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On Saturday last considerably over twenty thousand dollars was paid out by the following companies:

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Western Tube Co.	6,000
Blue & Nunn.	2,000
Marion Mineral Co.	2,000
Various other companies.	5,000

Making an aggregate of...\$25,000

President Hearne, of the Eagle Fluorspar company, has made a departure that means very much for his company as well as for the growing city of Salem, where the Cullen mine is located. For months he has endeavored to utilize local labor, hoping eventually to make miners out of home talent but the fact that such improvement was more than slow decided Mr. Hearne to secure first-class men from abroad, both as mine and machine men. The first arrivals, four in number, passed through the other day to Salem, and the work of sinking and running levels on the famous Cullen mine will progress rapidly and profitably from this time on.

It is stated in Madisonville that the proposed electric railway between that city and Nortonville, Ky., is a certainty, local capitalists having taken the matter in hand. Steps are already being taken to this end.

Another electric railway will be constructed through the mining district of Crittenden county by Indiana capitalists, the same informant states.

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SENATOR TILLMAN'S

Cutting Sarcasm Regarding the Negro at the North.

No barricade of pitchforks would have served Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, better than the line of pickets with which he surrounded himself while at the Auditorium Hotel yesterday, but once past the line of colored men who protected him from the onslaughts and assaults of politicians and reporters, the negro and the white man of the North became common objects of his attack, says the Chicago Record-Herald.

"I see you people of the North gradually are becoming civilized," said he with fine sarcasm. "I love the South, but I do not think that I can point with greater pride to two cities of the Southland than you 'Yankees' of Illinois can to Bellville and Danville.

"I can see that it is only a matter of a few months before you set the race problem. You are in such a good place here to do it, too. The referee always should be impartial, and you are here on neutral ground.

"I admit the South is in a fearful condition. Why, I know of instances where a negro has been lynched for nothing more than despoiling a man of all that hope, and home and honor held. Here, in this home of Lincoln, you do things better.

"As I understand it, a gentlemanly company, on its way to jail attacked a negro. The inconside wretch turned and fired when he was attacked. He was shot, hanged and burned in a very respectable manner, and although an innocent bystander was killed and many injured there, was nothing else to mar the pleasure of the occasion.

"Danville, I learn, is in a state of siege. Bellville was the scene of a revolution but a few short weeks ago. Evansville has its day still fresh in our memory.

"What I would like to ask the people of the North is, 'Did this ever happen in our State?' We have hanged, we have burned, but I do not recall that we have punished the innocent with the guilty, nor put the hempen rope about the neck of the third and fourth generation. Yet, as I understand it, that is what you are doing when you threaten to wipe out whole colonies.

"The North can not solve the race problem. The South can, I believe, if it is not molested. As the negro comes North and commits the crime for which we lynch him in the South, I notice you use our methods. But you don't stop there. You would exterminate the whole race.

"Let the South care for its own. It can do that. But in order to do it as it should be, the fifteenth amendment to the constitution must be revoked. Let the Southerner have full sway, and the race problem will be gradually solved.

"The North is responsible today for the situation in the South. Fed with the meat of Northern criticism, the negro has grown so great that he would make his own laws. Left alone he is tractable, faithful and friendly; imbued with the ideas of people who know nothing of him, he loses sense of honor, trust and gratitude.

ABOUT CONVERSATION.

The art of conversation is a most desirable acquisition. Although there are no rules by which one can become a brilliant talker, every one may develop whatever talent he possesses. There are certain considerations to be kept in mind in cultivating conversational powers. The requisites for agreeable conversation are dwelt upon in a paper in The Delineator for September, which will be a distinct aid to any one wishing to improve his accomplishments in this regard.

SAM JONES' HOT SHOT.

Rev. Sam Jones, the Georgia evangelist, who was one of the speakers at the Bloomington Chautauqua, was asked while there, what, in his opinion, was responsible for the race wars in the North, particularly the Danville, and Evansville riots. He said in response:

"I have lived among negroes all my life, and know them pretty well, and in my mind there is not much in this excitement among them. Now this lynching business is no anarchy. If a mad dog or a wild beast runs through the streets and bites some one, the thing to do is to kill it, and kill it before it does any more harm. There is not much difference between a wild beast and a negro who will attack white women. Why, in the South the respectable blacks help the whites lynch the brutes. Of the 11,000,000 in the South, the great mass are peaceable law-abiding citizens. Since we have gotten rid of the Yankee skulawags who were stirring them up, we don't have much trouble with them. They know their place and they keep it, just as the convicts at Joliet know their place and keep it.

"There may be a thousand bad negroes in the South, and they are the ones who make the trouble. It was the enfranchisement of the negro that made the trouble at first. In Georgia we have not disfranchised them. They can vote at the general election, but they can not vote at the primaries. We have a white primary, and a nomination is equivalent to an election, the black vote does not interfere. Education is doing a great deal for the negro. The only education that I think is useful to them is manual training. Booker T. Washington is doing the most for them. He is dignifying labor and teaching them to work.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Now we are hearing from Maryland and other States south of us that performance of the play "Uncle Tom's Cabin" are not welcomed; indeed, that many instances no license for the giving of such performances will be granted by local authorities. And there has arisen in consequence, something of a wail hysterical, in which may be distinguished the characterizations, "Don't know the war is over!" "Sectional prejudice!" "Opinionated Southerners!" and the like.

There's another side to this question, friends. The South resents "Uncle Tom" because, as a play, "Uncle Tom" pictures the South to have been a country of cowardly slave drivers, lacking in humane considerations, generally; brutal in its treatment of the weak specifically.

It is hardly probable that, were an English manager to bring over a company of players to enact a drama in which Lord Cornwallis was made the hero and George Washington a conscienceless desperado, the venture would be hugely successful in New York. It is even possible this section might consider such a play a studied insult, unwarranted by the present friendliness of the countries and justly provocative of protest.

The South has ever its color problem. Any managerial effort calculated to fan the flame of race prejudice is in bad taste, to say the least.—New York Morning Telegraph.

"CALAMITY JANE" DEAD.

A noted female character, "Calamity Jane," known on the frontier since '70, died at Terry, near Deadwood, South Dakota, of inflammation of the bowels. Before death she requested that she be buried beside "Wild Bill" Hickox, who was murdered here in '76. Her name was Mrs. Jane Burke, and her last husband, who was younger than she, is in Denver. She has a married daughter in North Dakota.

WOMEN'S WORK

To Be Exhibited at the State Fair at Owensboro.

Prizes amounting to \$750 will be offered and there will be some fine displays.

True to the reputation which Kentuckians have long since established for gallantry towards their "women folks" the Executive Committee of the State Fair has certainly dealt most generously with them in awarding the premium list in the Woman's Department.

Not only are the premiums the largest offered by any State in the Union, \$750 having been allotted to this one department, but so wide is their scope and so broad their purpose to reach every class that one may be well repaid by a careful study of the lists.

The practicable, sensible women of our rural and mountain sections from whose sturdy looms come the beautiful woven counterpanes and artistic rag carpets, whose merits are being more and more appreciated; the deft fingered art workers of our cities with their flimsy laces and exquisite embroideries are all remembered. In whatever direction one's talent may lie, she will find in this catalogue an incentive to exhibit her best work.

Not alone in needle work, either; for that road which is said to lead most directly to a man's heart—the culinary highway, is quite as generously provided for; bread, cakes, preserves, jellies, pickles, all are there, with abundant scope for the display of one's skill in many directions.

Another striking feature to which attention should be called is the Sweepstake Premium offered as an inducement to exhibit as many different articles in each class as one may be able. To the one who receives the largest number of premiums in any class, special premiums of ten dollars is awarded, making it worth one's while to enter as great a variety as possible.

Nor are the children forgotten, for there is a special list for them, where they may exhibit their best dressed dolls, their raffia work, scalloping, or any other handicraft in which they may excel.

To any one who may feel interested the Secretary of the Association, Mr. L. B. Shropshire, Board of Trade building, Louisville, Ky., will gladly mail catalogues upon application, and it is earnestly hoped that the women of our State may find both pleasure and profit in making their department a success.

A SURPRISING RECORD.

The Washington, D. C., Post of Feb. 6 last, says:

A Republican Senator of National reputation, recently bought a graphophone for his domestic establishment. He fed it with records of "Under the Bamboo Tree" and "Won't You Come Home Bill Bailey." The music was charming; he wanted more.

His servant was dispatched to a local store to purchase other music records, but stopped en route, where goods were being sold at auction, and came upon a job lot of the records, which he purchased at a bargain.

That evening the Senator, after his dinner, tested the new records. The first one was announced by the graphophone, "Anti-Trust Speech by a New York Congressman, Hon. Wm. Sulzer.

The next time the Senator invests in such entertainments, he will select his own records, and there will be no Democratic speeches to fill in his leisure evenings.

Warts on her fingers; corns on her toes she will be miserable wherever she goes, unless she uses Dr. Mendenhall's Corn Cure. 15 cents at druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price by J. C. Mendenhall, Evansville, Ind.

LIFE OF A COAL MINER.

First, the boy of eight or ten is sent to the breaker to pick up the slate and other impurities from the coal which has been brought up from the mine. As he grows older and stronger he is advanced to the position and given the pay of a laborer. There he gains the experience which secured him a place as a miner's helper, and as he requires skill and strength he becomes, when in the height of his manhood and vigor, a full fledged miner.

