICTIMS.

Brief Sketches of American Officers Who Fell at Tien Tsin.

Washington, July 16.—The war department has prepared the following account of Col. Liscum's service record:

Col. Emerson E. Liscum. He was born in Vermont, in 1841. He entered the volunteer service as corporal in the First Vermont Infantry in May, 1861, and was appointed second lieutenant February 19, 1863. He rose in the regular line to colonel of the Ninth infantry, April 25, 1899.

While in the Spanish war he was made brigadier general of volunteers, July 12, 1898, serving in that capacity till December 31, of the same year. His record, briefly stated in chronological order, is as follows:

Brevetted captain, United States army, August 1, 1864, "for gallant services in the battle of Bethesda Church, and during the campaign before Richmond, Va."

Gettysburg (where he was wounded), Bethesda Church, and siege of Petersburg.

Since the war of the rebellion he served on the frontier, etc., to April, 1888, commanding his regiment in Florida, and in the Santiago campaign to July 1, 1898, when he was wounded in the battle of San Juan, Cuba; on sick leave to April, 1899, and commanding his regiment en route to and in the Philippine islands, and in command of the first brigade, second division, Eighth army corps, January 15, 1900, to April 18, 1900; commanding his regiment in the Philippines to June 27, 1900, when he sailed with it for Taku, China.

Capt. Austin R. Davis.

Capt. Austin R. Davis, United States marine corps, also killed, was a native of Georgia. He entered the marine corps as a second lieutenant on July 1, 1894. He went out to the Philippines in April, 1899, in charge of the marines who took over the Cavite naval station from the military branch. His commission as captain in the marine corps is dated March 3, 1899.

Capt. Wm. B. Lemley.

Capt. Wm. B. Lemley, of the marine corps, who is reported as wounded, is a native of North Carolina, and a nephew of Judge Advocate General Lemley of the navy. He entered the corps of its increase in March, 1893, being attached to the staff as an assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain.

Lieut. Smedley D. Butler.

Lieut. Smedley D. Butler, of the marine corps, also wounded, was one of the new officers in the service, having been appointed from Pennsylvania in April, 1899. He was sent to the Philippines immediately upon his appointment, and was one of the officers drawn from the Cavite station by Admiral Kempff at the beginning of the fighting at Taku.

Lieut. Henry Leonard.

Lieut. Henry Leonard, of the marine corps, was appointed to that service from the District of Columbia in April, 1899. He accompanied Lieut. Butler to the Philippines soon after his appointment and also joined Kempff's forces at Taku.

Maj. James Reagan.

Maj. James Reagan of the Ninth infantry entered the military service from New York, as a musician in Company H, Second infantry, before the civil war. He served throughout the war and received a commission as second lieutenant in the Eighteenth infantry in December, 1866. He was assigned to the Ninth infantry as a first lieutenant in 1870 and has been attached to that regiment ever since, becoming a captain in 1887 and a major in 1899.

Capt. Ed. V. Bookmiller.

The Capt. Bookmiller referred to in the dispatches as having been wounded, is Capt. Edwin V. Bookmiller. He is a West Pointer, entering the academy from Ohio in 1885. His first commission was that of a second lieutenant in the Second infantry, in 1889. He became attached to the Sixteenth infantry as a captain in 1899, and joined the Ninth infantry by transfer in the same year.

Capt. Chas. R. Noyes.

Capt. Charles R. Noyes, of the Ninth infantry, is adjutant of the regiment. He also was a West Pointer, having been appointed from Massachusetts in 1875. He got his first commission as a second lieutenant in the Ninth infantry in 1879, and has been with that organization ever since, becoming first lieutenant in 1887 and captain in 1898.

CHINESE NOT APPREHENSIVE.

Chinese Consul General at San Francisco Doesn't Fear American Reprisals on Chinese.

San Francisco, July 16.—Ho Yow, Chinese consul general, considers the rumors which have come from Washington of a threatened uprising in this city against the Chinese residents, as utterly groundless. "Never since the administration of my consulate," he said, "have there been fewer cases of violence against the Chinese. In fact, I fail to recall a single case in any part of the district within the last two months, that in any way indicates hostility to my countrymen on account of the difficulties at home."

"We have every reason to feel satisfied with the treatment we have received, and I can see in the wise course the United States is pursuing in the present crisis, a far better understanding between the two nations than has heretofore existed."

"There may be an attempt on the part of the Sand-Lot agitators to precipitate an attack on Chinatown. I do not believe, however, that they will be able to control a very large following, or that the better element of the community will lend moral support to such a movement."

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Ten Thousand Boers Will Emigrate to America When the cruel War is Over.

Cape Town, July 16.—When the war in South Africa is over 10,000 Boers, chiefly naturalized citizens of the Transvaal, will emigrate to the United States. Irish-Americans are arranging the preliminaries for this movement.

The latest Machadodorp advices state that President Kruger will refuse to surrender until his supplies are exhausted.

Shot From Ambush.

Mount Vernon, Ill., July 16.—William Reed, who lived 12 miles north-east of this place, was shot from ambush and instantly killed at five o'clock Sunday afternoon, while driving in a wagon with his family, consisting of himself, wife and children. Reed received a shotgun wound in the neck and died instantly. His wife was painfully wounded.

MINISTER WU CONCERNED.

News of the Fighting at Tien Tsin Received by the Chinese Minister at Washington.

HE PROFESSES HIS PROFOUND REGRET.

He Expressed Horror at the Latest Developments, Declaring that to No American Home Could the News Bring Deeper Regret than to Himself.

Washington, July 16.—News of the battle of Tien Tsin, as brought by press cables direct from the field, was conveyed to the Chinese minister. The minister followed the recital with rapt attention, interrupting with expressions of astonishment and profound regret at this startling development. He was particularly impressed with the detailed names of the American killed and wounded, which appeared to remove every shadow of doubt, and he asked as to the various officers and their families.

Well-Known Scenes.

The scene of the fighting came home vividly to the minister, as he has lived for a long time at Tien Tsin, the close friend and associate of Li Hung Chang during the latter's viceroyalty there, and every detail of the engagement around the walls could be followed by him with a personal knowledge of the surroundings. In his mind's eye, he pictured before him the scene of action. Here, he pointed out, was the great walled city, within which the native Chinese population lived.

What the Fight Meant.

