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OUR MINES AND MINERS.

OUR MINERALS ARE BEING RAPIDLY DEVELOPED.

Latest New York quotations on fluor spar, including freight:

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| Kentucky lump |\$12.40 |
| " ground | 15.90 |
| Foreign, lump | 10.00 |
| " ground | 12.25 |

The Joplin zinc and lead market has an upward tendency.

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| Zinc at Joplin per ton |\$27.00 |
| Lead, per 100 lbs. | 2.33 |
| Price of spelter at St. Louis |\$3.95 |
| Lead sales at St. Louis, per 100 lbs. | 4.20 |
| Barytes—American |\$ 8.00 |
| Foreign | 15.50 |

The circumscribed limits of the deposits of fluor spar in this country—scarcely a good sized county in area—should warn the producers not to be too generous in their dealings with the consumers. The output by the Marion companies during the past three years has been very large, possibly greater than the development for the future would warrant. There has been no new finds of any moment put into the shape of producers during these years. The demand from the steel and iron works, the granite ware and other enamellers, the glassware manufacturers, and the producers of hydro-fluoric acid has largely increased and their wants must be met by the two or three companies raising spar in and around Marion. It would seem to an outside observer that the extremely low price at which fluor spar is now selling is almost suicidal to the producers' interests. It's cost, including the ordinary royalty, hauling by team to the railroad, loading, superintendence, interest and loss, saying nothing about the cost of mining and selling, would closely approximate if not exceed four dollars per short ton. In justice to the stockholders of the various fluor spar companies the price per ton should be increased. In the whole range of natural products, fluor spar alone has fallen in price during the year; and that, too, when our Marion companies practically make the price. Outside of importations to the Atlantic coast this section alone produces all of what is known as American fluor spar, and it is the best in the world. The basis of prices should be made on what is technically known as "flux," and this grade ought not to be offered at less than six dollars per short ton f. o. b. cars. This should average 88 to 90 per cent. of calcium fluoride, above 90 per cent. the consumer should pay at least 35 cents per unit additional.

The PRESS does not wish to pose as a pessimist, it simply desires the general welfare of the people. We are producing spar largely with but little if any increase in depth of our better known mines, and scarcely any opening of new ground. Such a course can have but one result if continued. Combined with sales at or below the cost of production our fluor spar companies will, in a few years more, exist only in name.

The past week has been prolific in new finds of both zinc and lead ores. From nearly all sections of

Crittenden county comes pleasant items connected with the lead and zinc industry. Even from our sister county of Livingston we hear good reports. Here and there a failure to find the vein is reported but that merely adds zest to the work of the prospector, and the next time he uses a little heavier hammer on his drills and he strikes them a trifle oftener, and the uncovering of the treasures of the earth goes merrily on.

The concentration of the pure orange colored zinc blende from the extensive crosscut running from the Bibb shaft, the property of Messrs. Blue & Nunn, has been most successfully accomplished. Mr. Waring, the leading chemist of Joplin, says in a letter received on Saturday: "The gangue is very easily separated from the mineral, a 60 per cent product being the result." His assay of the vein matter shows the astonishing amount of 20 per cent zinc. Samples of the concentrates of both the zinc and lead from this 18 foot crosscut can be seen at the Messrs. Blue & Nunn's office, next door to the opera house.

The meeting of the stockholders of "The Fluor Spar Company" was held last week in the city office of the company, court house square, Marion. The usual vigorous production of fluor spar from the Hodge mine and the other properties of the company will be continued. Mr. Squires, the president of the company, was re-elected, his son, who had made himself very popular with all classes of our people during the past year, will as formerly push the output and shipment of the company's product.

Mr. C. M. Miller, of Canton, O., representing the Republic Mining Company, is sinking a shaft on what is known as the Memphis vein, some nine miles west of Marion, on the Taylor property. Mr. Miller has also uncovered what seems to be a very strong deposit of lead, zinc and fluor spar on his Levis property. The fluor spar is especially massive and of first class quality.

President Hearn, of the Eagle Fluor Spar Company, has returned to his home in Wheeling, W. Va., for the avowed purpose, it is said, of removing his lares and penates to Salem and making it his permanent residence. This town is twelve miles from Marion, over rather a rough road.

Professor Drescher, of the Western Kentucky Mining Company, shipped on Saturday last, consigned to New York, 10,450 pounds of their zinc ores. It is stated that this shipment is for the purpose of definitely settling the class of concentrating machinery to be used on the company's property.

The weather for outdoor work has, for the greater part of the week, closing today, been of a royal nature; cloudless skies with an Italian temperature, has made life for our confreres of the pick, shovel, hammer and drill more than usually pleasant.

A wager is on the tapis between several mining men in the city as to who will ship the first full car load of zinc to the smelters. We shall all feel a trifle blue if none is shipped by the first of February.

The steam hoist, pump, etc., for the Chicago Mining Company, arrived on Saturday last over the Illinois Central and will be placed in position sometime during the week.

Several thousand dollars were distributed among the miners and teamsters last Saturday by the Kentucky Fluor Spar Company, it being their regular monthly pay day for the Yandell mines.

Mr. Henry C. Clark, President of the Chicago Mining Company, arrived in town on Monday last. Judging from his luggage, Mr. Clark's stay will extend over several weeks.

A three foot lead of spar was uncovered last week on the farms of Gid Manley and W. H. LaRue, at about eight feet from the surface. Other prospecting is being rapidly pushed.

SIXTY-ONE

Years Of Married Life—An Interesting Old Couple.

Stanton Pierce and wife of Ansonia, have been visiting friends and relatives in Livingston county for several days, and during their stay, Stanton Pierce passed his eightieth birthday, at the home of his grandson, H. W. Pierce, where a dinner had been prepared and friends invited to spend the day in pleasure with one of the oldest landmarks and his wife that is in our county.

Stanton and Mary Pierce were united in marriage in the year 1839. As a result of their marriage three sons and two daughters, all of whom are now alive except one daughter. There are twenty-five grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren living, while the old people are still jolly and spry, and bid fair for another score of years. A Friend.

Freedom School.

On Friday, January 4, 1901, our school, under the care of A. E. Brown closed. About ten o'clock the people of Freedom neighborhood began to come in, and with them were large baskets filled with such good things as the people of this locality know so well how to prepare.

About 11 o'clock we thought we needed refreshing so a crowd of about 150 people gathered around and seemed to enjoy the royal repast set before them.

Dinner being over, quite a pleasant time was enjoyed listening to the recitations and other exercises of the school. When the children were through with their parts the patrons had their talks, and when our teacher finished his short talk things seemed to change from school to more solemn work, and as our friend spoke there were but few unmoistened eyes to be seen in the crowd. Next a treat was given by the teacher with which all seemed to be highly pleased, and thus ended our school.

The New York Minstrels.

Barlow & Wilson's Greater New York Minstrels gave a performance at the opera house Saturday night. The house was packed and a great many people were forced to stand. The show is a good one and the large audience greatly enjoyed the performance. Nothing attracts a crowd in Marion like a minstrel troupe.

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HANGING

To a Tree Was Found the Body of Tim McCarty.

Union county has again come forward with a sensation. This time it is a peculiar murder or suicide.

A young man named Timothy McCarty started from Uniontown to Morganfield to procure license to wed Miss Mollie Sizemore, and some hunters found his body hanging to a gum tree about 4 o'clock the same afternoon.

When he left Uniontown it is said he had one hundred dollars in his pocket, but when found hanging to the tree he had only four dollars. He had been hanged with the bridle of the mule he was riding when he left Uniontown.

The verdict of the coroner's jury was to the effect that he came to his death at the hands of unknown parties. Some are of the opinion that he committed suicide though his clothing and his body showed evidence that he had been foully dealt with. It is a strange case.

E. W. TAYLOR

Closes His Saloon in this City and Retires from Business.

Mr. E. W. Taylor sold his stock of whiskies and wines to J. H. Orme and on the expiration of his license closed his saloon. Mr. Taylor has been in the saloon business here one year.

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A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

CONGRESSIONAL.

A bill was introduced in the senate on the 17th by Senator Vest (Mo.), to prevent having at military academies. The details of J. T. Morgan, elected senator from Alabama for the fifth time, were presented. Senator Lodge (Mass.) spoke in favor of a large army, and navy. In the house the reorganization bill was further discussed. Bills were introduced to extend the Chinese exclusion law and to favor war veterans, when competent, for official positions.

Senators Pettigrew and Hawley had a sharp fight in the senate on the 18th over the Chinese feature of the army reorganization bill. In the house the reorganization bill, increasing the membership to 286, was passed by a vote of 162 to 102.

By a vote of 24 to 15 the senate on the 19th agreed to the house amendment abolishing the sale of liquor in the army canteen. In the house the time was devoted to consideration of the river and harbor bill, but little progress was made. A bill to extend the charter of national banks was favorably reported.

On the 19th discussion of the army reorganization bill occupied the time in the senate. In the house the day was devoted to further consideration of the river and harbor bill.

DOMESTIC.

William J. Bryan spoke at the annual dinner of the Jeffersonian club in Omaha and urged democrats to ignore party reorganization schemes.

The Hubbard orphan asylum at Rochester, N. Y., was burned and 27 lives were lost.

Gladys White, aged seven, of Kenosha, Wis., has disappeared and her parents fear kidnapping.

The transport Sherman arrived in San Francisco from Manila with 600 soldiers, of whom 437 were sick.

Urgent petitions are pouring in upon members of congress from commercial and mercantile associations demanding the repeal of the national bankruptcy act.

Robert M. La Follette was inaugurated governor of Wisconsin.

Gov. Toole in his message to the Montana legislature called attention to the state's wonderful mineral wealth and development and vigorously denounced trusts and monopolies.

Most of the business portion of Syracuse, Ind., was destroyed by fire.

The residence of Edward H. Taylor at Model City, N. Y., was burned and Taylor, his wife and three small children perished in the flames.

The Michigan copper district is flooded with spurious small coins, chiefly five-cent pieces, made of an alloy of lead, zinc and tin.

Thomas Childister, aged nine years, shot and killed his sister, aged 14, near Marietta, O.

Morris Jones (colored) killed Eliza Newkirk (white) in Indianapolis and then killed himself. No cause is known for the deed.

Mrs. John Pachowski, of Glenwood, Mich., gave birth to three girls and one boy and all were doing well.

West Florida citizens will meet in Pensacola to discuss the question of annexation to Alabama.

W. J. Bryan at Jackson day banquet in Chicago reiterated the principles of the Kansas City platform.

The Kansas legislature met in biennial session at Topeka and Gov. William E. Stanley in his message said a general condition of unusual prosperity prevailed throughout the state.

The sixth Oklahoma legislature met at Guthrie.

The Greene county bank at Faragould, Ark., closed its door because of a shortage of \$34,000.

Later reports from the orphan asylum fire in Rochester, N. Y., place the loss of life at 28, all but two being children.