If he is fortunate enough to escape the falls of rock and coal, he may retain his position as a miner for a number of years. But as age creeps on and he is attacked with some of the many diseases incident to work in the mines, he makes way for those younger and more vigorous following him up the ladder whose top he has reached. He then starts on the descent going back to become a miner's helper, then a mine laborer, then a door boy, and when old and decrepit, he finally returns to the breaker, where he started as a child, earning the same wages as are received by the little urchins who work at his side. There is no incentive for ambition in the average miner's life. He can not rise to places of eminence and wealth. Only one in five hundred can ever be given place as a foreman or superintendent, and these are positions which few miners care to hold.—John Mitchell in Cosmopolitan.

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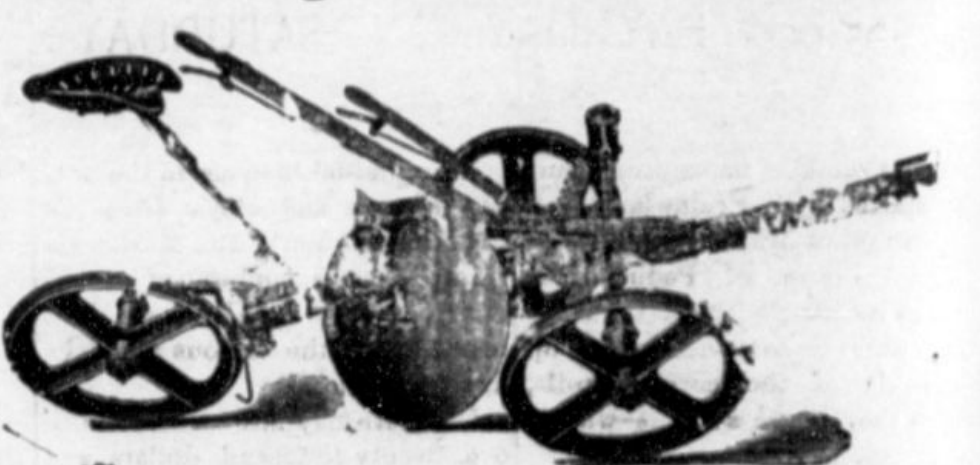
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SENATOR TILLMAN'S

Cutting Sarcasm Regarding the Negro at the North.

No barricade of pitchforks would have served Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, better than the line of pickets with which he surrounded himself while at the Auditorium Hotel yesterday, but once past the line of colored men who protected him from the onslaughts and assaults of politicians and reporters, the negro and the white man of the North became common objects of his attack, says the Chicago Record-Herald.

"I see you people of the North gradually are becoming civilized," said he with fine sarcasm. "I love the South, but I do not think that I can point with greater pride to two cities of the Southland than you 'Yankees' of Illinois can to Bellville and Danville.

"I can see that it is only a matter of a few months before you settle the race problem. You are in such a good place here to do it, too. The referee always should be impartial, and you are here on neutral ground.

"I admit the South is in a fearful condition. Why, I know of instances where a negro has been lynched for nothing more than despoiling a man of all that hope, and home and honor held. Here, in this home of Lincoln, you do things better.

"As I understand it, a gentlemanly company, on its way to jail attacked a negro. The inconside wretch turned and fired when he was attacked. He was shot, hanged and burned in a very respectable manner, and although an innocent bystander was killed and many injured there, was nothing else to mar the pleasure of the occasion.

"Danville, I learn, is in a state of siege. Bellville was the scene of a revolution but a few short weeks ago. Evansville has its day still fresh in our memory.

"What I would like to ask the people of the North is, 'Did this ever happen in our State?' We have hanged, we have burned, but I do not recall that we have punished the innocent with the guilty, nor put the hempen rope about the neck of the third and fourth generation. Yet, as I understand it, that is what you are doing when you threaten to wipe out whole colonies.

"The North can not solve the race problem. The South can, I believe, if it is not molested. As the negro comes North and commits the crime for which we lynch him in the South, I notice you use our methods. But you don't stop there. You would exterminate the whole race.

"Let the South care for its own. It can do that. But in order to do it as it should be, the fifteenth amendment to the constitution must be revoked. Let the Southerner have full sway, and the race problem will be gradually solved.

"The North is responsible today for the situation in the South. Fed with the meat of Northern criticism, the negro has grown so great that he would make his own laws. Left alone he is tractable, faithful and friendly; imbued with the ideas of people who know nothing of him, he loses sense of honor, trust and gratitude.

ABOUT CONVERSATION.

The art of conversation is a most desirable acquisition. Although there are no rules by which one can become a brilliant talker, every one may develop whatever talent he possesses. There are certain considerations to be kept in mind in cultivating conversational powers. The requisites for agreeable conversation are dwelt upon in a paper in The Delineator for September, which will be a distinct aid to any one wishing to improve his accomplishments in this regard.

SAM JONES' HOT SHOT.

Rev. Sam Jones, the Georgia evangelist, who was one of the speakers at the Bloomington Chau tauqua, was asked while there, what, in his opinion, was responsible for the race wars in the North, particularly the Danville, and Evansville riots. He said in response:

"I have lived among negroes all my life, and know them pretty well, and in my mind there is not much in this excitement among them. Now this lynching business is no anarchy. If a mad dog or a wild beast runs through the streets and bites some one, the thing to do is to kill it, and kill it before it before it does any more harm. There is not much difference between a wild beast and a negro who will attack white women. Why, in the South the respectable blacks help the whites lynch the brutes. Of the 11,000,000 in the South, the great mass are peaceable law-abiding citizens. Since we have gotten rid of the Yankee skalawags who were stirring them up, we don't have much trouble with them. They know their place and they keep it, just as the convicts at Joliet know their place and keep it.

"There may be a thousand bad negroes in the South, and they are the ones who make the trouble. It was the enfranchisement of the negro that made the trouble at first. In Georgia we have not disfranchised them. They can vote at the general election, but they can not vote at the primaries. We have a white primary, and a nomination is equivalent to an election, the black vote does not interfere. Education is doing a great deal for the negro. The only education that I think is useful to them is manual training. Booker T. Washington is doing the most for them. He is dignifying labor and teaching them to work.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Now we are hearing from Maryland and other States south of us that performance of the play "Uncle Tom's Cabin" are not welcomed; indeed, that many instances no license for the giving of such performances will be granted by local authorities. And there has arisen, in consequence, something of a wall hysterical, in which may be distinguished the characterizations, "Don't know the war is over!" "Sectional prejudice!" "Opinionated Southerners!" and the like.

There's another side to this question, friends. The South resents "Uncle Tom" because, as a play, "Uncle Tom" pictures the South to have been a country of cowardly slave drivers, lacking in humane considerations, generally; brutal in its treatment of the weak specifically.

It is hardly probable that, were an English manager to bring over a company of players to enact a drama in which Lord Cornwallis was made the hero and George Washington a conscienceless desperado, the venture would be hugely successful in New York. It is even possible this section might consider such a play a studied insult, unwarranted by the present friendliness of the countries and justly provocative of protest.

The South has ever its color problem. Any managerial effort calculated to fan the flame of race prejudice is in bad taste, to say the least.—New York Morning Telegraph.

"CALAMITY JANE" DEAD.

A noted female character, "Calamity Jane," known on the frontier since '70, died at Terry, near Deadwood, South Dakota, of inflammation of the bowels. Before death she requested that she be buried beside "Wild Bill" Hickox, who was murdered here in '76. Her name was Mrs. Jane Burke, and her last husband, who was younger than she, is in Denver. She has a married daughter in North Dakota.

WOMEN'S WORK

To Be Exhibited at the State Fair at Owensboro.

Prizes amounting to \$750 will be offered and there will be some fine displays.

True to the reputation which Kentuckians have long since established for gallantry towards their "women folks" the Executive Committee of the State Fair has certainly dealt most generously with them in awarding the premium list in the Woman's Department.

Not only are the premiums the largest offered by any State in the Union, \$750 having been allotted to this one department, but so wide is their scope and so broad their purpose to reach every class that one may be well repaid by a careful study of the lists.

The practicable, sensible women of our rural and mountain sections from whose sturdy looms come the beautiful woven counterpanes and artistic rag carpets, whose merits are being more and more appreciated; the deft fingered art workers of our cities with their flimsy laces and exquisite embroideries are all remembered. In whatever direction one's talent may lie, she will find in this catalogue an incentive to exhibit her best work.

Not alone in needle work, either; for that road which is said to lead most directly to a man's heart—the culinary highway, is quite as generously provided for; bread, cakes, preserves, jellies, pickles, all are there, with abundant scope for the display of one's skill in many directions.

Another striking feature to which attention should be called is the Sweepstake Premium offered as an inducement to exhibit as many different articles in each class as one may be able. To the one who receives the largest number of premiums in any class, special premiums of ten dollars is awarded, making it worth one's while to enter as great a variety as possible.

Nor are the children forgotten, for there is a special list for them, where they may exhibit their best dressed dolls, their raffia work, scalloping, or any other handicraft in which they may excel.