Around the city swept the sinuous Pei Ho river, from Taku toward Peking. Below the walled city, a full hour's ride by chair, lay the foreign settlements, concessions or compounds. At this latter point, well away from the walls of the main city, the foreign citizens, with the allied troops, have, until now, been located. The news of the fight at the walls meant, therefore, that the allied forces had advanced from their position well down the Pei Ho, and had attacked the city itself.

Viewed With Utmost Concern.

The outcome of this he viewed with the utmost concern. He spoke with a good deal of freedom, but asked to be excused from any public declaration on the subject. In the most sympathetic terms, however, he expressed his horror at the latest developments, declaring that to no American home could the news bring deeper regret than to himself.

At the other legations and embassies, the same feeling of dismay prevailed.

An Official Suggestion.

One of the suggestions of the day, made in an official quarter, is that a commission be at once appointed to proceed to China and investigate the facts of the present situation, thus giving a basis for intelligent action.

The Situation Too Desperate.

At any other time the suggestion probably would be welcomed, as a means of clearing up the doubt of unreliable Shanghai reports, but now the situation appears too desperate to await the slow processes of a commission. The name of ex-Minister Denby was mentioned in connection with the talk of a commission.

A DIRECT CONTRADICTION.

A Late Dispatch From Consul General Goodnow Creates Doubt.

Washington, July 16.—Consul General Goodnow cabled to the state department from Shanghai, under Monday's date, that there is nothing more to report since his cablegram of the 12th inst. That dispatch reported that the attack on the legations at Peking were about to begin. Mr. Goodnow's statement is a direct contradiction of the Shanghai story, that all foreign consuls were informed, Saturday, by Sheng, that the legations had fallen, and that the minister were killed.

An Unofficial Report.

Washington, July 16.—An unofficial report has come to the attention of the Chinese officials here to the effect that 3,000 Chinese officials at Peking petitioned Prince Tuan to protect the foreigners, whereupon Prince Tuan ordered all those who united in the petition to be killed.

Hurry Order for Ammunition.

Philadelphia, July 16.—Hurry orders are being filled for shells for the warships. The Frankford arsenal is running full time, and there will be no cessation of work until 72,000,000 cartridges are turned out. The order includes cartridges for the Krag-Jorgensen and the latest improved Springfield rifle.

A Fantastic Day in Chicago.

Chicago, July 16.—Hail, heat, hurricane and rain struck various portions of Chicago, Sunday and gave the city one of the most fantastic days from a meteorological point of view that the local weather bureau has ever encountered.

Stampede to New Dignals.

Victoria, B. C., July 16.—The steamer Danube brings news of a rich strike on the head waters of Stewart river, four hundred miles from Dawson. A stampede is on, boats going up in a continuous string.

English Wheat Backward.

London, July 16.—The Mark Lane Express says the season of wheat is fully a fortnight backwards, but if August is fine we may have a good crop of average quality, the right side of 29 bushels.

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Happenings Among the Young People.

Miss Nellie Rhodes is visiting friends at this place.

Miss Emma Bigham spent a few days in Cadiz last week.

Miss Whitmore, of Hopkinsville is visiting Miss Ruth Thomas.

Miss Della Carmon, of Union County, is the guest of Mrs. Orme.

Miss Jennie Webb is visiting her relatives Mr. Allie Moore and family.

Ernest Paris has been greatly enjoying himself of late picking juicy blackberries.

Charles Moore attended the Republican State Convention at Louisville, Tuesday.

Miss Dell Barnes entertained a few of her friends on last Monday night. A delightful evening was spent.

Miss Laura Sanders, who has been the guest of the Misses Gray returned to her home in Paducah Thursday.

Luther Farmer went over the road to the Eddyville Pen last week, but we are glad to say that he only went to accompany a prisoner.

Miss Frances Gray went to Dy-cusburg one day last week to see about securing the school there. We hope that the young lady may be successful.

On July 10, the Epworth League was delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haynes. About eight o'clock the yard was almost filled with young people, who were engaged in conversation. About ten o'clock sup-

Edited by Four of them.

per was daintily set and the young people were summoned to partake of the bountiful refreshments. After supper music was given by several of those present and it was greatly enjoyed by all. The time for bidding goodnight was now near at hand, so after thanking Mr. and Mrs. Haynes for the pleasant evening which had been passed the guests departed.

A number of the young ladies and gentlemen of the city are preparing to present the noted drama "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" and an accompanying comedy, in the Opera House the first week in August. A liberal per cent of proceeds goes to the School Library. The work and efforts of local talent are always well patronized and greatly enjoyed.

One of the leading entertainments of the season, in society, was the reception given by Mrs. Carrie Maxwell on last Thursday evening in the honor of her guests, Miss Gregg, of Ohio, and Miss LeTellier, of Texas. After the gentlemen had made a brilliant display of their ignorance of the art of sewing by dressing a pipe doll, delightful refreshments were served. The remaining hours of the evening were spent in pleasant conversation, the beautiful parlors and cool lawn being thronged with happy guests. About twelve o'clock the guests departed assuring the hostess that a more delightful evening had never been spent.

The following were present: J. W. Wilson and wife; Sep Haynes and wife, Deland, Fla.; Misses

Blue, Camilla Blue, Morganfield; Murray, Uniontown; Gregg, Cincinnati; LeTellier, Texas; Roney, Moore, Carrie Moore, Kitty Moore, James, Browning, Dorr, Clement, Bell, Woods, Kathie Woods, Kitty Woods, Sallie Woods, Gray, Fanny Gray, Barnes and Cook; and Messrs. J. E. Crider, Wyatt, Wigginton, Fredonia; Drescher, Louisville; Rob Cook, Levy Cook, James, Morris, Col. Clark, Squier, Moore, Walker, Kevill, Hurley, Woods, Dorr, Clifton and Maxwell.

On Tuesday night at the Opera House Miss Kitty Woods made her first appearance as a reader and impersonator. After a year of careful training in Chicago, it is needless to say she far surpassed the highest expectations of her friends.

We bespeak for her a bright future and Marion is indeed proud of Miss Kitty. The Four Hundred of Marion were present besides quite a number from neighboring towns. Mrs. Ingram furnished the music in her usual up-to-date style. It was the event of the season.