Frank Welch, pugilist, died at Easton, Pa., from the effects of a fight at Phillipsburg, N. J.

Governors inaugurated: James B. Cremon, Colorado; M. B. McSweeney, South Carolina; William S. Jennings, Florida; and Gov. Herrell, South Dakota.

The Minnesota legislature convened in St. Paul.

In Chicago over 100,000 persons are suffering from the grip.

It is estimated that there are 250,000 cases of grip in New York city.

The biennial election amendment to the constitution of Iowa has been declared void by Judge Dewey of the Sixth judicial district.

The Sixth state legislature of Wyoming convened at Cheyenne.

In a fire that destroyed a factory in Rochester, N. Y., two firemen were killed.

The Carnegie company says it will erect the largest pipe plant in the world at Connetquot Harbor, O. The cost to be \$12,000,000.

A son of N. H. Frazer, of Union Springs, Ala., has been kidnapped and held for ransom.

Arguments have begun in the supreme court in Washington in cases testing the validity of the present colonial policy of the United States.

The Illinois legislature met in Springfield and organized by electing L. Y. Sherman speaker of the house and John J. Brenholt president pro tem. of the senate.

The one hundred and twenty-fifth session of the New Jersey legislature opened in Trenton.

Consolidation of the Union Pacific and Northwestern roads is reported as about to be completed.

The Minnesota legislature convened in St. Paul. Samuel R. Van Sant was inaugurated governor.

The Wisconsin legislature met at Madison. J. J. McGilvie, of Black River Falls, was elected president of the senate and George H. Ray, of La Crosse, speaker of the house.

The Nebraska senate passed a resolution extending sympathy to the Boers in their struggle to maintain independence.

Timothy Collins and his wife were killed by the cars at Harvard, Ill.

Fire along the river front in South Brooklyn, N. Y., caused a loss of \$500,000.

George Ward and James Jones (colored) were hanged at Washington, Pa., for the murder of Samuel Westlich September 29, 1899.

The police records show a decrease of 29 per cent. in arrests since the closing of saloons at midnight in Chicago.

The Sixty-second general assembly of Indiana convened at Indianapolis.

Former officers of the Salvation Army are organizing a body to be called "Christian Comrades."

Measures to punish kidnapping and lynching were introduced in the Illinois legislature.

Mrs. Philip H. Kennedy, of Kansas City, Mo., shot her husband dead because he sought an annulment of their marriage.

In introducing a kidnapping bill in the New York legislature Senator Plunkitt stated on judicial authority that Charley Ross was drowned by abductors in New York bay.

John J. Sadler, convicted of the murder of Stewart McCune on July 5, 1890, was hanged at Greensboro, Pa.

Theodore Roosevelt has been given the freedom of Colorado to hunt for game.

Attorney General Griggs, before the supreme court, argued that our island possessions are the property of the United States and not a part of them.

Gov. La Follette read his own message to the Wisconsin legislature and recommended revision of the election, taxation and anti-trust laws.

Will Hines, a negro, was hanged at Camilla, Ga., for the murder of Minnie Walker (colored).

A man hunting near Atlanta, Ga., discovered a large cave of excellent rock salt.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Charles L. Benedict, judge of the eastern district of New York for 32 years, died in New York city of pneumonia.

Emanuel De Souza, a pioneer Portuguese resident, died in Springfield, Ill., aged 106 years.

Congressman Frank G. Clarke, of the Second New Hampshire district, died at Peterboro, aged 51 years.

Ex-Mayor John P. Hopkins, of Chicago, has been elected chairman of the state democratic committee.

The remains of Philip D. Armour, after being viewed by several thousand persons, were buried in Graceland cemetery in Chicago.

John Laing, who celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of his birth on Christmas day and who is said to have been the oldest mason, died at his home in Chicago.

W. H. Redman, speaker of the Iowa house in 1888, died at Newton. He was a civil war veteran.

Henry E. Burnham, of Manchester, has been nominated to succeed W. E. Chandler as United States senator from New Hampshire.

Commander John W. Quackenbush, United States navy, retired, died at his residence in Washington.

Dr. George J. Smith, the oldest surveyor and civil engineer in Nebraska, died at Omaha.

FOREIGN.

Relations between Colombia and Venezuela are strained because the latter helped Colombian revolutionists.

The Philippine commission at Manila has completed the code for the government of municipalities.

Gen. MacArthur reports that he intends to hold most of the active leaders of the Filipinos in Guam until the resumption of a condition of peace has been declared.

The Boers attacked a portion of Gen. Knox's command near Lillidley and killed three British officers and 15 men. Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang decided to defy the edict of the emperor dowager and sign agreements with the powers.

Minister Conger cables the state department that there is ground for the belief that the emperor dowager is opposing the acceptance by China of the demands of the powers. Great Britain has assented to America's plan to negotiate peace with China elsewhere than at Peking.

Boer commandoes were looting within seven miles of Kimberley.

All efforts to reach the steamer Russia stranded off Faranan, France, with 90 persons on board, have failed.

LATE CUSHMAN K. DAVIS.

Day in the Senate Devoted to Eulogies on the Late Senator From Minnesota.

A MAN WHO SERVED HIS COUNTRY WELL.

He Offered His Young Life When Life Was All Before Him, and in His Mature Years Gave His Country the Benefit of a Profound and Well-Balanced Mind.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The greater part of the day's session of the senate was devoted to the delivery of eulogies on the late Cushman K. Davis, of Minnesota. Senators Nelson, of Minnesota, and Hoar and Lodge, of Massachusetts, being the principal speakers.

Mr. Nelson, the colleague of the late Senator Davis, was the first speaker. He began by touching upon the history of the deceased senator, saying that he died at a time when in the full maturity of his great mental vigor; at a time when he was better equipped than ever to serve his country, and at a time when his country stood in the greatest need of his services. Continuing, Senator Nelson said:

"To trace his life, the development of his vigorous mind and its wonderful resources from youth to manhood, from a great lawyer to a profound statesman and leader, is to learn a human tale, marked with the vicissitudes of fortune, and grand and enduring in its results and outcome. He was equipped with a mind of the first order, clear, strong, and searching. In his youth he was a most ardent student, to whom his lessons were but the doorway to the treasury of knowledge, which he was ever exploring. He was a devouring student of history, philosophy and poetry at a time when most youths are tethered in their childishness, their grammar and their geography."

Mr. Nelson paid a tribute to the profundity of the knowledge of his colleague and the distinguished position he occupied in the Spanish war debates and conferences, and said:

"He exhausted and rendered clear and lucid the most profound and intricate problems of diplomacy and strategy. When he had spoken there was little if anything more to be said on the subject."

Mr. Nelson paid a tribute to the literary accomplishment of his late colleague, and closed with an apostrophe to American manhood as represented by Mr. Davis.

Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, commenting upon the fact that so many senators died in office, said that in the eulogies pronounced in the chamber, the portraits have been true and faithful. In a young republic, he said, the greatest place for a live man was that of a soldier in time of war and a statesman in time of peace. Mr. Davis was both. He did a man's full duty in both. Mr. Hoar commented upon the literary attainments of Mr. Davis and said:

"There have been soldiers whose courage saved the day in great, decisive battles, yet whose most enduring monument was the column of smoke which rose from their campfires and faded into the air. There have been statesmen whose silent influence has decided the issue when the councils of the great nations were in session, whose services history takes no heed. The great Ohio territory, now six imperious letters with the freedom of a single man. With all respect for the man of letters who has written so many words to sum up the life and character of Mr. Davis. His life was in the daylight. A country knew him and loved him. He was a good soldier in his youth, and a great senator in his maturity. He was a man of more, or what can be said better, to sum up the life of an American citizen. He offered his life when called upon to do so, before him, and his state and his country rewarded him with their highest honor. His death was a great loss to the republic. He had borne a part in the great transactions in which the nation had been engaged, and his life was a living example of the highest duty and his cup of honor and glory was full."

Mr. Davis' gifts of eloquence and oratorical powers were touched upon and as well his great familiarity with the history of Massachusetts and his pride in his Puritan ancestry. Mr. Hoar closed as follows:

"There are other things his country had lost for orator and statesman of the highest service of all. But the fatal and inexorable march of time has taken from the full vigor of a yet strenuous manhood. The great transactions in which he had borne a part, and a part still remain incomplete, and their event is still uncertain."

There is a painting which a great Italian master left unfinished. The work was taken and completed by a disciple. The finished picture bears the inscription: "What Titian left unfinished, Palma reverently completed and dedicated to God. So may our beloved republic find its unfinished work taken up by a part and dedicated to the country and to God."

Mr. Lodge, of Massachusetts, analyzed the character of Mr. Davis as from close personal friendship, and said the late senator was not fully appreciated as a public man. This he accounted for by reason of the tendency to belittle great men of today, because without thought and trouble they can not be brought for judgment into proper perspective with the past, and because of the modesty which made him shrink from speaking in public except when it was a duty or a necessity. Mr. Lodge summed up as follows:

"In all that he did in shaping our policy he was helped by his knowledge and his sense. He was a man of great vision and by an imagination which enabled him to project his vision into the future. But his great gift was his sense of duty, a sentiment embodied in a profound patriotism and an intense Americanism. I am sure that he was a great public man on certain public questions, or that he was more than a great public man. He differed with him radically upon those same questions. What I mean is that he had a faith in his people and in his country which nothing could shake, and that he never had a shadow of doubt or distrust as to their ability to meet any responsibility and any questions bravely, justly, and victoriously. He had proved his patriotism, like many other brave men, on the field of battle, and he hardly ever referred to it. But his love of country and everything connected with its history was with him a passion. His thoughts were always upon the great questions now before the United States, and in the last hours his country and her fortunes were

superior to his mind as the shadows of his own virtues and proclaimed his own deeds in the market place, but he did his work—a great work—as the things he wanted—strongly and well. He will find his place and his reward in the pages of history, when the story of the men of his generation is told. That monument is for other hands than ours to build. We can only bear imperfect witness to what he was to us who knew him and then leave his memory to the silent melody of thought that sings: "A ceaseless requiem to the sainted dead."

STANDING ON HIS RIGHTS.

An Indiana Farmer Shows a Railroad Company a Trick With a Big Gap in It.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Jan. 12.—The rails of the Chicago & Southeastern railroad, which crosses the farm of Wesley Grantham, near this city, were torn up and removed from the farm last Wednesday night by Sheriff Canine, acting on a writ of ejectment secured by Grantham in 1894. All traffic, including the government mail service, was effectually blocked.

Injunction proceedings were immediately filed against Grantham, but in the circuit court, Judge West refused to grant a temporary restraining order, declaring that Grantham had already been kept out of his property seven years, and that the constitution guaranteed him certain rights with which the court did not propose to interfere.

The company's attorney asked that an order be made giving the road possession until the land could be condemned, but the court refused this, saying that the company had seven years to do this, and had failed.

The court issued an order, however, forbidding any further destruction of the road's property. Grantham's land is guarded by armed men.

Grantham's attorney declares possession will not be relinquished until the road pays \$3,000.