To any one who may feel interested the Secretary of the Association, Mr. L. B. Shropshire, Board of Trade building, Louisville, Ky. will gladly mail catalogues upon application, and it is earnestly hoped that the women of our State may find both pleasure and profit in making their department a success.

A SURPRISING RECORD.

The Washington, D. C., Post of Feb. 6 last, says: A Republican Senator of National reputation, recently bought a graphophone for his domestic establishment. He fed it with records of "Under the Bamboo Tree" and "Won't You Come Home Bill Bailey." The music was charming; he wanted more.

His servant was dispatched to a local store to purchase other music records, but stopped en route, where goods were being sold at auction, and came upon a job lot of the records, which he purchased at a bargain.

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Warts on her fingers, corns on her toes she will be miserable wherever she goes, unless she uses Dr. Mendenhall's Corn Cure. 15 cents at druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price by J. C. Mendenhall, Evansville, Ind.

LIFE OF A COAL MINER.

First, the boy of eight or ten is sent to the breaker to pick up the slate and other imperfections from the coal which has been brought up from the mine. As he grows older and stronger he is advanced to the position and given the pay of a laborer. There he gains the experience which secured him a place as a miner's helper, and as he requires skill and strength he becomes, when in the height of his manhood and vigor, a full fledged miner.

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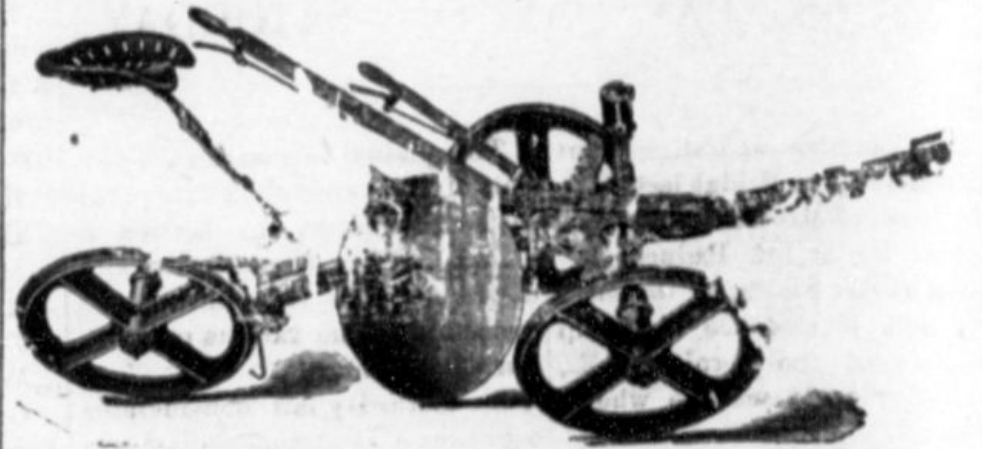
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LIVINGSTON COUNTY,

People Old and Young Marry--A Negro Heavily Fined.

Sunday afternoon, at the residence of her uncle, in Paducah, Miss Leona Parsons and Mr. Gilbert Jolly were married, in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Julia Parsons, at Paducah, and the sister of circuit clerk J. C. Parsons. She is a capable, attractive and accomplished young lady, and is one of the county's most successful teachers. She will teach the primary department at Grand Rivers this year.

The groom is the son of G. W. Jolly of Grand Rivers. He is an intelligent, energetic, good business young man and popular.

Galbraith Cowper, col., of Birds ville, was tried before Judge Evans Tuesday for breach of peace and fined \$75, cost and ten days in jail.

Cowper engaged in a small fist-cuff at Birds ville Saturday night, and struck Jim Dunn, son of C. M. Dunn, about the face, giving him a black eye. He gets to pay well for his smartness, to the tune of about \$100 or 110 days behind the bars. This is one of the outbreaks of the impudent ones of this tribe becoming so common among the younger bucks.

One of the oldest couples ever united in marriage, in this county was an Illinois pair, who were married by Judge Evans Saturday at the Riverview Hotel. The bride looked young and fresh, but had 81 summers to her credit, while the groom could claim only 78. They were Geo. F. Rexer and Mrs. Elizabeth Bovins, of Pope.

Last week Dr. O. R. Kidd and Miss Lou Clemens, of Carrsville, were married at the residence of Dr. J. N. Clemens, her uncle.

Miss Clemens is a very popular and charming young lady. She resided in Illinois but had been making her home in Carrsville for some time.

Dr. Kidd is a successful physician and has a host of friends in this county.—Smithland Banner.

AN INTERESTING FREAK.

Mr. John Denton, of Cairo, this county, has a curiosity, the like of which has never before been seen in this city. A few days ago a sore came on one of his fingers, which was at first thought to be a bruise. It grew worse however, and he noticed a hard substance just beneath the skin. He picked it out with a pocket knife and it proved to be a small globular mass of growth about the size of a stock pen. The singular part about the thing is that Mr. Denton's initials (J. D.) are plainly visible on the surface. The letters are black and appear to be under the surface. Mr. Denton is one of the most reliable men in the county, and no one who knows him will doubt his statement.—Henderson Gleaner.

EDITOR'S LONG WALK.

Robert M. Wilson, editor of the Durrand, (Ill.) Clipper, started on foot Monday for Cape Lisburne, on the Arctic Ocean, 8,000 miles away. He will go through Minnesota and Canada, following the coast from Vancouver to Cape Nome, thence to his destination beyond the arctic circle. He expects to be gone about 15 months.

Dr. F. W. Nunn Dentist

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Marion, Ky.

PROSPERITY IN MISSOURI.

ANNISTON, Mo., Aug. 1, 1903.—EDITOR PRESS: If you will allow me space in your paper I will write a short letter to let my friends in old Crittenden know where I am located. I have been here several days and am more than satisfied with this country.

This part of Missouri is undoubtedly one of the richest and most productive spots on earth. The crops are fine and business of every kind is on a boom. Wages are high and hands are in great demand.

I am now at work with Will Nunn, a carpenter formerly of Crittenden county, Ky. He has already more work than he can do this season. He has made Anniston a thriving little town since he came here. He says he will work here until the first of September and then go to Texas to work at his trade.

My advice to every young man that makes his living by daily labor is to come here, as work is plentiful, wages good and hands in demand.

This county is the place for Crittenden renters, too. Rent is cheaper here, the land will produce anything, and will never wear out.

Some people think this is an awful sickly country, but I find it as healthy as any place that I ever lived at. As a matter of course this county at one time was sickly, for it has not been many years since this was a swampy forest of cypress and oak. But ditches are now cut here miles long that drain the country, the woods are being cut down and cleared up everyday which will make it as healthy as any hill in Kentucky.

Hoping that this may escape the waste basket, main,

Yours truly,

JOHN E. ROBERTS.

A PROMPT SETTLEMENT.

MARION, Ky., Aug. 4, 1903.—I have this day received from the Equitable Life Insurance company through their Agent, Mr. R. L. Flanary, full payment of \$1,000 policy on the life of my husband, A. B. Alvis. I made out death proof on 28th of July; six weeks later I received check for same. I sincerely thank Mr. Flanary and his company for the remarkably prompt settlement of the policy.

Respectfully,

Susan A. Alvis.

The above statement shows how prompt the Old Reliable (Equitable) is in settling their claims. I respectfully call the attention of all who expect to take Life Insurance to see our policies, of which they are of the latest up to date contracts.

R. L. Flanary.

RECEIVED BY THE POPE.

Rome, Aug. 7.—Cardinal Gibbons was received by the Pope today in private audience. In a lengthy conference Pius X renewed his expressions of interest in America, already made manifest by his reception Wednesday, to the pilgrims from the United States. The Pope said he should like to have the Cardinal remain in Rome for some time in order that he might become thoroughly acquainted with all questions connected with the United States, but his holiness did not insist, being aware, he said, of the Cardinal's delicate state of health and his suffering from hot weather. In closing the audience the Pontiff charged Cardinal Gibbons to carry the apostolic benediction to all the faithful of America.

Buys Property in Union County.

Messrs. John Blue and Clem Nunn, of Marion, who own large land and zinc interests there, were in Morganfield on Friday of last week and closed a deal for the old Davis mining property near Caseyville, which they will open up in the near future.—Uniontown Telegram.

ON THE HUSTLE

Is the Queen City of the Penny-rile--Owensboro Wideawake.

Owensboro intends to demonstrate what she can do with a big attraction like the State Fair.

The enterprising business men of Owensboro have carried their plans far enough along to make it clear that the State Fair during the week of September 21st, is going to be a greater success even than was experienced last year in Louisville.

They are already showing that when Owensboro bids for a big attraction success is assured whatever the enterprise, it y be.

This, at least, is the opinion of the Directors of the State Fair, who found a far-seeing, determined set of business men at Owensboro ready to take hold of every suggestion and carry it to a successful conclusion.

The following committee have been placed in charge there:

Advisory Committee—Dr. J. G. Hickman, C. W. Bransford, Lee Ray.

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During August about 25,000 handsome State Fair posters will be hung, most of them of course in Western Kentucky counties.

Secretary Shropshire, at the Headquarters in the Board of Trade building, Louisville, is daily receiving scores of letters from the biggest live stock men in this State and in the United States, announcing their intention to compete for the \$20,000 cash prizes to be distributed. Several new big amusement attractions will be announced in a week or two.

State Fair Association,
By Graham Vreeland.