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The undersigned administrators of W. J. LaRue, deceased, will on Wednesday, Aug. 1, 1900.

offer at public sale to the highest and best bidder, at his late residence, the following property of said decedent:

2 Horses, 2 Mules, 1 Milk Cow.
A lot of Stock Hogs,
A lot of Fine Seed Wheat,
Corn, Hay, etc.
Farming Implements,
Household Furniture, etc.

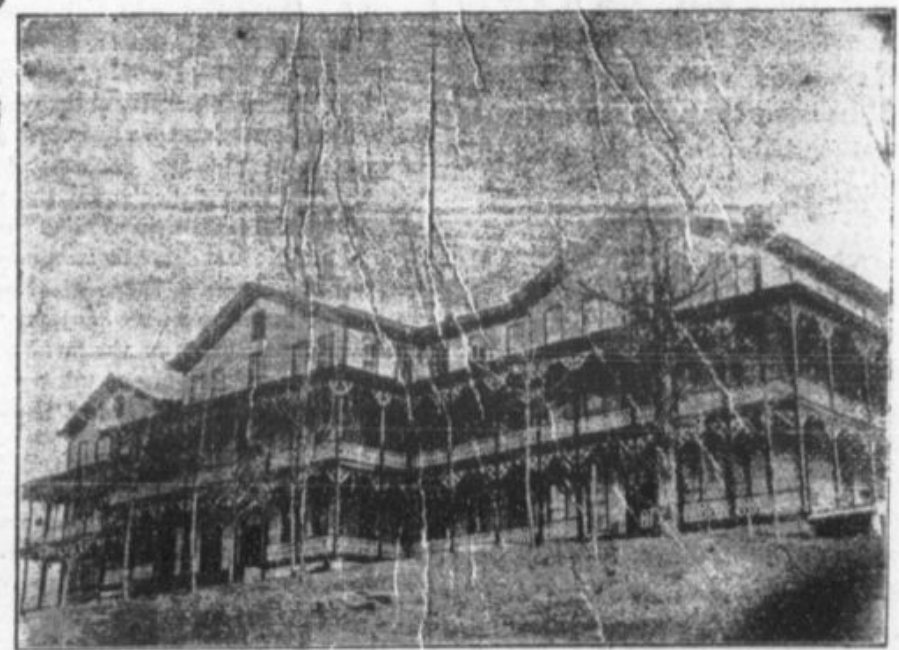
Terms made known on day of sale.

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Admsrs.

Col. Giles, the founder of Sturgis, died at his home in that place Monday.

Gov. Beckham's friends claim that he will have enough votes to nominate him on the first ballot, figuring on at least 600, and probably 700, while only 547 are required to nominate.

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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Ex-Governor Bradley declines to accept the nomination for congress in the Eighth district.

There are nine presidential tickets in the field, and Bill Bryan has not been heard from yet.

The Democrats are in Lexington and the Republicans were in Louisville yesterday, but both are keeping their telescopes turned on Georgetown.

They are wanting more soldiers in the Philippines. If Aguinaldo can do all this fighting dead, what could he have done had he not been killed more than two or three times.

Hon. John W. Yerkes was nominated by acclamation for governor by the Republican State convention Tuesday. The chief plank in the platform calls for the abolishment of the Goebel election law.

The Clinton Democrat issued a handsome illustrated edition last week. It shows enterprise on the part of the town and is a credit to the publishers. We congratulate both the publisher and the first class town wherein it is situated upon this effort.

Evansville is evidently a powerful good town for preachers to stay away from. Last spring the Courier roasted a Baptist minister for going there and getting drunk. Last week the same paper paid its respects to E. P. Crowe, a Methodist minister of Owensboro.

If we are to believe all we see in some of the papers about the zinc and lead mines of this section Cortez was on a cold trail when he sought his El Dorado elsewhere. To be sure we have the wealth, but there is such a thing as overdoing even a good thing.

Crittenden county is prepared to furnish all the lead for any of Uncle Sam's wars, and if any of our boys get killed we can line their coffins with zinc. Thus it will be seen that we can furnish more substantial things than statesmen.

Judge Evans holds that the McChord railroad bill, which was passed by the legislature to prevent the railroads from collecting extortionate freight rates, is unconstitutional and has granted an injunction against its enforcement. There will be no surprise expressed at Judge Evans' decision, but the case will go to the higher courts, where a similar law adopted by another State was upheld. The McChord bill was an issue in the late campaign and it stirred up the railroads to the bitter fight against the late Gov. Goebel. The roads will now fight in the courts and it is to be hoped that the people, who granted the roads the franchises under which they operate, will be able to again demonstrate that the creature is not greater than the creator.

Deeds Recorded.

R. W. Vanhooser to J. N. McDowell, 11 acres for \$33.
J. N. McDowell to Champ Stroneatt, 11 acres for \$225.
John Hargraves to E. L. Nunn, 24 acres for \$50.
Eugene Sutcliff to A. H. Cardin, 442 acres for \$2,100.
John V. Hayden to Mrs. Oleo Frazer, house and lot for \$600.
Henry M. Cook to Mrs. M. A. Moore, house and lot for \$800.

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COUNTY CONVENTION.

Delegates go to the Lexington Convention Without Instructions

Pursuant to the call, the Democrats of Crittenden county met in Convention at Marion Monday, July 16, for the purpose of sending delegates to the State convention which meets in Lexington July 19 for the purpose of nominating a candidate for governor. Gus. Graves was chosen chairman and W. S. Hicklin and M. F. Pogue secretaries.

Upon motion each precinct was directed to appoint a committee on resolutions and the following committee was appointed:

P. S. Maxwell, C. S. Nunn, P. C. Stephens, O. M. James, Owen Boaz, W. O. Wicker, Alex Jones, Amplas Weldon, R. M. Franks, G. C. Wathen, T. J. Perryman, Jeff Elder.

The committee reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved by the Democrats of Crittenden county in Convention assembled, on the 16th day of July, 1900, according to the call of the State committee, for the purpose of sending delegates to the State convention at Lexington, Ky., July 19, 1900

We with heart and soul endorse our Presidential ticket of the great and matchless Bryan, and that never failing and Democratic spoilsman, Adlai Stevenson, and we pledge to them our unwavering efforts in their behalf.

We endorse the Kansas City Democratic platform as the greatest document of freedom since that patron saint of Democratic faith, Thomas Jefferson, sounded that undying note of American freedom.