WM. W. KENNEDY PARDONED.

A Sister's Untiring Efforts Over a Period of Fifteen Long Years Crowned With Success.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—Gov. Mount, who retires from office next Monday, pardoned Wm. W. Kennedy, who was sentenced to prison for life, in 1885, for the murder of David Baker at Greensburg, Ind. Kennedy was paroled in 1897, and has for several months been attached to the sanitary service in Havana.

The case attracted national attention because of the efforts of Kate Kennedy, the convicted man's sister, to secure his pardon.

She has appealed to every Indiana governor since her brother's conviction, but without success until now. Firm in the belief of her brother's innocence, for several years Miss Kennedy, in man's garb and concealing her identity, traveled over the country, in an endeavor to locate the murderer. She tramped her way and never missed an opportunity to interview tramps and criminals with the view to ascertaining the whereabouts of the man for whose crime she claimed her brother was suffering.

SETTLED BY ARBITRATION.

Strike of the United Traction Company's Men at Reading, Pa., Brought to an End.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 12.—The strike of the employees of the United Traction Co., which was inaugurated last Tuesday, has come to an end, the board of arbitrators having granted nearly every demand made by the strikers. When an agreement was reached the strike was officially declared off by Organizer Jacob C. Taylor and word was sent to the motemen and conductors to man their cars at the usual hour. The agreement reached by the arbitrators calls for the reinstatement of all employees discharged since January 1; that 162-3 cents an hour be paid beginning January 16; nine hours to constitute a day's work; one week early and one week late shifts; whenever a dispute arises between employer and employees which can not be satisfactorily adjusted it shall be referred to a board of arbitrators.

Not Murdered After All.

Mount Vernon, Md., Jan. 12.—The excitement caused here by the supposed murder of Thomas Morgan ended suddenly, Friday, when a telegram was received from Capt. Bernard Morgan, dated at Duquoin, stating that his brother, Thomas Morgan, had appeared at that place and was still there.

Killed by Her Mother.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Mathilda Holstrom struck her 16-year-old daughter with a bottle, killing her instantly. It is claimed that Mrs. Holstrom had made two previous attempts on the life of her daughter. It is believed that the mother is insane.

Railway Accident in Montana.

Kalispell, Mont., Jan. 12.—Two trains collided on the Great Northern railway near Essex, and, while details are meager, it is known that two men named Warner and Fritz were killed and another injured.

The Grip at Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 12.—An epidemic of grippe has spread with alarming rapidity through the university the past few days. The head nurse at the infirmary says that 15 cases are now in the hospital.

Rev. John Schneider Dead.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Rev. John Schneider, for 16 years the presiding elder of the Evangelical Association of North America, died Friday night, at his residence in this city. He was a native of Bavaria.



MISS FRANCES M. ANDERSON, daughter of HON. JUDGE ANDERSON, of Virginia, is at present in Washington, D. C., as Corresponding Secretary of the Higher Educational League, of that city. Cured of la grippe by Peruna.

MISS FRANCES M. ANDERSON, Corresponding Secretary of the Higher Educational League, writes from the "Astoria," Washington, D. C., the following letter:

"About two months ago I was taken very ill with la grippe and was obliged to go to bed. I took three bottles of Peruna with very beneficial results, and was able to leave my bed in a week and regained my usual strength very soon."

"I have nothing but praise for Peruna and recommend it to those similarly afflicted whenever I can."—Frances M. Anderson.

La grippe is, strictly speaking, epidemic catarrh—that is to say, a variety of acute catarrh which is so contagious and runs a course more or less definite, the same as scarlet fever, whooping cough, etc.

During the acute stages of la grippe it is not a very fatal disease, but the condition in which it leaves the system has caused the death of a countless number.

Indeed nearly every person who has had la grippe within the last three years finds himself more or less deranged by the pernicious effects of this disease. The majority of those who have escaped death find life scarcely worth living.

If this vast multitude of people could only know with what certainty Peruna would relieve them of all the bad effects which la grippe has brought upon them, what an untold amount of suffering could be averted!

Thousands have already heard how quickly this remedy will cure in these cases and have been saved; but tens of thousands have

not yet heard, and continue to suffer on, dropping into the grave one by one. Peruna cures catarrh in all stages and varieties, whether acute or chronic, and is therefore the most effective remedy ever devised for removing all the derangements which follow la grippe.

Samuel M. York, writes from Union Grove, Ala., the following letter:

Dear Sir:—Last week I was taken with la grippe and catarrhal deafness. I wrote you for advice and followed your directions. After taking two bottles of Peruna I found myself well of la grippe, and my hearing was fully restored. My health is better than it has been in five years.

My wife improved in health very much after taking Peruna.—Samuel M. York.

Miss Caroline J. Kahl, Ottice, Ind., writes as follows:

"Three years I had la grippe and pulmonary trouble. I was very sick. I had hemorrhages of the lungs nearly every day for a year, and three bottles of your Peruna cured me. The doctor said I had consumption. I am now in better health than I have been for many years."

"I highly recommend Peruna to all my neighbors and friends. Peruna is my favorite medicine. I shall always have Peruna in the house."—Miss Caroline J. Kahl.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will, be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

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Cures Hacking Coughs, Sore Throats, Pneumonia and Bronchitis in a few days. Why then risk Consumption? Get Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Don't be imposed upon. Refuse the dealer's substitute. It is not as good as Dr. Bull's. Salvation Oil cures Rheumatism and all Pain. Price, 15 and 25 cents.

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Insist upon having them, take no others and you will get the best shells that money can buy.

ALL DEALERS KEEP THEM.

Candy Cathartic

Best for the Bow

Genuine stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. Beware of the dealer who tries to sell "something just as good."

AMONG THE OZARKS.

The Land of Big Bend Apples is the title of an attractive and highly interesting book recently issued. This book is handsomely illustrated with views of South Missouri scenery, including the famous Ozark Fruit Farm of 2,000 acres in Howell County. It contains a full and complete description of the Ozark fruit belt of America, the southern slope of the Ozarks and will give you a great value not only to fruit growers, but to every farmer and householder in other States south of the farm and home. This book will be mailed free on address J. E. Lott, Woods, Kansas City, Mo. Send this card and you get it.

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A Happy and Prosperous New Year To All !

We thank our numerous customers for the good business we enjoyed last year, and hope by Good Goods, Fair Dealing and Low Prices to show our appreciation of same in 1901.

We Commence Now to have our Clearance Sale and all Heavy Goods Must Go!

LADIES JACKETS.

We have about 50 up-to-date Garments which you can buy now AT COST. They Must be Sold.

OVERCOATS

For Men and Boys at a Big Reduction. WOOLEN UNDERWEAR, GLOVES and all Goods at a price.

Come and See Our Prices and You Will Take Our Goods.

YANDELL-GUGENHEIM CO.

The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.
WALTER WALKER, Manager.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Teddy Roosevelt struck something the other day he could not conquer by abuse—viz.: a mountain lion.

There will be plenty of room for congressional candidates and candidates for county offices for some months now. A majority of Kentuckians are candidates for the United States Senate.

Matt Quay, the Pennsylvania boss, was elected United States Senator Tuesday by a majority of two votes. You can't get ahead of a political boss who has money to burn.

Legislative candidates were in town Monday and as chirrupy as the famous cricket on the hearth. The candidates for county offices are still keeping to cover. A few hundred have been mentioned and in a week or two the Press will have a gossip resume of the situation. If you want your name suggested as a county possibility, see our sporting editor.

Monday the President of the United States was elected by the electoral college. Very little attention is ever given by the people to the work of the electoral college, and they look on its action as a mere matter of form, but the electors are not by any means forced to vote as they were chosen to do, and the result could be changed. Mr. McKinley received 294 electoral votes and Mr. Bryan 153.

The new election law, which is to supersede the Goebel election law, will go into effect Jan. 28th. Under the new law the members of the State election board are selected on the recommendation of each of the two big parties. The law provides that these two commissioners "shall be appointed by the governor of the State from names designated in writing, if any are so designated, by act of the State Central Committees of the two political parties that polled the largest vote at the preceding election." The third member of the state board is to be the clerk of the Court of Appeals. The sheriff is to be the third man on the county boards.

Cornelius L. Alvord, Jr., the defaulting note teller of the First National Bank, was today sentenced to thirteen years' imprisonment. The amount of his default was \$690,000.

Mr. Bryan is at work on the first edition of "The Commoner" which will appear next Wednesday. Nearly all the matter in this first issue will be written by Bryan himself. All the great eastern dailies have asked him for advance proof sheets of the first page. Thousands of subscriptions have been received and the great statesman's journalistic career will doubtless prove a most brilliant and successful one.

If that turnpike from Marion to Salem, so earnestly advocated by the Press three years ago, were a reality now instead of a pleasant memory, dollars would be dropping into the pockets of lots of people with a clink as audible as the grinding of the wheels of the spar and zinc upon the metal of that road. With a turnpike even now, we would all probably get rich before the railroad we are expecting could be built. Let us build that turnpike as a starter for the first year of the new century.

Our Roll of Honor.

The following have paid up or renewed their subscriptions to the Press since our last issue:

H. L. Lamb, Detroit, Tex.
J. A. Moore, Marion.
W. N. Rochester, Marion.
Mrs. Welford White, Helena, Ar.
Everett Butler, Bowling Green.
J. W. Cook, Mattoon.
Walter Pierce, Salem.
H. B. Phillips, Tolu.
J. B. McKinley, Gladstone.
Hallie King, Sebree.
R. H. Dean, La Crosse, Wis.
Mrs. Carrie Thomas, Memphis.
M. B. Moore, Tolu.
L. P. Price, Levas.
E. G. Hearne, Wheeling, W. Va.
C. M. Miller, Canton, O.
J. H. Clifton, Dycusburg.
Mrs. L. P. Utley, Salem.
Judge T. J. Nunn, Madisonville.
R. H. Waddell, Levas.
J. A. Crider, Port Arthur, Tex.
W. H. Arfleck, Blackford.
Miss Nonie Blue, St. Louis.
C. S. Nunn, Marion.
J. W. Blue, "
Jas Couch, "
J. W. Enoch, "
L. H. James, "
Thos. Evans, Smithland.
C. F. Carty, Pomona, Cal.
W. A. Oliver, Dycusburg.
O. H. McConnell, Shady Grove.
W. S. Graves, Dycusburg.

COUNTY COURT.

Business of Last Month and Monday's Work.

County court convened Monday with Judge Rochester on the bench. The following business was transacted by the court.

P. C. Stephens was appointed administrator of the estate of James I. Walker, and Messrs. R. I. Nunn, J. M. Lamb and W. D. Brantley were ordered to appraise the estate of the deceased.

W. H. Arfleck, of Blackford, was made administrator of the estate of J. E. Arfleck, J. M. Brantly, W. D. Lamb and Ben Thurmond were appointed to appraise the estate.