TALLEST WOMAN

In World is Eight Feet Four Inches in Height.

The tallest woman in the world is visiting in Denver. Ella Ewing is her name, and she is known the world over as the Mississippi Giantess. Miss Ewing has visited many lands, but she has never found her equal in height.

Years ago she announced a determination never to wed until she found a man as tall as herself, but a few years ago she came near breaking her vow. She met "Cowboy" Beapre, known as the Montana Giant, and they became engaged. The wedding day was set and all preparations made, but at most at the altar Miss Ewing jilted her affianced.

"My great height is no end of worry to me," said the giantess. "Everything from my clothing to my household furniture is made to order. I wear a shoe that is number 24 in size. It takes 30 yards of silk or satin to make me a dress. My skirt length is 66 inches, and my waist is—well, I guess I won't tell.

"The house I live in when I am at home, and which I gave to my father and mother, was built especially to accommodate me. All the doors are 9 feet 6 inches in height and the ceilings are 15 feet high. I sit at a table built especially for me, and my chairs and my boudoir furniture were also made to order. My bed is 10 feet long and 5 feet wide."

Ella Ewing was born in La Grange, Mo., nearly 27 years ago. Her father, R. F. Ewing, was a farmer, and was 6 feet 12 inches tall. When Ella was born she weighed 64 pounds.—Denver Cor. New York Herald.

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LIVINGSTON COUNTY,

People Old and Young Marry--A Negro Heavily Fined.

Sunday afternoon, at the residence of her uncle, in Paducah, Miss Leona Parsons and Mr. Gilbert Jolly were married, in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Julia Parsons, at Paducah, and the sister of circuit clerk J. C. Parsons. She is an attractive and accomplished young lady, and is one of the county's most successful teachers. She will teach the primary department at Grand Rivers this year.

The groom is the son of G. W. Jolly of Grand Rivers. He is an intelligent, energetic, good business young man and popular.

Galbraith Cowper, col., of Birds ville, was tried before Judge Evans Tuesday for breach of peace and fined \$75, cost and ten days in jail.

Cowper engaged in a small fist-cuff at Birds ville, Saturday night, and struck Jim Dunn, son of C. M. Dunn, about the face, giving him a black eye. He goes to pay well for his smartness, to the tune of about \$100 or 110 days behind the bars. This is one of the outbreaks of the impudent ones of this tribe becoming so common among the younger bucks.

One of the oldest couples ever united in marriage, in this county was an Illinois pair, who were married by Judge Evans Saturday at the Riverview Hotel. The bride looked young and fresh, but had 81 summers to her credit, while the groom could claim only 78. They were Geo. F. Rexer and Mrs. Elizabeth Bovins, of Pope.

Last week Dr. O. R. Kidd and Miss Lou Clemens, of Carversville, were married at the residence of Dr. J. N. Clemens, her uncle.

Miss Clemens is a very popular and charming young lady. She resided in Illinois but had been making her home in Carversville for some time.

Dr. Kidd is a successful physician and has a host of friends in this county.—Smithland Banner.

AN INTERESTING FREAK.

Mr. John Denton, of Cairo, this county, has a curiosity, the like of which has never before been seen in this city. A few days ago a sore came on one of his fingers, which was at first thought to be a bruise. It grew worse however, and he noticed a hard substance just beneath the skin. He picked it out with a pocket knife and it proved to be a small globular ossious growth about the size of a stock pea. The singular part about the thing is that Mr. Denton's initials (J. D.) are plainly visible on the surface. The letters are black and appear to be under the surface. Mr. Denton is one of the most reliable men in the county, and no one who knows him will doubt his statement.—Henderson Gleaner.

EDITOR'S LONG WALK.

Robert M. Wilson, editor of the Durand, (Ill.) Clipper, started on foot Monday for Cape Lisburne, on the Arctic Ocean, 8,000 miles away. He will go through Minnesota and Canada, following the coast from Vancouver to Cape Nome, thence to his destination beyond the arctic circle. He expects to be gone about 15 months.

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PROSPERITY IN MISSOURI.

ANNISTON, Mo., Aug. 1, 1903.—EDITOR PRESS: If you will allow me space in your paper I will write a short letter to let my friends in old Crittenden know where I am located. I have been here several days and am more than satisfied with this country.

This part of Missouri is undoubtedly one of the richest and most productive spots on earth. The crops are fine and business of every kind is on a boom. Wages are high and hands are in great demand.

I am now at work with Will Nunn, a carpenter formerly of Crittenden county, Ky. He has already more work than he can do this season. He has made Anniston a thriving little town since he came here. He says he will work here until the first of September and then go to Texas to work at his trade.

My advice to every young man that makes his living by daily labor is to come here, as work is plentiful, wages good and hands in demand.

This county is the place for Crittenden renters, too. Rent is cheaper here, the land will produce anything, and will never wear out.

Some people think this is an awful sickly country, but I find it as healthy as any place that I ever lived at. As a matter of course this county at one time was sickly, for it has not been many years since this was a swampy forest of cypress and oak. But ditches are now cut here miles long that drain the country, the woods are being cut down and cleared up everyday which will make it as healthy as any hill in Kentucky.

Hoping that this may escape the waste basket, main,

Yours truly,

JOHN E. ROBERTS.

A PROMPT SETTLEMENT.

MARION, KY., Aug. 4, 1903.—I have this day received from the Equitable Life Insurance company through their Agent, Mr. R. L. Flanary, full payment of \$1,000 policy on the life of my husband, A. B. Alvis. I made out death proof on 28th of July; six weeks later I received check for same. I sincerely thank Mr. Flanary and his company for the remarkably prompt settlement of the policy.

Respectfully,

Susan A. Alvis.

The above statement shows how prompt the Old Reliable (Equitable) is in settling their claims. I respectfully call the attention of all who expect to take Life Insurance to see our policies, of which they are of the latest up to date contracts.

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RECEIVED BY THE POPE.

Rome, Aug. 7.—Cardinal Gibbons was received by the Pope today in private audience. In a lengthy conference Pius X renewed his expressions of interest in America, already made manifest by his reception Wednesday, to the pilgrims from the United States. The Pope said he should like to have the Cardinal remain in Rome for some time in order that he might become thoroughly acquainted with all questions connected with the United States, but his holiness did not insist, being aware, he said, of the Cardinal's delicate state of health and his suffering from hot weather. In closing the audience the Pontiff charged Cardinal Gibbons to carry the apostolic benediction to all the faithful of America.

Buys Property in Union County.

Messrs. John Blue and Clem Nunn, of Marion, who own large lead and zinc interests there, were in Morganfield on Friday of last week and closed a deal for the old Davis mining property near Caseyville, which they will open up in the near future.—Uniontown Telegram.

ON THE HUSTLE

Is the Queen City of the Penny-rite--Owensboro Wideawake.

Owensboro intends to demonstrate what she can do with a big attraction like the State Fair.

The enterprising business men of Owensboro have carried their plans far enough along to make it clear that the State Fair during the week of September 21st, is going to be a greater success even than was experienced last year in Louisville.

They are already showing that when Owensboro bids for a big attraction success is assured whatever the enterprise, it y be.

This, at least, is the opinion of the Directors of the State Fair, who found a far-seeing, determined set of business men at Owensboro ready to take hold of every suggestion and carry it to a successful conclusion.

The following committee have been placed in charge there:

Advisory Committee—Dr. J. G. Hickman, C. W. Bransford, Lee Ray.

Entertainment Committee—T. G. Archer, J. W. McCulloch, L. S. Frederick.

During August about 25,000 handsome State Fair posters will be hung, most of them of course in Western Kentucky counties.

Secretary Shropshire, at the Headquarters in the Board of Trade building, Louisville, is daily receiving scores of letters from the biggest live stock men in this State and in the United States, announcing their intention to compete for the \$20,000 cash prizes to be distributed. Several new big amusement attractions will be announced in a week or two.

State Fair Association,
By Graham Vreeland.

TALLEST WOMAN

In World is Eight Feet Four Inches in Height.

The tallest woman in the world is visiting in Denver. Ella Ewing is her name, and she is known the world over as the Mississippi Giantess. Miss Ewing has visited many lands, but she has never found her equal in height.

Years ago she announced a determination never to wed until she found a man as tall as herself, but a few years ago she came near breaking her vow. She met "Cow-boy" Beaupre, known as the Montana Giant, and they became engaged. The wedding day was set and all preparations made, but almost at the altar Miss Ewing jilted her affianced.

"My great height is no end of worry to me," said the giantess. "Everything from my clothing to my household furniture is made to order. I wear a shoe that is number 24 in size. It takes 30 yards of silk or satin to make me a dress. My skirt length is 66 inches, and my waist is—well, I guess I won't tell.

"The house I live in when I am at home, and which I gave to my father and mother, was built especially to accommodate me. All the doors are 9 feet 6 inches in height and the ceilings are 15 feet high. I sit at a table built especially for me, and my chairs and my boudoir furniture were also made to order. My bed is 10 feet long and 5 feet wide."

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GOOD BYE.