We stand for the republic of our Fathers against the spirit of Empire; we stand for the volunteer soldier, whose valor has won renown upon every field where blood tells of heroism, against the standing army of oppression advocated by the Republican party. We stand for the gold and silver of the constitution at 16 to 1 against the world, and without any foreign power giving their consent, and against the single standard of money, which increases the purchasing power of a dollar held by the wealthy alone and decreases the property of the producer, the toil of the laborer, and the industry of our people. We denounce the trusts of this country that have robbed our people and call attention to the fact that more than 1,000 in number have sprung up, covering every article of consumption used by our people, while they lower the price of every thing that labor and toil produce, and we say these trusts have come amongst us, creating unfair and stifled markets, since the Republican party came into power, and we hear this party of greed and plunder declares that a constitution that gives "equal rights to all and special privileges to none" is unable to handle and drive from oppression and out of existence these great aggregations of imposition; we therefore say that our constitution of the fathers does give a mode and manner of taking these giant trusts by the throat and throwing them out of power.

We call for harmony at the Lexington convention. In a battle for law and order against assassination and murder we want every man who wishes refuge under our flag to be welcomed. We send our delegates to the Lexington convention uninstructed, trusting to their honest democracy and love of party success, and ask them to cast the vote of this county for the Democrat who can, in their opinion, poll the largest vote at the November election.

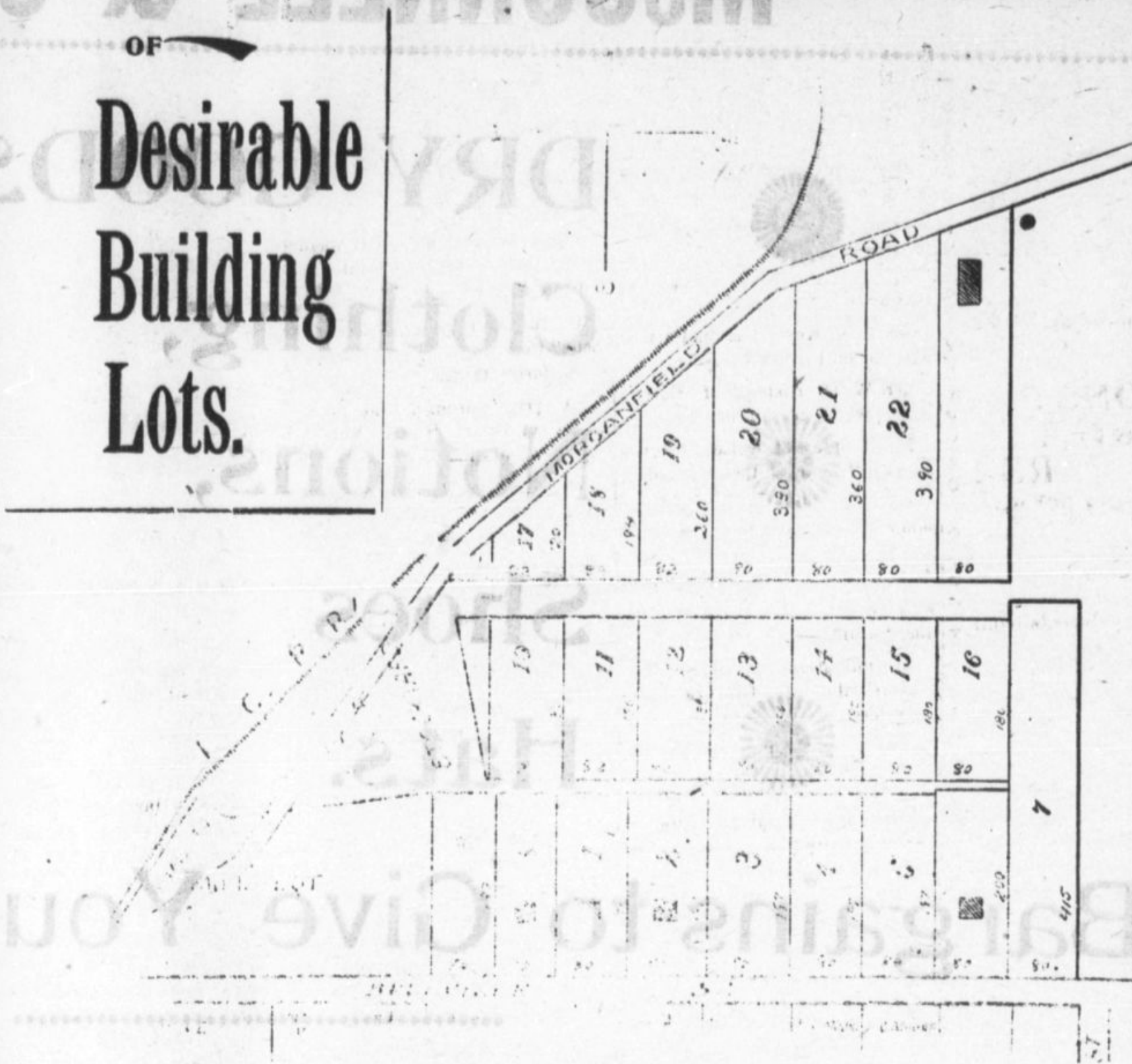
We denounce the cowardly murder of the great Goebel, and call upon the law for punishment of those who in conspiracy caused his death. We point with pride to our path, which has been along the mountain highway of the law. We send as our delegates the following named Democrats, and instruct them to vote as a unit upon all questions arising before the convention.

A. M. Hearin, P. S. Maxwell, Tom Cochran, C. S. Nunn, R. C. Walker, P. C. Stephens, A. Dean, Will Clark, O. M. James, J. W. Blue, L. W. Cruce, John Skelton, Owen Boaz, Gus Graves, P. K. Cooksey, J. O. Griffin, M. F. Pogue, A. F. Oliver, H. W. Milliken, Jeff Clement, Aleck Jones, D. W. Carter, Forrest Harris, R. M. Franks, Simp. Weldon, Foster Threlkeld, J. W. Waggoner, J. A. Lewis, Gabe Wathen, Henry Wood, Jas. Hicklin, W. C. Hamilton, T. J. Perryman, E. L. Nunn, Alvin Newcomb, Thomas Woody, Joseph Samuels, Jeff Elder, Martin Taylor, Amplas Weldon, Ed. F. Carsey, Willis Stallions, P. E. Donahay, J. R. Glass.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Ab Daniel, of Lola, was in town Tuesday.