A few new road overseers were appointed.
On January 5th state license were issued to J. H. Orme and C. E. Doss & Co., to retail whiskey in Marion.

On January 7th R. L. Moore and G. W. Howerton were appointed administrators of the estate of W. J. Howerton. T. H. Cochran, W. D. Cannan and J. B. Grissom were appointed appraisers.

Deeds Recorded.

J. J. Griffin to H. E. Babb, land for \$50.
Geo. W. Rice to Blue & Nunn, 131 acres on Hurricane.
S. F. Crider to Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans Railroad, land on Hoods creek.
Geo. W. Conyer to Hary Austin, land on Claylick, 66 acres for \$800.
Geo. M. Woodward to Mrs. H. Schwab, 25 acres near Marion for \$100.
Mary M. Sullenger to Jno. T. Harden, 96 acres on Deer Creek for \$450.
W. W. Robinson to Harry Austin, 53 acres on Claylick for \$900.
Henry Travis to R. N. Travis 55 acres on Piney for \$150.
D. W. Stone to T. J. Stone, 59 acres near Tolu for \$600.
D. M. White to W. F. Summer-ville, lot in Marion for \$400.

Preachers's Conference.

The Baptist ministers of this county, looking to the furtherance of the cause and mutual benefit of one another, have organized a preachers' conference, which will meet in Marion monthly. They will report upon their various fields of work and discuss such problems of their work as may present themselves.

A CHANGE.

The Marion Roller Mills Now on A New Basis.

Sherman Franklin has purchased a one-third interest in the Marion Roller Mills and the style of the firm is now Clark, Kevil & Company. New machinery, of the very latest and best approved designs, is being added to the plant, and will greatly increase the excellence and value of its output; but having a large supply of flour, meal and bran on hand the putting up of this new machinery will not discommode the managers in furnishing their patrons with their usual supplies. Mr. Dave Kevil, one of Marion's most enterprising young business men, will still act as manager of the mill, and will always be found at his office ready to attend to the wants of his patrons.

A Good Old Lady Passes Away.

Died, Jan. 11th, at her home with Enoch Stephenson, in Deer Creek neighborhood, Mary Brown about seventy-five years old. She was a good woman, loved and esteemed by all who knew her. The writer conducted funeral exercises after which her body was laid to rest in the Love cemetery, in hope of the resurrection.

R. A. L.

Marriage Licenses.

Willis A. Brasher age 24 to Hattie Buckalew, age 22.
Joseph Hennington, age 24, to Lou Ellen Chittenden, age 17.
Robt. H. Clark, age 24, to Alta B. Lynch, age 17.
George Saddle, age 46, to Bessie Moneymaker, age 18.
Wm. B. Moneymaker, age 26, to Carrie Lether Jones, age 21.
Fred C. Binkley, age 22, to Nora B. Yates, age 18.
Jas. L. Collins, age 44, to Mollie Bevil, age 21.

Will Be Re-Arrested.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 15.—James Berry, white, sent up for two years from Marion, Ky., for housebreaking, will be arrested Friday when his term expires and he is released at Eddyville on a Government warrant for breaking into the post office at Crayneville, in Crittenden county. He will be tried before the United States Commissioner here.

Illinois Central R. R. OF INTEREST TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Free Transportation to Attend the Special Meeting at Chicago.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY.
NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in Chicago, Illinois, on Saturday, January 26, 1901, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

To permit personal attendance at this meeting, there will be issued, to each holder of one or more shares of the Capital Stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, as registered on the books of the Company, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the Company's Lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding, and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following, when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is to say, between 9 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. Bruen, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any registered holder of stock on application, in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago. Each application must state the full name and address of the Stockholder exactly as given in his or Certificate of Stock, together with the number and date of such Certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the Company.

For the purposes of this meeting the Stock Transfer Books will be closed at three o'clock p. m. on Thursday, Dec. 20, 1900, and remain closed until the morning of Monday, January 7, 1901.
A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

Stray Notice.

Taken up as stray on Nov. 29th, 1900, one pale red cow, short horns and unmarked. Seemingly about 5 years old.
J. B. McKinley,
Jan. 7, 1900. Gladstone, Ky.

Farm—Saw-Mill.

I have a small farm near Lola, Ky., to exchange for saw-mill, engine and boiler. House of 4 rooms, good outbuilding. Farm all under good fence.
W. N. Davis,
Lola, Ky.



Positively relieves the cough and cures the worst cold in 12 hours.

Wanted.

Three or four young men to board during school at very reasonable rates. Comfortable room. John W. Skelton.

Notice.

All persons indebted to the firm of Clark & Kevil will please call and settle their accounts with me, as I have charge of the business of the firm. [Please do not delay settlement.] David B. Kevil.

Notice.

I must close up all of my old business, and all parties owing me must call and settle without delay. I hope this notice will be sufficient warning. If you are indebted to me, come in and arrange matters at once. Thanking you for past favors, I am,
Yours truly,
J. R. Summerville.

Jan. 1, 1901.

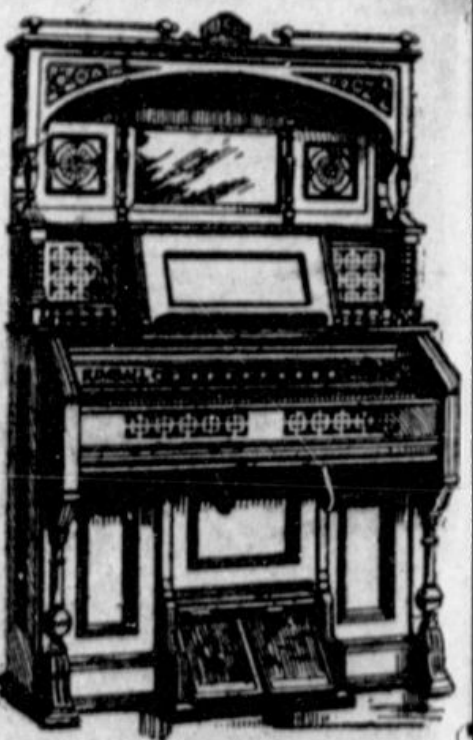
Notice.

All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle. I need the money and must make these collections without delay. A word to the wise is sufficient.
W. B. Binkley.

View, Ky., Jan. 1, 1901.

STRAYED—From my farm at Crittenden Springs, about 3 weeks ago, one mouse colored milch cow, will weigh between 700 and 800 lbs. Will pay a liberal reward for her return. Any information will be thankfully received.
R. W. Wilson.

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The celebrated Kimball Organs and Pianos, are sold on easy monthly payments or a liberal discount for cash. For sale at R. C. Haynes grocery store, 1st. door west of Pierce & Son's. Call and see one and get prices.
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

C. S. Nunn was in Louisville Monday.

Dr. Hayden, of Salem, was in town Tuesday.

Rev. T. E. Timmons is in Henderson this week.

A large crowd was in town Monday, being county court day.

P. K. Cooksey, of Dycusburg, was in town county court day.

Dr. J. R. Clark and family have returned from Princeton, Ind.

Mr. Marion Henderson, of Webster county, was here Monday.

Dr. O. S. Young has not moved his office as has been reported.

Miss Sadie Towne, of Frankfort, is the guest of friends in this city.

Miss Melville Glenn, of Sturgis, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city.

Judge Clifton, of Dycusburg, was in town Friday and Saturday.

Services were held at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Courier-Journal and World Almanac for sale at Haynes' drug store.

John W. Wilson and wife have gone to De Land, Fla., to spend the winter.

Cam Wallace, of Sturgis, is mingling with his many friends in this city this week.

Mr. Harry Summers, of Livingston county, was in this city the first of the week.

"Uncle Josh Spruceby" and his "Hayseed Band" will appear in this city Feb. 11.

An elegant new organ has been purchased by the members of the Methodist church.

Mr. Thos. M. Talbott, one of Blackford's progressive merchants was in the city Monday.

Mr. Marion Pogue, of Frances, was in town Monday looking after his legislative candidacy.

On Monday last the New Gill House, fed 69 people, Democrats, Republicans and Populists.

The Press now has clubbing rates with fifteen hundred noted magazines, weeklies and dailies.

When you bring your laundry to town leave it at McConnell & Stone's if you want the best work.

Dr. T. A. Frazer now occupies the office over Haynes' drug store formerly occupied by Dr. J. J. Clark.

Mr. J. A. Smelser, of Gainsville, Ark., who has been visiting relatives in this county returned to his home Monday.

Last Monday Mr. Jim Givens butchered Tom Hearin's two pet deer, and this week there is venison on sale at the Givens butcher shop.

Ralph Bingham, the noted impersonator, has been engaged by the opera house company to appear here Friday evening, February 8th.

Mrs. J. W. Bigham and daughter, Mrs. Heston, returned from Hopkinsville Monday, where they were the guests of friends several days.

The noted trial of Joseph Keith for the murder of Nora Kiefer, that has been in progress for some time at Evansville, was concluded Friday. Keith was found guilty and sentenced to death.

E. E. Squire was in Sturgis Tuesday.

Frannagan Clark has returned from Joplin, Mo.

Bob Hays, of Paducah, was in this city Wednesday.

Chas. Taylor went to Dawson Wednesday to spend a few weeks.

Dr. J. J. Clark and family left yesterday for St. Louis, their new home.

Mac White has sold his property in this city and has moved to Mattoon.

James Couch has another Democrat at his house. It is a twelve pounder.

Rev. S. K. Breeding, chaplain of the Eddyville prison, was in town Friday.

A violin in the choir of the Methodist church Sunday astonished some of the natives.

Extra copies of each week's edition of the Press can be obtained at five cents per copy.

Bart Summerville and family of Mattoon were the guests of Mr. C. E. Doss' family yesterday.

The mule buyers purchased between 80 and 100 mules, at this place Tuesday, paying from \$50 to \$120.

Mr. James Couch brought to this office Monday an ear of corn resembling in every way an eagle's talon.

Rev. J. S. Henry has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Grand Rivers, and has accepted the call.

J. W. Skelton has issued a card announcing himself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative.

Mr. H. A. Haynes and wife and Mrs. Anna Haynes left yesterday for De Land, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Haynes will remain in the South about four weeks.

County Judge Evans, of Livingston county, was in this city Tuesday. Tom has just been renominated by the Democrats of Livingston for county judge, and of course he's feeling good over it.

Messrs. L. L. Hill and Cam Wallace, of Sturgis, are in this city organizing a council of Junior Order of United American Mechanics. The gentlemen are meeting with success, as the institution is an excellent one.

Thos. M. LaRue is out greeting his numerous friends with a broad smile. We suspect that Tom has an eye upon the county clerk's office. His many friends are urging him and doubtless he will announce in the near future.

Dr. A. J. Dreskill of Grand Rivers, has purchased the residence of Dr. J. J. Clark and will locate here at an early date. Dr. Dreskill is a physician of much ability and comes to this city highly recommended by the people of Livingston county.