While we congratulate the friends of the PRESS upon the change in the editorship, we are frank to confess that it is with the deepest regret we retire from a position that seems to be a part of our being. But failing health and the apparent necessity for a change of climate brings these new business arrangements, which will, doubtless, prove best for the paper, and, we hope, for the writer. Be that as it may, the pleasant business relations and the strong friendships woven by years of association, are ties that bind us to the good people of Crittenden, Livingston and a portion of Caldwell counties. These friendly relations and expressions of confidence have been an inspiration, and have called forth our best efforts to publish a paper worthy to represent, in a local way, the people of this section. Whatever has been accomplished, for weal or woe, by the PRESS, must speak for itself, and, if the arbitrators be those into whose homes it has gone every week of all these years we shall be contented with the decision. The liberal patronage the paper has received from a generous public, a public composed of a people who succor those agencies and influences only that seek to do good, has been a bounteous reward and is a sweet fruition of all the work.

Twenty-five years ago the PRESS was founded by the writer, and now it brings a glow of pleasure to find nowhere, in heart or mind, a regret that the life of a country editor in the town of Marion and

county of Crittenden fell to our lot. Whatever may betide us in the days to come, no pleasure can be so intoxicating, no success so glowing, no attachment so great but that "My old Kentucky Home" will stand first; and no sorrow will be so poignant, no disappointment so great, but that there will be a balm in "thinking of the days that are no more." Twenty-five years is a goodly span of the time allotted to man, and if, perchance, they date from the beginning of a quasi-official career, they have lined his memory with events that will not fade, and they have peopled his heart with images that will remain distinct so long as that heart beats. Standing at the close of such a career we come to say, Good-bye.

R. C. WALKER.

SALUTATORY.

In announcing to my friends and the public generally that I have acquired the "CRITTENDEN PRESS," I wish to say that the policy, in all respects, of the paper will be unchanged, and it will be run on the same lines as laid out and adopted by the beloved and respected R. C. Walker, who has run it so long and satisfactorily, and who now retires on account of ill health.

That the paper has been conservative at all times, and has had the general upbuilding of Marion and the contiguous country at heart, no one will dispute. This I shall endeavor to follow up, regarding as I do that the PRESS is essentially a paper "by the people, of the people and for the people;" and I wish to assure each one that the PRESS desires and needs the friendship and co-operation of every citizen within its territory.

The material interests of Crittenden and surrounding counties, agriculturally and geologically, will not be overlooked, but will receive the attention of capable writers, and as in the past may be depended on as absolutely reliable.

The era of prosperity which is upon us is due to Nature's abundant gifts to us, many of which yet lie undiscovered in the bosom of Mother Earth. To induce by all honorable means the influx of capital to develop these treasures shall be one object of the PRESS. Capital is necessary to development. Labor is necessary to development. Wherever they go, hand in hand, there is prosperity. Undeveloped, our country would be worth little; developed, we have an empire, which, while composed of only a few counties, will wield from now on a powerful influence in the mineral world.

The PRESS will encourage the building of railroads in our mining sections. With tons of mineral in sight, ere long the whistle

of the iron horse will, we trust, be heard echoing through the hills adjacent, and the PRESS will lend its help at all times to such an important enterprise.

The PRESS will advocate, as in the past, the improvement of our county roads by some feasible means. In my travels for eighteen years past, I have noticed the great advantage of pikes over dirt roads; advantages in moving crops, live stock, merchandise of all kinds, and minerals, which cannot be overestimated. With good pikes all business can proceed, winter and summer, without interruption; and every acre of land in the county would be doubled—yes trebled—in value. Some company with ample capital to build pikes, could, we think, be found and interested; and, to that end, the PRESS will lend its aid.

A great deal of the capital of Marion and the surrounding country is sent away for investment every year. Florida, California, Texas, Indian Territory—in fact most everywhere. If it were kept at home (as well as the brains and energy we have lost, by some of our best people seeking new homes), the PRESS would like it much better, and believes that, in the end, their bank accounts would be as large.

The PRESS extends the hand of welcome to all newcomers, whether investors or not.

The PRESS will discourage the immigration of our people and capital at all times.

That each town and each community, and each citizen of it is benefitted by churches and schools and by the preservation of law and order, goes without saying. The PRESS shall take pleasure in upholding and advertising at all times the moral and educational supremacy which Marion and adjacent territory have attained. The greatest heritage a father can bequeath to his child is an education, and the example of an honest life spent in industry; therefore, the man who works will always find a friend in the PRESS.

The PRESS appreciates the patronage of its home people, the people of all adjoining counties, and will endeavor to merit the confidence and esteem of all its patrons, granting to each the right of free thought; and will so formulate the news of each section and county as to interest the people of that particular neighborhood.

Begging your kind indulgence until I am further experienced, I am, respectfully,

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The fact that Grover has a new boy at his house is no doubt taken by Mr. Bryan as evidence that he has accepted Roosevelt's theories on all lines. Hurrah for the boy, anyhow.

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AN ANNOUNCEMENT.

The CRITTENDEN PRESS newspaper, printing plant, and business has been sold to Mr. S. M. Jenkins, who with this issue assumes control.

He is well known to the people of this and surrounding counties. He is a man of fine character and broad mind; a public spirited citizen and thoroughly identified with the interests of this section of the State. Ambitious to improve the paper, increase its usefulness and extend its influence, he will give the business his personal attention and bring to bear all influences and assistance necessary to accomplish this purpose. We bespeak for him the cordial support of all the friends of the retiring publisher.

GOOD BYE.

While we congratulate the friends of the PRESS upon the change in the editorship, we are frank to confess that it is with the deepest regret we retire from a position that seems to be a part of our being. But failing health and the apparent necessity for a change of climate brings these new business arrangements, which will, doubtless, prove best for the paper, and, we hope, for the writer. Be that as it may, the pleasant business relations and the strong friendships woven by years of association, are ties that bind us to the good people of Crittenden, Livingston and a portion of Caldwell counties. These friendly relations and expressions of confidence have been an inspiration, and have called forth our best efforts to publish a paper worthy to represent, in a local way, the people of this section. Whatever has been accomplished, for weal or woe, by the PRESS, must speak for itself, and, if the arbitrators be those into whose homes it has gone every week of all these years we shall be contented with the decision. The liberal patronage the paper has received from a generous public, a public composed of people who succor those agencies and influences only that seek to do good, has been a bounteous reward and is a sweet fruition of all the work.

Twenty-five years ago the PRESS was founded by the writer, and now it brings a glow of pleasure to find nowhere, in heart or mind, a regret that the life of a country editor in the town of Marion and

county of Crittenden fell to our lot. Whatever may betide us in the days to come, no pleasure can be so intoxicating, no success so glowing, no attachment so great but that "My old Kentucky Home" will stand first; and no sorrow will be so poignant, no disappointment so great, but that there will be a balm in "thinking of the days that are no more." Twenty-five years is a goodly span of the time allotted to man, and if, perchance, they date from the beginning of a quasi-official career, they have lined his memory with events that will not fade, and they have peopled his heart with images that will remain distinct so long as that heart beats. Standing at the close of such a career we come to say, Good-bye.

R. C. WALKER.

SALUTATORY.

In announcing to my friends and the public generally that I have acquired the "CRITTENDEN PRESS," I wish to say that the policy, in all respects, of the paper will be unchanged, and it will be run on the same lines as laid out and adopted by the beloved and respected R. C. Walker, who has run it so long and satisfactorily, and who now retires on account of ill health.

That the paper has been conservative at all times, and has had the general upbuilding of Marion and the contiguous country at heart, no one will dispute. This I shall endeavor to follow up, regarding as I do that the PRESS is essentially a paper "by the people, of the people and for the people;" and I wish to assure each one that the PRESS desires and needs the friendship and co-operation of every citizen within its territory.

The material interests of Crittenden and surrounding counties, agriculturally and geologically, will not be overlooked, but will receive the attention of capable writers, and as in the past may be depended on as absolutely reliable.

The era of prosperity which is upon us is due to Nature's abundant gifts to us, many of which yet lie undiscovered in the bosom of Mother Earth. To induce by all honorable means the influx of capital to develop these treasures shall be one object of the PRESS. Capital is necessary to development. Labor is necessary to development. Wherever they go, hand in hand, there is prosperity. Undeveloped, our country would be worth little; developed, we have an empire, which, while composed of only a few counties, will wield from now on a powerful influence in the mineral world.

The PRESS will encourage the building of railroads in our mining sections. With tons of mineral in sight, ere long the whistle

of the iron horse will, we trust, be heard echoing through the hills adjacent, and the PRESS will lend its help at all times to such an important enterprise.

The PRESS will advocate, as in the past, the improvement of our county roads by some feasible means. In my travels for eighteen years past, I have noticed the great advantage of pikes over dirt roads; advantages in moving crops, live stock, merchandise of all kinds, and minerals, which cannot be overestimated. With good pikes all business can proceed, winter and summer, without interruption; and every acre of land in the county would be doubled—yes trebled—in value. Some company with ample capital to build pikes, could, we think, be found and interested; and, to that end, the PRESS will lend its aid.

A great deal of the capital of Marion and the surrounding country is sent away for investment every year. Florida, California, Texas, Indian Territory—in fact most everywhere. If it were kept at home (as well as the brains and energy we have lost, by some of our best people seeking new homes), the PRESS would like it much better, and believes that, in the end, their bank accounts would be as large.

The PRESS extends the hand of welcome to all newcomers, whether investors or not.