Blackberries are getting down to ten cents.

Al Swansey, of Kuttawa, was in town this week.

Henry Wood, of Weston, was in town yesterday.

Jeff Clement threshed 1900 bushels of wheat.

See the new line of rockers at Boston & Walker's.

Mr. J. B. Kevil has had a new face put on his fine compass.

Mr. W. D. Bishop, of Berry's Ferry, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Reider, of Kelsey, was the guest of friends in town Tuesday.

Do not overlook the auction sale of choice town lots August 10 and 11.

A little child of Mr. Ed. Lynch, who lives two miles north of town died Saturday.

All ministers commend Prof. Meyers' Illustrated Lecture. Largely attended everywhere.

The a gnet Laundry still leads. It does the best work.

MARKHAM TERRY.

Mr. Lewis Babout and wife, of Paducah, were visiting friends in town last week.

Ollie James and Amplas Weldon are attending the convention at Lexington.

Miss Mary Ray, of Bedford county, is visiting her brother, Dr. Ray, for a few weeks.

Call and see the New York store for your clothing, shoes and hats. Next door to the post office.

LOST—A bunch of keys. Please return to me and get reward.

J. J. Clark.

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

Misses Waddell and Masoncup compromised all of their law suits since the adjournment of court.

County Judge Rochester let the contract for repairing the T. M. Butler bridge to Frank Ackridge for \$39.00.

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. Clarence Weldon, of Fulton, was greeting his many friends in Marion Saturday. He is in splendid spirits, fine in form and good at heart, and seems to have prospered since abiding in Fulton.

What among human ills are more annoying than piles? The afflictions that prevent active exercise are bad enough, but one that makes even rest miserable is worse. Women are among its greatest martyrs. TABLET'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT will cure the most obstinate cases. Price 50 cts. in bottle, Tubes 75c at Orme's drugstore.

Our old friend, Mr. Thomas Prowell, of Tennessee, who is visiting his friends in this section, received bad news from home last week. His faithful old dog, who had about reached his score of years, passed away and Mr. Prowell was anxious to attend the obsequies, but his friends here persuaded the old gentleman that all would be attended to and he will stay with us some days yet.

100,000 feet Building Lumber FOR SALE.

My mill is located 2 miles north of Marion, and I have 100,000 feet of building lumber for sale, and will cut to order—any dimensions. Will deliver in Marion. For prices apply to

W. B. JAMES,

Mrs. C. S. Nunn is in Dawson this week.

Buggy and wagon paints at Boston & Walker's.

T. C. Guess' wheat crop measured up 1405 bushels.

Mr. Lewis Clifton and wife are expected home today.

Born to the wife of Dr. J. J. Clark, July 16, a fine boy.

A. Dewey & Co. expect to have the City Mill ready for business Monday.

Do not miss the Illustrated Lectures. Highly instructive and entertaining.

The early rains evidently washed our street sprinkler into the Gulf of Mexico.

On July 18 marriage license was issued to George M. Travis and Cora Bertie Travis.

"A Trip Through The Holy Land," at Opera House, Sunday night. Admission free.

Walter Bailey and wife of Saulsbury, Tenn., are guests of friends in the Weston neighborhood.

POPULAR LUMBER.—We a lot of season popular lumber.

BOSTON & WALKER.

Miss Lillie Cook has returned home from Madisonville, where she has been spending some weeks.

Mrs. W. I. Cruce, of Ardmore, I. T., arrived Tuesday and will spend some weeks with friends in this section.

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

'Phone 47. J. D. Boaz.

Mrs. Nellie Payne, of Birmingham, Ky., was the guest of her niece, Mrs. W. J. Howerton, of this place, last week.

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

T. A. HARPENDING.

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

J. D. Boaz.

The mid-summer ball takes place at Crittenden Springs Friday night. A big crowd is expected, and manager Wilson will have his house in order to entertain.

Everybody hopes that some enterprising spirit or spirits can and will buy the lot recently made vacant by the fire and put the hotel building upon it that Marion needs and deserves.

The old "Southern Harmony" singing at Dunns Springs and Hebron Sunday drew a large crowd and the "old folks" had a glorious time singing the old melodies so familiar to them twenty years ago.

Gus Taylor and Ollie Tucker spent Sunday in the town of Providence, and if the other Providence is good to them and the Wynn favorable, they will be there again shortly.

To eradicate worms from the system give the child plain, nourishing food and WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. The result will be, the worms will disappear and the child become healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cts at Orme's.

Mr. J. P. Reed shipped some as fine cattle as ever went away from Marion this week. One lot of 27 head averaging 1150 lbs. he purchased of T. M. George, of Salem; another lot of 35 head, averaging 950 lbs., he got of Dixon and Guess.

At the last meeting of the city council a committee was appointed to arrange for the opening of Poplar street through the property of Mr. J. H. Walker. This street is badly needed and it is hoped that the city council will be able to do this much for that portion of the city.

Mr. E. M. Rousseau twenty-two years ago a school boy, in Marion came down from his home at Somerset this week, and is meeting his many old friends and acquaintances here. He was popular with the school-boys and they still have a warm place in their hearts for him.

Jesse Olive has purchased the Dixon farm near town.

The insurance adjuster is here to settle Mrs. Cameron's loss by fire.

Mrs. Nannie Cotton, of Madisonville, is the guest of Mrs. J. P. Pierce.

Mr. Oscar and Miss May Cropper, of Pittsburg, Kan., are visiting friends in this county.

Rev. G. M. Burnett will preach at the M. E. Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Miss Maffin and Miss Alexander, who were guests of the Miss McNeely's, returned to their home at Dawson Monday.

Miss Taylor Woodard returned to her home at Providence yesterday, after a pleasant week with friends in Marion.

As soon as I can get matters arranged I will be in business again. I have already purchased a portion of my fall stock of millinery.

Nina Howerton.

Dr. L. B. Moore, of Arkansas, came up to the funeral of his brother and remained some days mixing with his friends.

Rev. R. H. Adams, of Corydon, spent Sunday with friends in Marion. He filled the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

The meeting at White Union closed a few days ago. Rev. G. M. Burnett, was assisted by Rev. J. T. Watson, of Madisonville. The church was greatly revived and there were a number of conversions.