Mrs. Carrie Maxwell, Miss Mary Maxwell, Maud Roney and Della Barnes, left here Monday for De Land, Florida, where they will remain until spring. Miss Maxwell will study art and music in the Steadman University and Miss Roney will also take a course in music.

Little Jacky Wilson, son of Machin Wilson, died Jan. 12th. The little fellow was only sick one day. The father was away, in Marion, Ill., at the time of his child's death, and returning home found his only child a corpse. Little Jacky was eighteen months old, and loved by all who knew him.

A mob took Fred Alexander, a negro, from jail at Leavenworth, Kan., Tuesday and burned him at the stake. Alexander was under arrest on the charge of attempting to assault Miss Eva Roth, and he was supposed to have assaulted and killed Miss Pearl Forbes in Leavenworth last November.

Albert Wilborn, of Blackford, was in town yesterday.

The mule buyer attracted a large crowd of farmers Tuesday.

Rev. Conway has moved from Zion, Henderson county, to Marion.

The tax supervisors made a raise of about \$20,000 in the assessor's lists.

T. A. Harpending has discovered a fine grade of fire clay on his farm.

A trial will convince you that the Magnet laundry does the best work.

Jesse Olive entered upon his duties as Deputy Warden of the Eddyville Penitentiary Tuesday.

Miss Kate Browning has just closed a most successful term of school work at Hebron.

J. I. Clement will leave for new Mexico Monday. He expects to be abroad several months.

Rev. B. F. McMeican, formerly of this place, is pastor at Providence and is doing a good work.

Rev. Timmons requests us to announce that services will be held at his church on the fourth Sunday.

LOST—In Marion last Tuesday \$40 (two twenty dollar bills) Will pay a reward of \$5 for the return of the money to the Press office. F. M. Jones.

The church at Shiloh, in Webster county, has employed Rev. J. F. Price for another year. This makes his seventh year as pastor of that church.

The Press is preparing a new Exchange card for the Alexander telephone Exchange. Many additions are to be made and the card will be an extensive one.

Amplius Weldon, who has been engaged in a drug store at Unfortown, has accepted a position with J. H. Orme, of this city, and his many friends will find him ready to accommodate them at Orme's drug store.

County Judge Evans, of Livingston, was in town Tuesday. He is bearing his triumph at the recent primary with becoming grace and dignity. He is one of the most popular men in his county, and the more the people know of him the better they like him.

Miss Lillian Russell of Paris, Tex., spent some weeks with her friends in the Repton neighborhood. She returned home a few days ago, taking the hearts of the boys with her. She left scores of friends among the young people, and all hope that she will pay them another visit.

Mr. J. C. Elder, jr., has it in contemplation to again visit England and the Continent during the summer, on both business and pleasure bent. He will extend the visit as far as Rome and Naples. Mr. Elder is one of the best judges of tobacco in Kentucky or any other State.

Mr. J. A. Graves of Dycusburg who is being urged by his many friends in both Crittenden and Livingston counties to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative, was in the city Monday. He informs the Press that he will make the race. Mr. Graves is an excellent young man and will beyond doubt make a strong fight.

Mr. W. D. Cannan, who has for several years been in the employ of J. P. Pierce & Son, has accepted a position with the Paducah Coal and Mining Company at Sturgis as bookkeeper. Mr. Cannan is a most competent gentleman and the mining company did well in securing his services. He will take charge of his new post at an early date. His family will remain in this city. Mr. Cannan will be greatly missed in Lodge and business circles of our town. Mr. Cannan has our best wishes for his success.

Con-Fusion in Livingston.

Paducah, Ky. Jan. 16.—There is some little dissatisfaction in Livingston county as a result of the factional fight between the forces led by former Congressman, John K. Hendrick and County Clerk Geo. Landram. As a result, a fusion ticket, it is announced by the disgruntled faction, will be put in the field, and a primary held in April. A fusion ticket, it is understood, will be made up as follows: County Judge, Kit Kendall, Smithland; Sheriff, Wm. Bishop, Carrsville; County Clerk, Frank Coffey, Driskill precinct; County Attorney, Harmon Tedberry, of Smithland; Jailor, M. L. Mayhugh of Smithland.

A goodly number of Democrats have subscribed for "The Commoner," in connection with the Press.

Judge Clifton J. Pratt, of Madisonville, will be a candidate for United States Senator if the Legislature is Republican.

A number of gentlemen of our city have organized a brass band. Marion needs a band and we hope this organization will prove successful.

There will be services at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church next Sunday at the usual hours. Subject for the morning hour: "Duty of Parents;" subject for the evening hour: "Duty of Children."

Mert Vickers, the popular barber who has been in the business in this city for a good many years, has sold his interest in the barber shop of Williams & Vickers to Mr. Orange, of Princeton, a gentleman that comes to our city well recommended. Mr. Vickers will leave in a short time for Paragould, Ark., where he will locate and engage in the timber business. We regret to see Mr. Vickers leave Marion.

WM. YANDELL

Endorsed by Senator Deboe for U. S. Marshal.

It is stated on reliable authority that Senator W. J. Deboe will not endorse United States Marshal A. D. James for reappointment, but instead will recommend to the President the name of Wm. Yandell, of Marion, who is his close personal friend of the Senator. Mr. Yandell is an outspoken applicant for the place. He is getting endorsement from his personal and political friends, among whom is Senator Deboe. It is no secret that Senator Deboe has refused up to the present time to endorse Dr. James.

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SETTLEMENT WORK.

An Interesting Feature of Social Life in a Great City.

Its Main Object Is to Make Good Citizens and to Spread Faith in the Practice of Moral and Civic Virtues.

(Special Chicago Letter.)

None of the various social settlements of Chicago present features of greater interest to the humanitarian or student of sociology than Chicago Commons. Its aggressive mentality supplies an individualism found in no other movement of the kind. It was founded by Rev. H. F. Hegner, now pastor of Bethany church at Chicago. The growth of the settlement has been chiefly directed by Prof. Graham Taylor, of the Chicago Theological seminary, and its pleasant personality, if one may be permitted thus to characterize it, largely the outcome of his long-cherished plans. He is head resident and his services are rendered gratuitously, as are those of his family. There are about 30 residents, nearly all of whom pay their board, who give all their spare time to the work. Many of these are teachers. A few of the residents, being obliged to devote their entire time to the Commons, have their expenses paid by outside contributions. The present home is at 140 North Union street, near its junction with Milwaukee avenue, in one of the most congested portions of the densely packed Seventeenth ward. In its early days the house was a goodly mansion, with a fair outlook toward the river, but after the fire all this was changed. It was purchased by the Northwestern Railway company, a large rear wing, with stable beneath, was added and the whole used for railroad purposes. Later the front was turned into a sailors' boarding house and the rear became a crowded Italian tenement. When Prof. Taylor first attempted to rent the main house objections were raised on the score that it was feared that it might be turned

into a playless childhood and enter into the games with the keenest personal enjoyment. They frequently have tea together at the close of their meetings.

An illustration of how cooperative work is appreciated occurred at one of the anniversary of the opening of the house. The Girls' Progressive club and Woman's club presented a gift of lemonade bowl and cups. The president of the latter concluded her address by saying: "We hope you will not consider us selfish by choosing the gift we have. It is true, we hope to partake many times of its contents, but always with you and with many others yet to join us."

The street car conductors in that section have a good word and a smile for any asking the way to Chicago Commons. The saloon has heretofore furnished the only free debating ground where one and all may express their views without let or hindrance. For this reason the large room under the rear wing has been thrown open to the men of the community, who characterize it as the "freest floor in Chicago." This is the least understood of the settlement's work and has even been mentioned as a "nest of anarchists."

It is the settlement's desire that all classes of men shall here come face to face and "have it out." Men who sit in corners, nursing grievances and brooding social distrust and disorder, are here invited to bring their discontent and theory of social salvation to light of day for full examination and free discussion. Free speech and frank opinion are encouraged, and it is safe to say that before the meetings are over the poison has been drawn from many destructive propositions. One of the men of the settlement acts as chairman, but there is no special organization. These orderly, intensely interesting weekly meetings continue from October until June. Business men, anarchists, ministers, agnostics, socialists and single taxers all have equal rights on the floor, free speech, no favor and a reasonable time limit. Without the exciting influence of liquor, and modified by the opinions of educated men, with large outlook, the meetings are much less formidable than those held in saloons, and the settlement now has the full confidence of the members of



NEW BUILDING OF THE CHICAGO COMMONS.

into a dance hall or some haunt of vice, and when the agents were finally convinced that a refined family desired to secure it for a home they were fairly nonplussed. Until the community was able to hire the whole building the Italians in the rear would frequently be seen peering through the separating glass doors with much evident curiosity, but soon the entire house was in the hands of the "Commons," which is an incorporated body.

There are a parlor, library, dining-hall, clubrooms and various other apartments, yet the building has been found to be much too small and a larger is being erected at North Morgan street and Grand avenue. Only the front wing is now completed and in use. It is expected that here the sphere of usefulness of the Commons will be greatly enlarged. In this ward are 163 saloons. These and theaters of the lowest class have until five years ago been the only places of public resort in the neighborhood. At



PROF. GRAHAM TAYLOR.
(Founder and Resident Warden of the Chicago Commons.)

the present time the weekly attendance at the Commons clubs, classes and social functions is over 3,700.

Besides manual training for boys and girls, the study clubs, etc., there are evenings of an entirely social nature. A chess club has been found very useful in engaging the attention of young men during one evening of each week. The Woman's club, formed from neighborhood people, meeting Tuesday afternoons, belongs to the federation, and its members discuss all the topics interesting to women of the present day. The Mothers' club is well attended. The members gather in the kindergarten room, usually in two sections, the English and the German-speaking mothers.

A great need is felt for a resident educated in the Italian language. Practical talks are here given on child care and management. They have kindergarten games, songs and simple callisthenics that mothers can use in their homes. Many of these wom-

en spent a playless childhood and enter into the games with the keenest personal enjoyment. They frequently have tea together at the close of their meetings.

Some of the subjects discussed at the meetings are the situation in the Philippines, the problem of the unemployed, the department store, woman's suffrage, anarchism, child labor, Walt Whitman, Robert Burns, Tolstoi and social purity.

But while great benefits have been derived by adults from the establishment of the Neighborhood house, the chief aim is to improve the condition of the future citizens, the youth and children of the community. One of the girls' clubs hired a cottage near Michigan City last summer and a large number of its members were able to spend their vacations there. The country work at Good-Will camp and other places is well known. The small yard at the back of the Commons is equipped for a playground as well as the funds will allow, but a gymnasium outfit is much desired. Donations for different purposes have been received from nearly all over the country. It has been costing about \$6,000 per year to carry on the work and new needs are coming to the surface on every hand.