The PRESS will discourage the immigration of our people and capital at all times.

That each town and each community, and each citizen of it is benefited by churches and schools and by the preservation of law and order, goes without saying. The PRESS shall take pleasure in upholding and advertising at all times the moral and educational supremacy which Marion and adjacent territory have attained.

The greatest heritage a father can bequeath to his child is an education, and the example of an honest life spent in industry; therefore, the man who works will always find a friend in the PRESS.

The PRESS appreciates the patronage of its home people, the people of all adjoining counties, and will endeavor to merit the confidence and esteem of all its patrons, granting to each the right of free thought; and will so formulate the news of each section and county as to interest the people of that particular neighborhood.

Begging your kind indulgence until I am further experienced, I am, respectfully,

S. M. JENKINS.

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Alex. King, of Sturgis, was in town Sunday.

W. D. Crowell, of Blackford, was in town Sunday.

Dr. J. D. Threlkeld, of Salem, was here Tuesday.

Born to the wife of Joe Cluck, a boy, Monday night.

Edgar James, of Evansville, was in town this week.

Miss Lelia Carter, of Levis, visited here this week.

Miss Willie Clement, of Tolu, was in the city Tuesday.

James Harth, of Caseyville, was in the city Thursday.

Hurricane camp-meeting begins Wednesday August 19.

Col. D. C. Roberts spent Monday at Cerulean Springs.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin, of View, was in the city Saturday.

Albert Butler, of the Salem Valley, was here this week.

Mrs. R. F. Haynes and children, are guests at Crittenden.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Merritt, of Salem, were in town Monday.

The Union county fair is in full blast this week at Uniontown.

Deputy sheriff Della Flannery is spending the week at Dawson.

Supt. Harry V. McChesney, of Frankfort, was in town this week.

Mrs. Nina Howerton returned last week from a visit to Birmingham.

Sherman Franklin returned last week from a trip to Indian Territory.

Highest market prices paid by J. W. Goodloe for chickens and eggs.

\$1.65 to Uniontown and return on account of the Union county fair.

Buy a Florence Wagon from Yeakey & Travis, the Farmer's Friends.

A great many Marion people attended the Piney camp-meeting Sunday.

Prof. Chas. Evans conducted the teachers institute at Dixon last week.

Mr. Foster Threlkeld, of Tolu, was in town Tuesday enroute to Dawson.

Louise Gilbert went to Cave in Rock Friday to see French's river show.

Mrs. Rosa Bush Copeland, of St. Louis is the guest of relatives in this city.

Misses Annie Dorr and Ebba Pickens visited friends in the country Sunday.

Chastain Haynes returned Monday from a three days visit to Owensboro.

Mrs. M. T. Robinson and daughter, Miss Ada, spent last week at Kuttawa.

C. W. White, the popular Louisville grocery salesman, was in town Monday.

Mrs. R. N. Foster, of Livingston county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. F. Dorr.

Take your chickens and eggs to J. W. Goodloe. He pays the highest market prices.

Messrs. Maurie Nunn, Earnest Carnahan and Kay Duvall, were in Paducah last week.

Misses Camille and Willis Blue, of Morganfield, are visiting at the home of J. W. Blue.

Mrs. Jennie Dorr returned Friday from a visit to her father, T. M. George near Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watt Lamb and Mrs. H. A. Cameron were in Dawson the first of the week.

The Baptist Association will meet Wednesday after the third Sunday at Pinckneyville.

Dr. W. Clement will move his family to Marion next week. They will occupy the Stewart house.

Mrs. H. A. Haynes and little daughter, Miss Mamie, are the guests of relatives in Owensboro.

Mr. H. C. Glenn, of Houston, Texas, was in town this week. He will spend several days in the county.

Mrs. Kittinger is visiting at her old home South Carrollton, Ky., and will not return until the last of August.

Mr. Robert H. Dean, who has been visiting relatives here and at Iron Hill returned to Lexington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Doss visited Mr. Henry Ledbetter and family at Cave-in-Rock the first of the week.

Is Marshall Weldon trying to get back into Marion or did he move up there just to keep an eye on Harry Watkins?

Saturday was pay day for the Kentucky Flour Spar Co. They paid out some \$6000. The town was full of people.

W. Dabney, the fashionable tailor, visited his patrons here this week. His place is on Fourth avenue, Louisville.

J. F. Dorroh, of Crayneville, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. R. E. Bigham is expected home from California soon.

Goodloe pays highest market prices for chickens and eggs.

See Yeakey & Travis the Farmer's Friends for corn binders.

John Nunn attended the Madisonville fair the latter part of the week.

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Messrs. Oliver Hurley and William Woodbridge were in Sturgis this week.

Miss Fannie Woods is visiting Miss Nellie Hamilton in the country near Weston.

Kearney Blue is the agent for the best laundry doing work in Marion. Patronize him.

Mr. J. H. Hampton's new residence on Depot street in East Marion, is nearing completion.

Go to Woodbridge's barbershop for your work. Everything clean and work satisfactory.

Mrs. H. P. Long and Mrs. R. F. Dorr went to Kelsey Tuesday night to visit Mrs. Wigginton.

Walter James, of Paducah, returned home last week, after a visit to friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Robt. Bransford, of DeKoven, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Len Johnson last week.

Mayor J. W. Blue, we are informed, will make some extensive improvements to his home this fall.

J. D. Farris, of Salem, was here Saturday. We learn he will embark in business there again soon.

The Kohlmoor laundry does the best work. Everybody says so. So save your laundry for Kearney Blue, the agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd, of Charleston, Mo., who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Hayward, left for home Friday.

Prof. Evans is not conducting the Union county institute this week, it being postponed on account of the Union county fair.

R. L. Moore is figuring with an architect with a view of making some improvements and additions to his residence soon.

Conundrum:—Which is the happier couple, Press Maxwell and little Virginia Gregg, or John Franks and his fine boy "J. T. Jr.?"

Mr. Columbus Nealy, the representative of Swift & Co., Chicago, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city at Judge H. M. Cooks.

Our affable agent at the I. C. depot, Len Johnson, will soon take a vacation. He will take his wife and baby to the Pacific coast.

Ed Flannery, who is one of the county's most successful and substantial farmers will move here this fall and occupy his residence on Salem street.

H. K. Woods' new residence on College street is nearing completion. It is one of the most attractive homes erected in Marion during the year.

The Presbyterian church will probably be renovated some this fall. The ladies are particularly anxious to have it papered, painted and carpeted.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson will erect a handsome home on the knoll south of town. This is one of the finest locations for a pretty home in the state.

Mrs. W. D. Wallingford, we regret to learn, is not improving as fast as her friends would like to see her. She is now threatened with erysipelas.

Dr. C. L. Gray left Tuesday night for Seebree for a ten days stay. He expects to be in this city during the week of the annual conference of the Methodist church.

Miss Mary Larkin, the attractive young lady, who for several weeks, has been the guest of Mrs. W. J. Deboe, returned to her home at Mt. Vernon, Ind., last week.

The young folks about town are having delightful drives to the "Springs" these nice moonlight nights. The fine band and the splendid dancing hall are the attractions.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dupuy will leave soon to visit his relatives in Virginia and North Carolina, and her sister in Ohio. They will go first to Old Point Comfort on the Virginia coast.

Lula Upshaw, the negro woman who engaged in a fight with another negro woman at Crittenden Springs one night last week, was arraigned before Judge Towery Thursday charged with assault and battery. She was fined \$10.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Witherspoon left for Pomona, California Friday. They will locate some where in that state. They have many friends and relatives who will regret their departure and wish them prosperity in their new home.

Messdames C. S. Nunn, Jno T. Franks, P. H. Woods, G. C. Gray, Fannie Walker, W. J. Deboe and Misses Nellie Walker and Mary Deboe enjoyed a pleasant day yesterday—Wednesday—with the Marion people who are camping at Hills Springs.

Charles Moore and family, of Clifty, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. D. B. Moore and children, of Hebron, are spending the week with relatives here.

W. W. David and W. Tom Mills, of Madisonville, were here Tuesday on business.

Miss Faulkerson, of Grayson Springs, is the guest of her uncle, Mr. Carl Henderson, of this city.

Miss Ruth Thomas will visit her sister, Mrs. Hackett, at Livermore, Ky., latter part of the month.

Miss Leslie Woods will teach the Odessa school. She will begin her work the first week in September.

Miss Carrie Grace Akin, after an extended visit here, returned to her home in Princeton Thursday night.

There is a great demand for residences in Marion. Some of the best citizens are unable to obtain houses to live in.

Henry Rappolee and Ike Lindley, of Salem, passed through here enroute home from the District convention at Paducah.

Miss Della Kevil, who has been practicing her profession as an osteopath, at El Reno, Okla., is visiting her parents at this place.

Three of the mining companies had their pay Saturday and consequently the business men in all lines enjoyed a splendid trade.

E. W. Smith, the head of The Forked Deer Tobacco Co., of Paducah, was here Saturday inspecting some of our mining interests.

Messrs. Cavet and Lee Cruce have returned to Ardmore, I. T., after a pleasant visit with their many relatives and friends here.

Mrs. R. C. Walker and daughters, Misses Estelle and Evelyn, leave today on a visit to relatives in Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky.