Mr. Fred Lemon, who was thrown from a buggy and badly injured some weeks ago, is able to be out on crutches. He was in town Monday and hopes to regain the use of his ankle.

The favorite whiskey of famous men is HARPER. Because of its smooth, exquisite flavor; because of its matchless purity; because of its mellow age. No wonder it's the favorite. Every drop sterling. HARPER WHISKEY. Sold by J. H. Orme, Marion, Ky.

A party of business men from Sturgis, consisting of Messrs. Will Wallace, Will Woolridge, Ellis McGraw, Wm. Eberly, Geo. Carvill and John Quinn are spending a week at Crittenden Springs. They have a tent and are camping and having a good time generally.

Dr. J. R. Clark and Mr. J. H. Morse left Saturday for New Mexico on a prospecting as well as a health-hunting trip. Mr. Morse is threatened with pulmonary trouble and his physician advises him to try the west; Dr. Clark does not like our rigorous winters, especially the variable weather, and thinks he can find a climate more congenial to his advanced years. They are two of Marion's best citizens, and we regret the necessity of their leaving, and hope that both will find health and wealth.

The recital Tuesday evening was accorded a liberal patronage, and the audience was pleased with the programme and its rendition. Mrs. Ingram's playing always charms her audiences, and Miss Maud Roney wins the plaudits of all who appreciate a splendid voice and the applause that always follows is so spontaneous and universal. This was Miss Kitty Woods' first appearance in recital and impersonation, and her friends were more than gratified at her success. Good voice, distinct, musical enunciation, handsome carriage, together with a good conception of the authors, she is destined to make a high mark in this field, if she chooses. Some of her work Tuesday evening could not be excelled by some of the high priced entertainers we have had with us.

Is your liver tired? Does it fail to do its duty? If so, don't neglect its call for help. A few doses of HERBINE will save you a spell of sickness. HERBINE is the only perfect liver medicine. It cures Chills and Fever. Price 50c at Orme's.

Skelton's Corner

Did you know that Skelton's Ready Relief would cure Piles? Ask Mr. Zeke Hughes about it.

Did you know that Skelton's Tonic and Liver Regulator would cure dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Blood diseases, etc? Ask Mr. Isaac Hodges about it.

Did you know that Skelton's External Liniment would remove a rheumatic pain quickly? Ask Mr. Gordon Hammond about it.

Did you know that Skelton's Ready Relief would cure flux, cholera morbus, bilious colic, cramp colic, etc? Ask Mr. Lucian Miles about it?

Did you know that Skelton would guarantee his remedies to relieve and cure, if directions were followed strictly? Many can testify to this fact.

Did you know that Skelton was selling groceries cheaper than any one in Crittenden county? Scores of people can tell you all about it. Suppose you try him once. Won't you?

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.

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This year we hope to do more business with you, promising courteous treatment and the lowest possible prices, and we add just here that all

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THE INSTITUTE.

The Teachers Holding an Interesting Meeting.

On the morning of July 16th the teachers of Crittenden county assembled in the chapel of the graded school building to attend their annual county institute. The house was called to order by the Superintendent, Miss Wheeler.

After a song by the choir and devotional exercises conducted by Mr. W. H. Watson, the regular work was commenced. The first work of the institute was the election of officers. Mr. C. B. Hina was elected chairman by acclamation, and Mr. P. M. Woodall was appointed a committee of one to escort him to the chair.

The chairman on taking his seat proceeded at once to business. The following officers were elected: Alice Browning, vice president; Fannie Gray, secretary; J. H. Parrish, assistant secretary; B. H. Jacobs, chaplain.

The enrollment of members was in order, the entire number enrolled on the first morning being sixty-two.

The Superintendent made a few explanatory remarks, and the institute was then addressed by the able instructor. Mr. Evans stated that there was nothing new under the sun, and that we must not try to present something new to them but that we must learn the process of rejuvenation and be able to present old facts in new clothes to them.

He further stated that the teacher must believe the commonality of man, and that he must believe in childhood and love it. A teacher, to be successful, must have faith in his work, spirit, open-mindedness or receptivity; no trust in luck but in work. With these four requisites there is no reason why any teacher should not achieve great good.

As a stern reminder, Mr. Evans left off by saying that as we sow, so shall we reap, and that when we offer excuses, offer them not for the teacher and the teaching, but for our own sluggishness.

After remarks by the Superintendent and chairman the meeting adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.

The house was called to order at the appointed time. The roll-call, music and announcements followed in their usual order.

Under the subject of school management came the silent, yet salient factors in teaching. Among these were text books, school buildings, school furniture, school sites and grounds, school apparatus and district school libraries, discussed by E. J. Travis, C. B. Hina, J. B. McNeely, Miss Mina Wheeler, Miss Margaret Moore and E. S. Moore respectively.

Recess and music intervened before the instructor addressed the institute on the subject of reading. The principles laid down by him are axiomatic in their nature to those who think. They are that reading towers above all other studies, that to read well one must think, feel and act, that there are two forces acting in reading, the mind and body and that when we get these forces trained so there is the least possible friction then it is that we shall have the most effective reading. Only a few minutes is all our instructor asks for time to recuperate and he is again ready to give us something good.

In his talk on literature the burden of Mr. Evans' remarks was that literature is the key that unlocks the treasures of the present glorious century; that if we wish to get any good out of this life we must study literature continually. An outline having been given for the study of literature for Tuesday the institute adjourned to meet Tuesday at 7:30 o'clock.

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E. C. MOORE.

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A Prominent Citizen Passes Away, July 11, after a Brief Illness.

Mr. E. C. Moore, one of the best known citizens of the county, died at his home at Mattoon, July 11, after a few days illness. He was afflicted with a throat trouble and while his condition was known to be serious the end came unexpected. He was sitting in bed and called for some ice water, and immediately after swallowing he expired.

He was buried with Masonic honors at the new cemetery Friday afternoon, and it was one of the most largely attended funerals in the history of the town. From all over the county his friends came to pay him the last tribute of respect.

E. C. Moore was a son of the late R. L. Moore, one of the pioneer citizens of the county. He was a man of fine business qualifications and at various times was interested in a number of business enterprises and with his fine judgement, energy and tact was usually successful.

He was of a social, genial turn, strong in his attachment to friends and he had many among the young men of the county.