Perhaps the kindergarten work is of as great interest as any accomplished. Miss Bertha Hofer went out one day a few years ago and never had to go again for the same purpose. At 6:30 the next morning youngsters of every nationality howled and clamored on the doorsteps for admission to the kindergarten. The daily attendance is now something over 100. Teaching is done on lines somewhat different from those usually employed in schools of this kind. The children are directly taught what will be of use in their homes. They wash their dolls' clothes with soap and water and iron them with a "really" hot iron. They bake tiny pans of bread. They even go upstairs and prepare vegetables for the dinners of the residents; they make their truly beds and scour pans and rub silver. They learn to sew. One mother said: "Johnnie helps me so much now. He dries the dishes nicely and tells me that is the way they taught him to do it at the settlement." Cooking and dress-making schools are conducted for mothers and girls down to the age of nine years. They are taught how to purchase the most nutritious foods for the least money. The "Pleasant Sunday Afternoons" are to be a very entertaining feature of the work this winter. Lectures and concerts are to be given at the new neighborhood house every Sunday at 3:30. One must visit one of these settlements to appreciate how far-reaching it must be in its results to the world at large.

EDWARD JULIAN.

Same Thing.

"Johnnie, do you know what a vacant stare is?"
"I suppose, pop, it's the same as a hungry look, isn't it?" — Yonkers Statesman.

GOVERNMENT ADVANCE PAY.

A Rare Instance in Which It Has Been Done on Account of Holidays.

"The government seldom pays for services until they are rendered, but the pay of the clerical force in Washington for the month of November was a rare exception," said a disbursing officer to a Star reporter.

"For instance, if a clerk applies to me for an advance on his month's salary on, say, the fifth of the month, I consult, if I have not the amount in mind, the government salary tables, and ascertain the sum coming to him by days. If the limit is \$15 I hand him only that amount, even though he were to ask for \$20.

"The reason for the rule is that we do not pay for services until they are rendered. Were the clerk to die or be dismissed on the sixth day and I had advanced him \$20, I would be held personally responsible for the excess of five dollars paid him, unless his heirs, in the event of his death, or he himself, were he dismissed, refunded the amount to me. In neither of these events a refund would be improbable. If disbursing clerks wish to accommodate their clerical friends by advance overpayments they do so at their own risk.

"If the entire clerical force of the department had died on Thanksgiving day, Uncle Sam, when he filled their places at nine o'clock a. m. on November 30, would have been out several hundred thousand dollars in cash for clerk hire paid for but not rendered, and would have had to pay his entire new force for their day's labor on the 30th. The reason is because the clerks were paid in full for the month of November on Wednesday, the 28th. Thursday being a holiday, the clerks were entitled to their pay, but on Friday, the 30th, they were all working, and had been paid in advance.

"It was, however, a nice thing to do to pay in full on Wednesday by reason of the intervening of a holiday between the next preceding day and the last day of the month. The government could not possibly sustain any actual loss. I have not heard of any deaths on the 30th, and if any poor chap happened to be summarily dismissed at nine o'clock on the morning of that day he would certainly be welcome to the day's pay he had received in advance.

"About the lowest paid employee of the government in Washington is the charwoman, who receives \$150 a year, or 41 cents a day. The highest salaried officer is the president, who receives \$137 per day. A cabinet officer, whose salary is \$8,000, receives \$22, and a senator and member, at \$5,000, receive a little over \$13.

"A soldier once said to me that he could never understand why congress fixed the pay of a soldier at \$13 a month; why it wasn't fixed at \$14 or \$15.

"A solution to the problem is probably that the members of the house fixed a soldier's monthly pay at the same amount they received a day, and they let it go at that."

A COSTLY SHOW.

Why One Merchant Doesn't Make a Big Window Display at Christmas Time.

"Why aren't there more holiday show pieces exhibited in the big store windows of Detroit?" repeated a prominent Woodward avenue merchant, according to the Free Press. "Well, to tell the truth, it is sometimes a risky venture, and the returns do not always warrant the great expenditure that is sometimes necessary for an attractive and unusual display. The Detroit merchants are a little conservative about this style of advertising, and I don't blame them. While in business in Pittsburgh I had an experience that taught me a lesson that I thought was unique, and I guess it was.

"One day I observed a drover with a herd of cattle near a dairy farm, and I was particularly attracted by the appearance of a Jersey heifer. That is when the costly idea came to me. I made overtures to the owner for the purchase of the heifer. He apparently suspected that I needed a cow in my business, and he asked a price that rather staggered me. But I was determined to have that heifer, and I finally yielded to his exorbitant demand. After getting possession of the cow, I had her slaughtered; then I had a taxidermist fix up her hide, which was placed in my show window with a lot of hay and other accessories of cowdom. The cow looked very lifelike. The affair was worked automatically from the interior of the store, and as I had provided each caller with a cupful of fresh milk, which flowed in realistic fashion from the stuffed cow. Did we have a crowd? Well, it seemed as everyone in Pittsburgh was thirsty for milk, and the 'milky way,' as the approach to my establishment became known, was crowded from morning till night, until finally the police protested, and I was hauled into court for obstructing the sidewalks. That was the least of my troubles, however. My milk bills ran up to an enormous figure and, bankruptcy staring me in the face, I was obliged to remove the artificial cow and advertise a half-off sale to get rid of my Christmas stock. I found that the great majority of the crowd came to get free milk and to watch the exhibition, and forgot all about the fact that we had a full line of holiday presents for sale."

The Spell Worked by Mrs. Dobbs. Dibbs—Do you believe in the "evil eye" superstition?

Dobbs—Indeed I do! Six years ago a frail, blue-eyed girl cast a glance on me, and I've never since had a whole ten-dollar bill to spend all by myself.—Puck.

In the Chair.

Barber—They say it do take a mon's brith away to go over Niagara.
Patron—Why don't you make the trip?—Chicago Daily News.

REGARDING GASTRITIS.

Some Useful Information Concerning a Very Unpleasant Affection.

Inflammation of the stomach, gastritis, or gastritis, as this unpleasant affection is variously called, may, like most inflammatory diseases, be acute or chronic in its course. The chronic condition often results from a succession of acute attacks, or it may come on gradually, almost imperceptibly, without being preceded by acute symptoms, says Youth's Companion.

The signs of an acute attack are pain and soreness over the region of the stomach, nausea and vomiting, a longing for food, usually a coated tongue, a bad breath, headache, dizziness, and sometimes a blurring of the sight, especially after stooping. The stomach is often distended with gas, and belching, sometimes accompanied by very sour eructations, is a troublesome symptom.

There may be more or less fever; the pulse is weak, and may be rapid or slower than in health. Sometimes, while there is no appetite, there is a craving for pickles or highly seasoned dishes, but indulgence of this craving soon turns it to loathing.

The symptoms of chronic gastritis are similar to those of the acute form, but less pronounced. The tongue is coated, the breath is foul, and often the sufferer has a bad taste in the mouth. The head aches dully, the wits are blunted and the temper is apt to be irritable. There is a sensation of weight or distress in the stomach, eructations are frequent, and occasionally a recently eaten meal is vomited.

A not uncommon symptom is a slight cough with raising of mucus. Sometimes, especially if the patient is losing flesh, this cough causes unnecessary alarm, being taken as an indication of consumption.

Gastritis, whether acute or chronic, is caused by some irritant acting upon the mucous membrane of the stomach. This may be a poison, such as arsenic, which has been swallowed; or it may be alcohol, or acid or highly spiced food; or the irritant may be formed in the stomach by the fermentation of indigestible food, or of food taken in too great quantity. Finally, it may result from the secretion into the stomach of poisons circulating in the blood.

The treatment of acute gastritis consists in the removal of the irritating material by copious drinking of warm water followed by vomiting, and then giving the stomach a complete rest, allowing only a little diluted milk occasionally. The cure of the chronic form is a less simple matter, and often calls for the use of drugs, careful dieting and the institution of a hygienic regime under the physician's direction.

At the Other End.

A certain naval officer was very pompous and conceited when on duty. One day, when he was officer of the watch, and he could not, as usual, find anything of consequence to grumble about, he attempted to vent his spite on one of the stokers of the vessel, who was in the engine-room, on duty.

Going to the speaking tube, the officer yelled:

"Is there a blithering idiot at the end of this tube?"

The reply came quick and startling:

"Not at this end, sir!"

The feelings of the officer, as he turned away with a black frown, can be better imagined than described.—London Spare Moments.

Lyonnaise Chestnuts.

Shell a pint of fine, meaty chestnuts, blanch and boil till they are soft. Drain and drop them in a tablespoonful of hot butter in the blazer. Add a teaspoonful of finely minced onion and brown quickly. Pepper and salt slightly, serve on hot plates with fingers of toast.—Good Housekeeping.

No Harm Done.

He—I always used to overestimate my abilities.
She (consoling)—Well, never mind. Your friends never did.—Tit-Bits.

Most people who try to neighbor with you want it all their own way.—Washington (La.) Democrat.

The average girl thinks that getting a letter with a sealing wax stamp and an initial on it, is next to getting a letter bearing a coat-of-arms.—Athenian Globe.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

OVERCOME BY THE DEBATE.

Mr. Clubman Tried a New Bluff on His Better Half, But It Wouldn't Go.

"Sense me for being so late, m-m-my dear, but fact is we was having a dis-dissussion on whether the cons-tooshun follows th' flag," relates the Cleveland Plain Dealer, "or th' f-flag follows cons-tooshun."

"Oh, you were, were you? Well, what did you decide?"
"Thass it. What did we decide? Jim S-S-Smith says that flag don't f-follow anything. He says that f-flag always leads. Thass what Jim says. Joe Bangs says that cons-tooshun is mor'n hundred yearsh old and when it goes anywheer it ought to be f-t-taken in a hack. Jim says it couldn't be no possible means follow anywheer. Good head, wasn't it? Joe's got a g-great head."

"And what did you decide?"
"Who? Me? Mean me, my dear? Why, I jus' said that the best way to solve per-oblem was to wrap cons-tooshun tightly 'round flagstaff, an' then let 'em go into it togetheer. Thass th' way. Watcher thing of it?"
"Well, I think if you don't pull off your shoes and follow them with the rest of your garments, and then wrap the blankets tightly around you, there'll be enough kinds of trouble raised in this family to wreck the best government that ever was formed."

"Do you think?" asked the landlady, "that death ends all?" "Not for four or five days, in the case of a turkey," said the savvy boarder, who had won his position of star by sheer brutality.—Indianapolis Free-Press.

Small Change.

"You know I feel just like a counterfeit bill," observed a young man to a friend with whom he was walking, stopping in front of a barroom.
"Why?" queried his partner.
"I cannot pass," the other explained, waving his hand toward the entrance of the place.
"Oh," remarked his friend, "don't let that feeling worry you; you know I'm somewhat accustomed to shoving the queer," and he took the man with a thirst by the arm and carried him on down the street.—Memphis Scimitar.

Sherlock Holmes.

"What will you gimme on this?" asked the musician.
The pawnbroker took the battered tub, fingered the keys, noticed the wire netting across the big end and asked:
"Say, does a feller have much fun travelin' with them one-night burlesque companies?"—Indianapolis Free-Press.

Rather Ancient.