Mr. Chas. J. Haury, Jr., has purchased a large saloon in Nashville and will give it his personal attention, while Mr. Chas. J. Haury, Sr., will have charge of the business in this city.

Marion was visited by a heavy rain Wednesday morning, which made every thing look better and everybody feel better. We hope that the surrounding country was similarly blessed.

Mr. James L. Long, a prominent architect, of Hopkinsville, was in the city Monday. He made several contracts while here. He will remodel Dr. R. L. Moore's residence.

A fine iron water has been struck in the well of Mrs. Harvey Porter on Belleville street. Some say its as good as any water from Dawson, and is very similar to water from the Gilbert well in North Marion.

Misses Kittie and Fannie Gray and Sallie Woods were so delightfully entertained at Smithland that they did not return home until Saturday although they were expected home early in the week.

Mrs. J. H. Morse and children left Friday for California to join Mr. Morse, who has bought property and gone into real estate business at Pomona, California. His friends hope he may find the health he is seeking.

Mrs. D. E. Woods returned to visit relatives here while her new home is being completed in Decatur, Ill. Everett is a fixture with the I. C. railroad and expects to reside permanently at Decatur where is building a handsome modern residence.

Mr. E. E. Thurman has gone to California to look at the country. He will be gone a month or more. He went via New Orleans and the Southern route, but aims to return by the Northern route. Should he find a location he may move west.

It is not often the case that a child has both of its great grand mothers living in same town, but such is the case with Miss Clara Margaret Orme, whose mother, and grand mother and both great grand mothers are alive, and bid fair to live many years.

Mrs. Carrie Maxwell and daughter, Miss Mary, are now at Estes Park in Northern Colorado, near the Wyoming line. Estes Park is 80 miles north of Denver, and is in a mountainous country where deer abound and where snow capped mountains are in view the year 'round. Mrs. Maxwell, her friends will be glad to know, is improving all the time.

A letter received in the city Monday morning from Mr. A. M. Witherspoon, states that the California party is well and getting along rapidly on their trip. No accident has occurred to mar the pleasure of the trip. An amusing incident occurred the first night out. One of the Morse children rolled out of its bunk into the aisle of the sleeping car. It was not missed by any of the party until the conductor discovered it and aroused the sleeping occupants of the car to learn who was the owner of the child. Fortunately the little one was not hurt. The readers of the Press will not be surprised as "Spoon" has not had much experience in the care of infants.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Aug. 8. Ernest Nation and Miss Vickie Lynn.

Aug. 10. J. J. Ray and Miss Fronie McKee.

MARRIED AT THE GILL HOUSE.

Mr. J. J. Ray and Miss Fronie McKee, popular young people of the Repton neighborhood, were united in marriage in the parlor of the Gill House Monday afternoon, Rev Joiner officiating.

THE INSTITUTE.

The Crittenden county teachers institute convenes in this city, at the school hall, Monday morning. Prof. Charles Evans will be the instructor. About eighty teachers will be in attendance.

A FAMILY REUNION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McChesney had a pleasant reunion of their family Sunday, all the children spending the day with them. Mr. and Mrs. Harley McChesney, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woodbridge, of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox of Kelsey, and Mr. Harry V. McChesney, of Frankfort, were present.

A BOWLING ALLEY.

Mr. Chas. J. Haury has opened up an elegant bowling alley one door above the old Cook Hotel, and the amusement promises to be very popular. The alley is open for both ladies and gentlemen. Of course perfect order will prevail at all times. The alley can be engaged by the hour by a party of ladies and gentlemen, and no others will be admitted. No minors will be allowed in the building.

LOSE THEIR LITTLE SON.

Willis, two years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Crawford, of Washington, D. C., died Friday morning after suffering for two weeks with membranous colitis. The remains were laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery at Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford have the sympathy of their many friends in this city.

MRS ALBERT WILBORN DEAD.

Mrs. Albert Wilborn died Saturday at her home at Blackford, after an extended illness.

The remains were brought to this city Sunday and taken to the Wheeler cemetery, near Piney, for interment.

Mrs. Wilborn was a talented lady, and had many friends in this city, her former home.

FINE APPLES.

Last Friday Thomas O'Neal, of Bells Mines brought to town two of the largest and finest apples we have seen in a generation. They are of the Pound variety, one weighing 14 pounds and the other one pound. They were grown on his mother's farm, near Rosebud. He gave one of them to Congressman Ollie James, and the other to Col. Russell, of the Press office. The hills of Crittenden can raise as fine varieties of fruit as any spot in these broad realms.

PINEY CAMP MEETING.

The Piney camp meeting closes this week. The crowd that attended the services Sunday was estimated at 3,000. The congregations this week have been small.

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Born to the wife of Joe Cluck, a boy, Monday night.

Edgar James, of Evansville, was in town this week.

Miss Lelia Carter, of Levas, visited here this week.

Miss Willie Clement, of Tolu, was in the city Tuesday.

James Harth, of Caseyville, was in the city Thursday.

Hurricane camp-meeting begins Wednesday August 19.

Col. D. C. Roberts spent Monday at Cerulean Springs.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin, of View, was in the city Saturday.

Albert Butler, of the Salem Valley, was here this week.

Mrs. R. F. Haynes and children, are guests at Crittenden.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Merritt, of Salem, were in town Monday.

The Union county fair is in full blast this week at Uniontown.

Deputy sheriff Della Flannery is spending the week at Dawson.

Supt. Harry V. McChesney, of Frankfort, was in town this week.

Mrs. Nina Howerton returned last week from a visit to Birmingham.

Sherman Franklin returned last week from a trip to Indian Territory.

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Lessie Gilbert went to Cave-in-Rock Friday to see French's river show.

Mrs. Rosa Bush Copeland, of St. Louis is the guest of relatives in this city.

Misses Annie Dorr and Ebba Pickens visited friends in the country Sunday.

Chastain Haynes returned Monday from a three days visit to Owensboro.

Mrs. M. T. Robinson and daughter, Miss Ada, spent last week at Kuttawa.

C. W. White, the popular Louisville grocery salesman, was in town Monday.

Mrs. R. N. Foster, of Livingston county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. F. Dorr.

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Messrs. Maurie Nunn, Earnest Carnahan and Ray Duval, were in Paducah last week.

Misses Camille and Willis Blue, of Morganfield, are visiting at the home of J. W. Blue.

Mrs. Jennie Dorr returned Friday from a visit to her father, T. M. George near Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watt Lamb and Mrs. H. A. Cameron were in Dawson the first of the week.

The Baptist Association will meet Wednesday after the third Sunday at Pinckneyville.

Dr. W. Clement will move his family to Marion next week. They will occupy the Stewart house.

Mrs. H. A. Haynes and little daughter, Miss Mamie, are the guests of relatives in Owensboro.

Mr. H. C. Glenn, of Houston, Texas, was in town this week. He will spend several days in the county.

Mrs. Kittinger is visiting at her old home South Carrollton, Ky., and will not return until the last of August.

Mr. Robert H. Dean, who has been visiting relatives here and at Iron Hill returned to Lexington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Doss visited Mr. Henry Ledbetter and family at Cave-in-Rock the first of the week.

Is Marshall Weldon trying to get back into Marion or did he move up there just to keep an eye on Harry Watkins?

Saturday was pay day for the Kentucky Fluor Spar Co. They paid out some \$6000. The town was full of people.

W. Dashbey, the fashionable tailor, visited his patrons here this week. His place is on Fourth avenue, Louisville.

J. F. Dorroh, of Crayneville, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. R. E. Bigham is expected home from California soon.

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See Yeakey & Travis the Farmer's Friends for corn binders.

John Nunn attended the Madisonville fair the latter part of the week.

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Messrs. Oliver Hurley and William Woodridge were in Sturgis this week.

Miss Fannie Woods is visiting Miss Nellie Hamilton in the country near Weston.

Kearney Blue is the agent for the best laundry doing work in Marion. Patronize him.

Mr. J. H. Hampton's new residence on Depot street in East Marion, is nearing completion.

Go to Woodridge's barbershop for your work. Everything clean and work satisfactory.

Mrs. H. P. Long and Mrs. R. F. Dorr went to Kelsey Tuesday night to visit Mrs. Wigginton.

Walter James, of Paducah, returned home last week, after a visit to friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Robt. Bransford, of DeKoven, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Johnson last week.

Mayor J. W. Blue, we are informed, will make some extensive improvements to his home this fall.

J. D. Farris, of Salem, was here Saturday.

The Kohinoor laundry does the best work. Everybody says so. So save your laundry for Kearney Blue, the agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd, of Charleston, Mo., who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Hayward, left for home Friday.

Prof. Evans is not conducting the Union county institute this week, it being postponed on account of the Union county fair.

R. L. Moore is figuring with an architect with a view of making some improvements and additions to his residence soon.

Conundrum:—Which is the happier couple, Press Maxwell and little Virginia Gregg, or John Franks and his fine boy "J. T. Jr."?

Mr. Columbus Nealy, the representative of Swift & Co., Chicago, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city at Judge H. M. Cooks.

Our affable agent at the I. C. depot, Lon Johnson, will soon take a vacation. He will take his wife and baby to the Pacific coast.

Ed Flannery, who is one of the county's most successful and substantial farmers will move here this fall and occupy his residence on Salem street.