He was married a few years ago to Miss Eva Williams, a daughter of Mr. H. B. Williams, of Webster county, and the union proved to be a happy one, and his death was a severe blow to the affectionate wife, as well as to his brothers Dr. R. L. Moore, of this place, and Dr. L. B. Moore, of Arkansas, his sisters, Mrs. G. D. Summerville and Mrs. W. F. Summerville, and many are the friends who sincerely mourn and regret the death of Ewell Moore, and long will his name be cherished and his memory kept green by those who knew him.

Resolutions of Respect.

ZION HILL LODGE No. 371, F. and A. M.

Brethren: Death has again invaded our ranks and the Supreme Ruler has called from labor to refreshment our beloved brother, E. C. Moore.

Brother Moore was born in Crittenden county, Ky., December, 1862, died July 11, 1900, was made a Master Mason in Zion Hill lodge August, 1896, and has ever since been a true and faithful brother among us. Therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of

brother Moore Zion Hill Lodge has lost a true and faithful member, his wife a loving companion, and the community a kind and helping hand, one who was ever ready to assist the poor or the oppressed.

Be it further resolved, That we extend to his wife, his brothers and sisters our sympathy in this, their sad bereavement.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the lodge and a copy sent to his family, and that the brethren wear the usual badge of mourning for 30 days.

This July 16, 1900.

C. G. Moreland,
R. L. Flannery,
G. C. Wathen,
Committee.

Whereas, That inscrutable Providence, to whose mysterious ways we all must bow, has removed from our midst our fellow citizen and business associate, and a director in our bank, Mr. E. C. Moore,

Therefore be it resolved, That in his death we lose an estimable citizen and a valued business man, whose advice, counsel and courtesy we prize, and we tender our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Resolved, That a copy hereof be entered upon our records and a copy furnished the bereaved family.

Wm. Fowler,
President Farmers Bank,
J. B. Hubbard,
Asst. Cashier.

TOLU.

The river is getting low.

The little steamer Luda Warren and City of Golconda made an excursion trip to Eddyville penitentiary Sunday.

Messrs. John N. Clark and Arch Davidson were in this vicinity last week, buying wheat.

Dr. Flannery, who emigrated to St. Louis, Mo., returned to his old home a few days since.

This has been a rich harvest for blackberry pickers, and hundreds of gallons have been sold at ten cents per gallon.

The colored folks will have a twelve day meeting in the wilderness near Tolu, beginning July 28th.

Rev. L. B. Anderson, formerly of this county, but now of Elizabethtown, Ill., is stopping a few

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days with Dr. Warford's family of this place.

Bro. Cundiff being engaged in a protracted meeting at Siloam church, his pulpit was filled at Tolu Sunday by Bro. Israel M. Bebout.

Rev. W. Likens, of Owensboro, will address the people of Tolu on the subject of prohibition on Saturday, the 21st, at 7:30 p. m.

Club Organized.

The Banner Democratic Club of Livingston county was organized here Saturday, July 14th with 110 members. The following officers were elected: T. E. Butler Pres., H. D. McChesney, Vice Pres., Robt. Utley Sec., William Grassham assistant secretary.

T. E. Butler and Guy Gibbs were called upon for speeches and they responded with great credit and honor to themselves. Burning enthusiasm was manifested throughout the meeting. What this movement means is that the people, well organized and disciplined, in a peaceful and lawful manner, intend to take charge of a government that of right belong to them. There is a time in the history of all politics when every man should do all in his power that the party might win, and if there was ever such a time in the history of the Democratic party it is now.

Let every democrat in Salem precinct join this or some or other club in the county. Let us go forward breast to breast, shoulder to shoulder in one solid phalanx

to meet the common enemy. Come out to our next meeting Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, Aug. 4th.

Robt. Utley, Sec.
T. E. Butler, Pres.
Salem, Ky., July 14, 1900.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. But such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, give a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c at J. H. Orme's Drug Store.

GOV. BECKHAM

Seems to be the Winner of the gubernatorial Nomination.

Frankfort, Ky., July 17.—Latest advices from the Democratic county conventions indicate that Gov. Beckham is far in the lead in the matter of instructions. With forty-six delegate votes unreported and fifty-eight contested, the figures are: Beckham 472 19; 35; Black, 134 16-35; Lewis, 78; Smith, 14; Pryor, 11; McCreary, 13; uninstructed, including Louisville, 265.

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OUR TICKET.

Will be pleased. This flour pleases the housewife as well as the voter, and gives strength to all who use it. It makes the best bread, the best cakes, and in fact it is the best article to keep in the flour bin obtainable.

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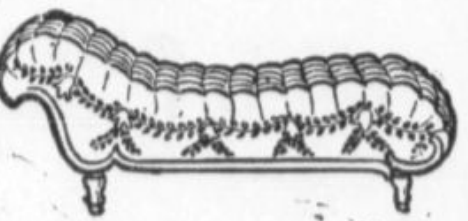
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This is simply a suggestion, that no delay may be experienced in its delivery when it is ordered.

C. F. Shoemaker, Capt. R.C.S.

Remember we Sell it on a GUARANTEE.

Boston & Walker.

EMMAUS.

John Sunderland has a nice lot of corn for sale.

Quietude reigned supreme at Emmaus Saturday.

Lan Travis spent Sunday at the parsonage.

Ed. Waddell found his way to Emmaus Saturday.

Miss Maria Hodge, of Iuka, is here visiting her parents.

Rev. J. C. Kinsolving wants to purchase a saddle horse.

Miss Jenny Brown and sister attended church at Emmaus Sunday.

Master Elsie Wring, of Marion, spent last week with his grandparents.

F. M. Brown, the timber man, has left for parts unknown—to Mr. Boyd.

Will Kirk says the Daisy is his favorite flower, so we have been informed.

Will Brown, the Populist champion, was circulating political literature Sunday.

Miss Willie Shelby was the recipient of a valuable present recently, consisting of a horse and buggy.

Uncle Carroll Hodge's wife died very suddenly Friday and was buried the following day at Pinkneyville cemetery.

William Summers and Miss Allie Butler and several other of our pleasure seekers spent Sunday of last week at Crittenden Springs.

Uncle Bill Simpkins, who has passed his seventy-fifth mile post, reeled off several miles Sunday in order to be present at his monthly meeting.