Critick—"That western Napoleon of finance whom you have written up in today's paper must be a man of enormous longevity."
Editor—"Why?"
"You say, 'He is reputed to have made \$6,000,000 in as many years.'"—Philadelphia Record.

A Cautious Husband.

"Excuse me, sir," said the man in the next seat, "but your cigar is burning a hole in your paper."
"That's all right," responded the other; "I am just burning out the price of those electric seals at to-morrow's bargain sale. You see, I take this paper home."—Philadelphia Record.

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MARRIED AT NEWPORT, R.I.

The Nuptials of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and Miss Elsie French Celebrated.

BRIGHTER SUN NEVER SHOWN ON BRIDE.

Everything Connected With the Affair Bespoke Wealth—The Bride and Groom Were Playmates in Childhood's Days—On the Honeymoon Trip.

Newport, R. I., Jan. 14.—Although in the depth of winter this well known watering place took on a semblance of its summer gaiety because of the wedding of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, probably the most wealthy of the third generation of the Vanderbilt family, and Miss Elsie French, a charming Newport girl and former playmate of the bridegroom, the daughter of Mrs. Frederick Orme French, a resident of the city for many years.

A brighter sun never shown for any bride, and in spite of a crispness in the air, it did not seem to be a winter's day.

The ceremony took place at noon in the Zabriski Memorial church of St. John the Evangelist, far up in the old north part of the city, on the very shores of Narragansett bay, once the center of Newport's fashion, but now far removed from the social whirl of Bellevue avenue. Miss French made the choice of her own place of worship and her own home for the scene of the marriage, instead of selecting the more pretentious but less familiar surroundings which would have been found in New York.

The service was as ornate as the highest form of the Episcopal church could make it. The wedding procession, a picture of loveliness and fine gowns, and the breakfast, which closed the formal proceedings of the day, was one of the grandest ever served in this city.

Although the ceremony was set for noon, an hour or more before that time saw the arrival of some of the guests at the church and those who came about 11 o'clock had the pleasure of listening to an organ concert and found leisure to marvel at the floral decorations.

Just as the tones of the "Lohengrin" march wafted softly forth, the two clergymen, Rev. George F. Beatty, rector of the church, and Rev. G. Brinley Morgan, rector of Christ church, at New Haven, entered from the side door, followed by the bridegroom and his brother, Reginald Vanderbilt, the best man.

At the same time the bridal procession started up the main aisle, the ushers leading, followed by the four bridesmaids.

At the altar Mr. Vanderbilt met his bride. Together they stood before the steps of the chancel until Dr. Morgan had finished reading the betrothal portion of the service when they ascended into the chancel and at the altar Dr. Beatty completed the ceremony and pronounced them husband and wife. The Mendocino wedding march was played as the wedding procession moved down the aisle and out of the church. The ceremony occupied about seven minutes.

For the reception "Harbor View," the residence of Mrs. French, had been prepared with great care. The broad verandas all inclosed in glass were filled with small pine trees, while within the house brilliant flowers met the eye. The bride and groom received their friends while standing in the large hall beneath a canopy composed entirely of Golden Gate roses.

The poinsettia, the crimson Mexican Christmas flower, was the prevailing feature of the decorations in the dining room. At the conclusion of the wedding breakfast a number of toasts were drunk to the health and happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt. The bride left later in the afternoon on their honeymoon trip.

Among the prominent guests were Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, the mother of the groom, gown in mourning; Mrs. Frederick Orme French, the bride's mother; Mr. Wm. K. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. Elliot F. Shepard, Dr. and Mrs. McKay Twombly, Dr. and Mrs. Seward Webb, Gen. and Mrs. Herbert F. Eaton, Baroness Schiller, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Merrill, Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Porter.

REBELS WERE SURPRISED.

The British Punitive Expedition Surprised and Routed the Natives at Dumbutsu, West Africa.

15.—The British punitive expedition 14.—The British punitive expedition arrived at Dumbutsu January 11 and completely surprised and routed the rebels. The troops captured the town after an hour's fighting. Sixty rebels were killed, 60 wounded and 200 captured. Six important chiefs were brought to Bathurst. The British casualties were six West Indians wounded. More fighting is expected.

Lived in Three Centuries.

Cloverport, Ky., Jan. 14.—James B. Ireland, the oldest white native in Kentucky, died at his home at Skillman, Hancock county, Sunday, in his one hundred and fourth year.

The Bishop of London Dead.

London, Jan. 14.—Rt. Rev. Mandell Creighton, D.D., bishop of London died this afternoon. He was born in 1843.

PLOTTING AGAINST THE CZAR.

Arrest, in Nice, of Prince Victor Nakhodichev, an Alleged Russian Nihilist.

Nice, Jan. 14.—The police have arrested Prince Victor Nakhodichev, a Russian, on the charge of plotting to take the life of the czar, on the latter's approaching visit here. Prince Nakhodichev, who is a nihilist, was condemned to death in Russia, as an accomplice in the conspiracy of 1880, against the life of Alexander III., grandfather of the present czar. He was also convicted in Paris of being illegally in the possession of explosive machines.

"Swiftwater Bill" Is Swift.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 14.—"Swiftwater Bill" Gates, whose gold strikes in the Klondike and personal prodigality have made him both famous and notorious, has eloped from this city with Belle Lamore, the youngest of three sisters, the other two having done a turn as Bill's wife.

President Will Be Welcomed.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 14.—Notwithstanding the action of the New Orleans camp of Confederate Veterans, the Tennessee ex-confederates are determined to invite President McKinley to their reunion, in this city, in May, and to give him a cordial reception if he accepts.

Commodore Henderson Dead.

New York, Jan. 14.—Commodore Alex Henderson, chief engineer United States navy, retired, died at his home in Yonkers, Sunday. He was in Commodore Perry's fleet which visited the orient in 1853-55 and opened up Japan to intercourse with western civilization.

President Continues to Improve.

Washington, Jan. 14.—President McKinley continues to improve, though it is not expected that he will be in his office or see anyone during this week. He is transacting a little business but it is confined to urgent pardon cases and the signing of bills.

Found Dead in the Road.

Calendar, Ind., Jan. 14.—Oscar Hillstrom, a prominent Scandinavian politician and a member of Webster county board of supervisors, was found dead in the road near his home Sunday evening. It is believed death was due to natural causes.

Probably Fatally Burned.

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—Mrs. M. A. Millican, wife of the editor of the New York Medical Journal, was badly burned in a fire which partially destroyed the house in this city in which she resides and no hopes of her recovery are entertained.

Roosevelt Gets a Lion.

Meeker, Col., Jan. 14.—Col. Roosevelt's first day's hunting in the Rockies; Saturday, netted him a fine lion, which he shot as the animal sprang at him from a tree.

Passengers Frozen to Death.

Odesa, Jan. 14.—During the recent blizzard which raged over southern Russia for more than 100 hours, trains were snowbound and fully 150 people were frozen to death.

To Wind Up the Concern.

London, Jan. 14.—At the adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, limited, it was resolved to voluntarily wind up the concern.

River News.

| Stations. | Gauge 24 hours in 24 hrs | Change Rainfall |
|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Pittsburgh | 12.5 | 7 |
| Cincinnati | 11.0 | 4.3 |
| St. Louis | 5.3 | 0.8 |
| St. Paul | 5.3 | 0.8 |
| Davenport | 5.4 | 0.3 |
| Memphis | 6.3 | -0.5 |
| Louisville | 2.9 | 1.6 |
| Calumet | 15.2 | 3.5 |
| New Orleans | 5.0 | — |

— Fall. — Trace.

THE MARKET REPORT.

MONDAY, Jan. 14.

Grain and Provisions.

St. Louis—Flour—Patents, \$3.65@3.80; other grades, \$3.00@3.50. Wheat—No. 2 red, 74¢@75¢; Corn—No. 2 mixed, 32¢@33¢; No. 2, 29¢@30¢. Hay—Timothy, 40¢@41¢; clover, \$5.00@5.50; prairie, \$5.00@5.50; choice clover, \$5.00@5.50. Butter—Creamery, 19¢@20¢; Dairy, 18¢@19¢. Eggs—Fresh, 15¢; Lard—Choice steam, 12¢@13¢; Pork—New mess, \$14.50; Bacon—Clear rib, 8¢; Wood—Tennessee, 18¢@19¢; Missouri and Illinois medium combing, 20¢@21¢; other grades, 17¢@18¢.

Live Stock Markets.

St. Louis—Cattle—Fancy exports, \$5.00; 50¢; butchers, \$4.50@4.75; stockers, \$2.75@3.25; cows and heifers, \$2.50@3.00. Hogs—Packing, \$4.50@4.75; butchers, \$3.50@4.00; light, \$4.00@4.25; sheep—Mutton sheep, \$3.50@4.25; lambs, \$5.00@5.75.

Cotton.

Quotations for middling range as follows: St. Louis, 15¢; New York, 10¢; Memphis, 15¢.

Financial.

New York, Jan. 14.—Money on call steady at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 48 1/2@49 1/2 for demand and at 48 1/2@49 1/2 for 30 days; posted rates 48 and 48 1/2; commercial bills, 62 1/2@63 1/2; silver certificates, 50¢; gold coins, 100¢; Mexican dollars, 16 1/2¢; Government bonds ready.

CONFEDERATE REUNION.

The Memphis Meeting Will Be the Largest Ever Held.

The People of the South City Will See to It That the Old Soldiers Are Royally Entertained—Names of Some of Those Who Will Be Present.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 14.—The reunion of Confederate veterans which will take place in this city May 20th, 30th and 31st, promises to be the greatest in the history of the Confederate organization, and will mark the gathering of more old soldiers than ever took place since the flag of the Confederacy was hoisted forever at Appomattox and on the plains of Texas. Memphis is peculiarly well situated for the great event. It is in the heart of the South. It is equidistant from Texas and Virginia and all of the other States east and west of the Mississippi river that gave their sons to the Lost Cause from 1861 to 1865. Memphis realizes the fact that her greatest achievement is before her. The ex-Confederates of this city and adjoining territory are keenly interested in the success of the reunion, and every citizen of Memphis feels it to be his patriotic duty to lend a helping hand toward making the coming sojourn of the survivors of the greatest army that ever faced a foe a thing of pleasure and comfort.

The finance committee has thoroughly brought its affairs into system under the able direction of A. B. Pickett, editor and proprietor of the Evening Scimitar, himself a son of a gallant Confederate soldier. This committee, says Mr. Pickett, will have every dollar necessary for the occasion. The work of the other committees is also being thoroughly mapped out. It is the intention that the railroads shall be prevailed upon to make extraordinary low rates from all points from Washington City in the East to El Paso, Texas, in the West. It must be said that the general officers of all the railroads in the South and of the northern railroads having branches in the southern territory, have, many of them, expressed their intention of most heartily co-operating in every way that will tend to make the reunion a success. It is intended that the veterans shall be properly looked after when they arrive. A special committee for this purpose, composed of some of the best men and women of Memphis, has already been appointed and is actively at work. A bureau of comfort will be established. A corps of physicians have been pressed into service and all of the details that will be conducive to the well being of those visitors upon whom the burden of years presses, harder and harder will be carefully arranged. It is the intention that no soldier, whether he wore the general's stars, the sergeant's chevron, or bore a musket as a private, shall be neglected.

A committee for the selection of quarters, one for public halls, one for hotels, one for parade, one for music, one for transportation, one for horses and saddles and one for the entertainment of sponsors and specially invited guests, have been appointed. A general reception committee, headed by Mayor Williams, has already been formed. It is composed of representative citizens. At the reunion the few of the surviving generals who led the hosts of the Confederacy through all the bloody days that marked the course of the war, from Sumpter until the early spring of '65, will be present. Gordon, the Cavalier Bayard of Georgia, will be here. And Gordon, one of the youngest generals of the war, he of Tennessee, who rode over the breastworks of the enemy on the bloody field of Franklin, will receive the Georgian of the same name. Forrest sleeps in Elmwood cemetery of this city, but the survivors of his command who are living will see to it that those who followed him and are now scattered from the rolling waters of the James to the chapparrals beyond San Jacinto, lack no attention and want for no comfort when they come to the city that was the home of their peerless leader who lay down his sword, accepted the issue of the war and devoted his declining years to the building up of his own ruined fortunes and rehabilitating the land he loved so well.

Simon Bolivar Buckner, now four-score and ten, who read at Glen Lily, in the evening of his life, will be here. And Cabell, of Texas, "Old Tige," one of the bravest men that ever faced a bullet of a foe, will come and greet Wheeler and Lee, veterans of two wars. Stephen D. Lee, of Mississippi, soldier, educator and gentleman, will meet "Red" Jackson of Tennessee. And the men who fought under Forrest knew Jackson. Wade Hampton, the beau sabreur of the Army of Virginia, patrician and wise councillor in the halls of the nation, will come from his home in the Savannahs of Carolina and meet the gallant Moorman of Louisiana, and mingle with the men from Missouri who fought with Price and Shelby.

Brave men love brave men. A committee has been appointed to visit McKinley, himself a gallant soldier, and ask him as the president of the mightiest nation on earth, to lend his presence and show of the world that in the dawn of the twentieth century this nation stands united, one for all and all for one.

The commonest grub looks good when a fellow can't eat—Washington (La.) Democrat.

It seems incredible, yet it is a fact, that a man can be knocked down and held up at the same time.—Indianapolis News.

Unreasonable Expectations.

A lady who was unfamiliar with the streets of New York was much confused by the jargon used by a car conductor. When she thought she must have arrived near her destination the conductor poked his head into the car and said: "Empty bazazas!" "What street did you say?" demanded the passenger. "Uty-umphy!" said the conductor. Much annoyed the lady from the suburbs went out on the platform and rebuked the conductor for his careless use of the vocal organs. He only glared at her and said: "What do you expect for \$3 a week? A tenor solo?"—N. Y. Sun.

To Abolish the Whipping Post.

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Inopportune.

"See here!" exclaimed the shopper, excitedly, "there's a man just dropped dead in that bargain crush!" "How inopportune!" cried the floor walker. "We have not yet opened our undertaking department."—Philadelphia Press.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is often ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Puzzling.

Dickerman—"There's one thing that puzzles me." "Rawley—"And, pray, what is that?" "How it happens that the new woman is generally not a very young one."—Boston Transcript.

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Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

The Result.

Towne—Newman took part in an automobile race not long ago. Brown—"That so? How did he come out?" "On crutches, about a month later."—Philadelphia Press.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—John F. Beyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 16, 1900.

On Ohio man aged 112 years is threatened with nervous prostration. His physician attributes it to the excessive use of tobacco during the last 97 years.

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She—"Did he meet his wife by accident?" He—"Oh, no, he knew she had money."—Town Topics.

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NEW SALEM.

Felix Tyner, who moved from this section to Arkansas some two years ago, arrived safely back to his old home on the 3rd of this month. Felix says that there is too much water where he lived and being bred in Old Kentucky a fellow don't like too much water.

Tyner's Chapel has just received a new dressing in the way of a new roof and other repairing.

Dr. C. R. Stevens, the veterinary surgeon of Salem, was in our vicinity last week.

Wm. Robertson has sold his farm to Harrison Aston.

Etwell McWhister has moved to the Will Lowery farm lately occupied by Bob Threlkeld.

Rev. A. H. Humphreys has moved to Dycusburg.

E. L. Franklin and wife and Mrs. Laura Hayden, of Salem, were visiting friends here last week.

The mining interest has commenced to show some life. It was quite dull the first week of the New Year.

The Western Mining Co., is prospecting on the farm of Tom Harpending and will ship a sample of the fire clay this week, so as to determine its value.

The prospect for the 1901 crop of tobacco promises to be at least 10 per cent more in acreage than the 1900 crop.

Mrs. Davenport, of Livingston county, spent part of last week visiting her son, William, of this section.

Capt Jim Shreve, of Tennessee, who has been visiting friends here will leave this week for his home.

Misses Electa and Ophelia Alvis, of Salem, were visiting in our neighborhood last Sunday.

Charley Brown was the lucky man to secure the reward offered by Gahagan for the recovery of his stolen horse.

Harry Harpending and Charley Brown made a business trip to Weston last week.

Wood Garnett is prospecting for mineral on the farm of Bunk Baker.

The present wheat crop looks very promising. The acreage will fall 20 per cent short of the crop harvested in 1900.

Our weather prophet, Uncle Billie Fuller, says there will be no cold weather before the middle of February.

MEXICO.

Mrs. Alice Butler is on the sick list. W. K. Bibb had a fine mule to fall and break his neck a few days ago.

Newt Brasher has gone to Tennessee spend the winter.

Mrs. Nancy Rogers is dangerously ill at the home of her son, J. L. Rogers and her recovery is dispaired of. She is 92 years old.

Thos Moss, of Grayville, Ill., visited his old friend, Willie Polk last week.

Colie Myers and Marion Brasher are going to the graded school in Marion this winter.

Willie Brasher and Miss Hattie Burkley were happily united in marriage on the 6th. Mr Brasher is a farmer of the western part of this section and Miss Hattie is one of the fair belles which it takes to make home happy. We extend congratulations and wish them a happy voyage.

Mrs. George Drennan was called to Dycusburg Sunday to see her brother, Tom Turpin, who is dangerously ill.

Quite a number of our young people attended the candy breaking at Andy Stinnett's Wednesday night, and report a nice time.

Ed Mott and family visited Mr. Monymaker's Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Myers was visiting her brother near Crayneville Sunday.

SHERIDAN.

Mrs. Brown, an old lady of the Glendale neighborhood, died Thursday night and was buried at the Love graveyard Saturday.

Last Wednesday night Mr. Will Stallions and Miss Bettie Clark went to Elizabethtown from the pound supper at Dave Humphrey's and were married. Two of Sheridan's bravest and fairest, we wish them happiness.

W. T. Fleming has sold his farm to Will Robinson.

Frate Stephenson has sold his farm to a mining company. Mr Stephenson intends going to Boone county.

From all appearances there will be another wedding in our neighborhood soon.

STARR.

T. W. Dollins will move to Marion. You will find him a valuable addition to your city.

Rev. E. L. Woodruff filled his regular appointment at Piney last Sunday.

Miss Lura Wood closed her school here last Friday. She gave general satisfaction as a teacher.

Born to the wife of J. C. Alexander, a fine boy, and Jim is happy.

A large crowd attended the Swansy sale.

We are looking for another wedding. We have heard that Willie Shinall is in Webster county very sick.



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DYCUSBURG.

Misses Ialeen Graves, Ada Dycus, Nina Bennett, Bernice Yancy and Lillie Graves left Sunday for St. Vincent where they will attend school.

Ed Hill, of Fredonia, was in town Sunday.

Bob Miles and wife, of Kelsey, were visiting Carl T. Glenn and family last Sunday.

Horney, the little daughter of W. E. Charles died last week after a short illness.

M. B. Charles and wife went to Smith land Sunday.

J. H. Clifton and wife spent a few days in Marion last week.

The long looked for coal boat came last week and we are all happy now.

The Dycusburg Roller Mill is again running day and night.

F. D. Ramage went to Kelsey last Saturday.

Frank Charles is going to school at Kuttawa.

IRON HILL.

Mrs. Joanna Truitt is on the sick list. Lee Kemp has finished stripping tobacco.

John Brown has built a new stable.

Some of our neighbors attended the party at Mrs. Dan McDowell's a few days ago.

Mrs. Sallie Riley, who has been suffering with heart trouble for several months, is said to be improving.

Several persons from our neighborhood attended Enon church last Sunday.

Obituary.

W. J. Howerton was born in Crittenden county, Ky., May 9th, 1850; married Nina Wilcox June 24th, 1895, in Evansville, Ind., and died at his home in Marion, Ky., Dec. 21st, 1900. He had been in failing health for some time, but his friends did not realize that his condition was so serious until a short time before he died. He was not a member of the church, and did not express himself in reference to his future prospects. He was a man of many good traits and had much to live for. A wife and son survive him, who feel their loss, but he left them well provided for, so far as the comforts of a material sort are concerned. He was laid to rest in the new cemetery at Marion to await the resurrection morn.

God bless the bereaved friends of the deceased, especially the widow and her little boy. His protection be over them. T. V. J.

Obituary.

Jacob Hadley Wigginton, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wigginton, was born July 29, 1882, and died December 10, 1900, being a few months past 18 years of age. He was taken sick Friday night, the seventh of December, and was very sick from the first, and when his physician said the next morning that he was very sick and would not likely live long, we could hardly believe it, for he had seemed so well. But the physician was right, and after three days of intense suffering his spirit took its flight. By Monday morning they saw there was little hope for his recovery. Many prayers had gone up to the throne of grace that he be spared to us, but if that was not to be that he might be able to put his trust in his Saviour and feel that he was ready when the time should come to go. These prayers were answered and before his death he called the family around him and bade each one good bye and said that it was all right with him, and told them to meet him in heaven.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. A. Wigginton, Rev. B. T. Walker and the pastor. It was easily seen how many friends he had. The news of his death was received with universal sorrow. His companions and young associates wept as they followed him to his last earthly resting place.

He was buried in the Fredonia

cemetery, on the State road. The ivy and beautiful flowers laid by loving hands upon his grave were a tribute to his memory. His loss will be keenly felt by the entire community, but nowhere so much as in his home, where he was a tender and dutiful son and loving brother, and to these we give our deepest sympathy and prayers.

The family is comforted with the assurance that though he can not come back to them they shall go to him.

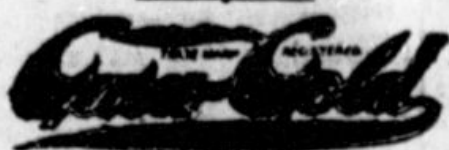
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