The little turmoil on the public road Friday between Phil Travis and John Polk reminds one of Frankfort scenes.

Esq. McKinney, however, brought about a reconciliation and restored peace.

WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE not only effectually expels worms, but is unequalled as a tonic, and is a certain permanent cure for Chills and Fever in children. Price 25c at Orme's.

LONE CEDAR.

The wheat thresher is in our neighborhood.

Mrs. Cora Nation is visiting relatives at Tolu.

John Clark spent Saturday and Sunday in Weston.

Ira Clark made a flying trip to Union county last week.

Miss Cora Potter of Marion is visiting in this neighborhood.

Mrs. McFee was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Dean last week.

Hiram Ford and wife spent Sunday with friends in this neighborhood.

Mr. Ainsworth spent last week in this neighborhood with his son Seldon.

Rev. J. R. Clark will preach at Mrs. Congers next Sunday at eleven o'clock also at Lone Cedar Sunday eve.

Mrs. Tom Daniels and daughter, Sue attended the funeral of Mr. Harvey Elder, Mrs. Daniels' brother.

The Ice Cream supper at D. H. King's last Thursday night was quite a success.

The young folks gave us excellent music both instrumental and vocal.

Those who live on farms are liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises which heal rapidly when BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is promptly applied. Price 25c and 50 cents at Orme's.

STARR.

The tobacco crop will be light.

C. W. Andrews is in bad health.

Mrs. Baker's sale next Saturday.

Clean off the graveyard next Saturday.

John Couch & Sons have a fine crop of tobacco.

Mrs. Francis P. Crayne was visiting here last Friday.

There was a barbecue at the Medical Spring last Saturday.

Miss Lillie Guess of Shady Grove, is visiting Mrs. Turk this week.

It appears that the big rains are over and road working is in order.

The teachers of this part are attending the Institute this week.

Campmeeting begins at Piney Friday before the second Sunday in August.

James Blackburn and wife. Rfaus, Caldwell county are visiting Carl Baucher and family.

W. A. Woodall, P. M. Woodall and J. B. McNeely will attend the association from Piney creek church.

Dollar, Shinnall, & Co. are in this vicinity with their bran new cyclone thresher, knocking out the wheat.

White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow.

His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was Yellow Jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful Stomach and Liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 10c. Sold by Jas. H. Orme druggist.

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Would you like a copy of our book on the Hair and Scalp? It is free. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expect from the use of the Vigor write the Doctor about it. Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

WAYSIDE COTTAGE.

We need some rain on our little drowned corn.

Hay cutting is the program of the day down here and is turning out very well.

This place has not been wrote up for some time and I will try to send a few items.

The old folks' singing at Dunn Springs last Sunday was a grand time and we will have another.

The Democratic convention meets at Marion today and I hope they will do a good, intelligent work.

Percy and Ransom Goodman, of Evansville, are visiting their grandfather, L. E. Cook, of this community.

Old fashion Southern Harmony singing on the second Sunday morning in August. Come one and all and bring your book.

Mr. J. M. Phillips, who went to Evansville to have his eyes treated can not see any yet but we hope he will after another operation is performed.

Imperfect digestion and assimilation produce disordered conditions of the system, which grow and are confirmed by neglect. HERBINE gives tone to the stomach, and causes good digestion. Price 50c at Orme's.

FREDONIA.

Frank Jones was in town Tuesday.

H. C. Marlow was in Paducah recently.

Rev. W. J. Wells went to Dycusburg Sunday.

Miss Bailey, of Dycusburg, is visiting in Kelsey.

Miss Lelia Marlow has returned from Dycusburg.

W. F. Dodds, of Princeton, was in town Sunday.

Quint Conyer, of Crider, was in town Tuesday.

Ceiley Wyatt, a very old colored woman, died Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Sholson, of Cairo, Ill., is visiting in town.

Doc Clement and family, of Kuttawa, were in town Tuesday.

Nels Cash, of Dulaney neighborhood was in town Saturday.

Miss Neville and daughter are visiting in Dycusburg this week.

Miss Zena Hubbard, of Marion, is visiting Miss Verna Todd.

Frank Stone has leased S. R. Boyd's farm for three years.

House and lot and vacant lot for sale at a bargain, separate or together.

S. H. Ramage has sold his house and lot in Kelsey to S. R. Boyd.

W. J. Stone and Frank McElroy, of New Bethel, were in town Monday.

The delegates elected Saturday, went to the county convention Monday at Princeton.

Wheat threshing is about over with in this community. There is above an average yield and the quality is first class.

Prof. Henry Davis and family have returned from their visit to his parents.

Mrs. John Rorer and son, Karl are visiting Charles Guess and family, of Wehlt Sulphur.

Mrs. James W. Riley and T. Powell are both very sick. Mrs. Riley has been sick several weeks.

Miss Marcella Neil left on Monday to spend two or three months visiting relatives in Tennessee.

The families of H. C. Trisley and Lawrence Wilson, of Crider, were in town Monday evening.

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CHAPEL HILL.

H. S. Hill is on the sick list.

An infant of Cal Belt's was buried at Chapel Hill Sunday.

Bro. Price, of Marion, preached a fine sermon for us Sunday.

Homer Jacobs, son of M. G. Jacobs, is very sick with fever.

Mrs. James Hill is on the sick list. She has remittent fever.

Joe Parr and lady, of Caldwell county are the guests of B. F. Walker.

The train killed a fine yearling calf of W. H. Bigham last Sunday week.

Albert Crider was around greeting his many friends of Chapel Hill Sunday.

Elmer William's son was the guest of Mirtle McChord Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lora, Elder, of Illinois, is the guest of relatives in this neighborhood.

B. F. Walker while cutting wheat fell from the binder and received painful injuries.

Harry Long has sold his interest in their crop to Mrs. Long and has moved back to Illinois.

Mr. John Ashbridge, of Caldwell Springs neighborhood, is visiting relatives in our precinct.

Miss Ella Bryant, of Oak Grove neighborhood, was the guest of Miss Ada and Addie Bigham Sunday.

Quite a number of young people gathered at J. C. Minner's Saturday night and mingled their voices together.

Miss Ada Bigham returned from an extended visit to Mrs. Ellen Ashbridge near Jackson School house.

Mrs. William Fowler and Miss Ida Hill, of Marion, were visiting in this Precinct this week.

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