H. K. Woods' new residence on College street is nearing completion. It is one of the most attractive homes erected in Marion during the year.

The Presbyterian church will probably be renovated some this fall. The ladies are particularly anxious to have it papered, painted and carpeted.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson will erect a handsome home on the knoll south of town. This is one of the finest locations for a pretty home in the state.

Mrs. W. D. Wallingford, we regret to learn, is not improving as fast as her friends would like to see her. She is now threatened with erysipelas.

Dr. C. L. Gray left Tuesday night for Seebree for a ten days stay. He expects to be in this city during the week of the annual conference of the Methodist church.

Miss Mary Larkin, the attractive young lady, who for several weeks, has been the guest of Mrs. W. J. Deboe, returned to her home at Mt. Vernon, Ind., last week.

The young folks about town are having delightful drives to the "Springs" these nice moonlight nights. The fine band and the splendid dancing hall are the attractions.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dupuy will leave soon to visit his relatives in Virginia and North Carolina, and her sister in Ohio. They will go first to Old Point Comfort on the Virginia coast.

Lula Upshaw, the negro woman who engaged in a fight with another negro woman at Crittenden Springs one night last week, was arraigned before Judge Towery Thursday charged with assault and battery. She was fined \$10.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Witherspoon left for Pomona, California Friday. They will locate some where in that state. They have many friends and relatives who will regret their departure and wish them prosperity in their new home.

Messrs. C. S. Nunn, Jno T. Franks, P. H. Woods, G. C. Gray, Fannie Walker, W. J. Deboe and Misses Nellie Walker and Mary Deboe enjoyed a pleasant day yesterday—Wednesday—with the Marion people who are camping at Hills Springs.

Charles Moore and family, of Clifty, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. D. B. Moore and children, of Hebron, are spending the week with relatives here.

W. W. David and W. Tom Mills, of Madisonville, were here Tuesday on business.

Miss Faulkerson, of Grayson Springs, is the guest of her uncle, Mr. Carl Henderson, of this city.

Miss Ruth Thomas will visit her sister, Mrs. Hackett, at Livermore, Ky., latter part of the month.

Miss Leslie Woods will teach the Odessa school. She will begin her work the first week in September.

Miss Carrie Grace Akin, after an extended visit here, returned to her home in Princeton Thursday night.

There is a great demand for residences in Marion. Some of the best citizens are unable to obtain houses to live in.

Henry Rappoles and Ike Lindley, of Salem, passed through here enroute home from the District convention at Paducah.

Miss Della Kevil, who has been practicing her profession as an osteopath, at El Reno, Okla., is visiting her parents at this place.

Three of the mining companies had their pay Saturday and consequently the business men in all lines enjoyed a splendid trade.

E. W. Smith, the head of The Forked Deer Tobacco Co., of Paducah, was here Saturday inspecting some of our mining interests.

Messrs. Cavet and Lee Cruce have returned to Ardmore, I. T., after a pleasant visit with their many relatives and friends here.

Mrs. R. C. Walker and daughters, Misses Estelle and Evalyn, leave today on a visit to relatives in Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky.

Mr. Chas. J. Haury, Jr., has purchased a large saloon in Nashville and will give it his personal attention, while Mr. Chas. J. Haury, Sr., will have charge of the business in this city.

Marion was visited by a heavy rain Wednesday morning, which made everything look better and everybody feel better. We hope that the surrounding country was similarly blessed.

Mr. James L. Long, a prominent architect, of Hopkinsville, was in the city Monday. He made several contracts while here. He will remodel Dr. R. L. Moore's residence.

A fine iron water has been struck in the well of Mrs. Harvey Porter on Belleville street. Some say it is as good as any water from Dawson, and is very similar to water from the Gilbert well in North Marion.

Misses Kittie and Fannie Gray and Sallie Woods were so delightfully entertained at Smithland that they did not return home until Saturday altho they were expected home early in the week.

Mrs. J. H. Morse and children left Friday for California to join Mr. Morse, who has bought property and gone into real estate business at Pomona, California. His friends hope he may find the health he is seeking.

Mrs. D. E. Woods returned to visit relatives here while her new home is being completed in Decatur, Ill. Everett is a fixture with the I. C. railroad and expects to reside permanently at Decatur where is building a handsome modern residence.

Mr. E. E. Thurman has gone to California to look at the country. He will be gone a month or more. He went via New Orleans and the Southern route, but aims to return by the Northern route. Should he find a location he may move west.

It is not often the case that a child has both of its great grand mothers living in same town, but such is the case with Miss Clara Margaret Orme, whose mother, and grand mother and both great grand mothers are alive, and bid fair to live many years.

Mrs. Carrie Maxwell and daughter, Miss Mary, are now at Estes Park in Northern Colorado, near the Wyoming line. Estes Park is 80 miles north of Denver, and is in a mountainous country where deer abound and where snow capped mountains are in view the year 'round. Mrs. Maxwell, her friends will be glad to know, is improving all the time.

A letter received in the city Monday morning from Mr. A. M. Witherspoon, states that the California party is well and getting along rapidly on their trip. No accident has occurred to mar the pleasure of the trip. An amusing incident occurred the first night out. One of the Morse children rolled out of its bunk into the aisle of the sleeping car. It was not missed by any of the party until the conductor discovered it and aroused the sleeping occupants of the car to learn who was the owner of the child. Fortunately the little one was not hurt. The readers of the Press will not be surprised as "Spoon" has not had much experience in the care of infants.

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LOSE THEIR LITTLE SON.

Willie, two years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Crawford, of Washington, D. C., died Friday morning after suffering for two weeks with membranous colitis. The remains were laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery at Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford have the sympathy of their many friends in this city.

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Mrs. Albert Wilborn died Saturday at her home at Blackford, after an extended illness.

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Mrs. Wilborn was a talented lady, and had many friends in this city, her former home.

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10:00 Opening Exercises.
Organization.
Opening Remarks of Superintendent
and Instructor.

11:50 Adjournment.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.

1:30 Roll call. Music.
1:45 School Management.
Some ends in view.
Intelligent acquisition of knowledge, the
Prime End.—Carrie Moore.
Mental Training: What is it and how
essential?—T. F. Newcom.
Character forming, essential or incidental?
—Addie T. Boyd.
Some steps toward these ends.
Reading, First, Why?—W. H. Watson.
Second: Distinguish between the useful
and the useless.—J. A. Stephens.
Third: The object method to the front,
why?—Mrs. Fannie Walker.
Fourth: A keen search for principles.—
Margaret Moore.
2:30 Recess. Music.
2:40 Discussion by the Instructor.
3:30 Recess.
3:40 Round Table Talk.
Subjects: District Library, Pupils
Reading Circle.
4:30 Adjournment.

TUESDAY MORNING.

8:30 Opening Exercises.
9:00 Educational Principles.—Instructor.
9:50 Recess. Music.
10:00 Spelling.
The underlying principles.—Alice
Browning.
Plans and devices used last term.
In oral spelling.—Corda Wheeler.
In written spelling.—W. O. Wicker.
Does our teaching of this subject rest
on natural basis?—Rosa Schwab.
Dr. Francis Parker's ideas and methods.
—Frances Gray.
10:50 Recess.
11:00 Composition.
Connection with written work for
school.—J. B. McNeely.
The desired end in teaching it.—Maude
Gill.
11:50 Adjournment.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

1:30 Roll call. Quotations pertaining to
teaching.
1:45 School Management: The teacher in
the school room.
Some Elements Needed.
A well trained teacher.—Lena Woods.
A well informed teacher.—J. R. Wells.
A cultivated teacher.—Maggie Franks.
Illustrative material.
Nature without.—Nelle Champion.
Crayon and pencil.—Emma Terry.
Necessity for a teacher to know the ex-
perience and thought of other teach-
ers.—M. F. Pogue.
Familiarity with good literature.—Sadie
Rankin.
Preparation for lesson.—J. R. Glass.
Value of purpose and plan.—L. E. Hard.
Self control.—Wesley Clift.
2:30 Recess. Music.
2:40 Discussion by the Instructor.
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3:40 Round Table Talk. Subjects: County
Taxation, School House Improve-
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4:30 Adjournment.

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8:30 Opening exercises.
9:00 Educational principles.—Instructor.
9:50 Recess. Music.
10:00 Methods Reading.
Is the old A. B. C. method still in use
and reason therefor?—C. E. Thomas.
The principle of this method examined
and labelled.—Leslie Woods.
The word "Method" discussed and de-
monstrated.—Kittie Moore.
Parker's Idea: The combinations of the
best methods the best.—Maggie
Moore.
Boak's views on primary reading.—
Nannie Campbell.
10:50 Recess.
11:00 Language.
What purposes should actuate in First
Year?—J. F. Hall.
Material used in First Year and mode
of procedure.—Mary Carter.
The way we secured all our best lan-
guage, do we follow it in teaching?
—Mary E. Moore.
Some teachers of teachers on language,
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Elements of governing power.
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tory.—Verdie Fort.
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Pages theory of study.—Miss Martin.
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sey.
Geography without a text.—Ida Bebout.
Text Book Geography.—Marion Richards.
How much physical?—Gertrude Nunn.
Nature study correlated.—Jennie Cle-
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A Geography class demonstration.—In-
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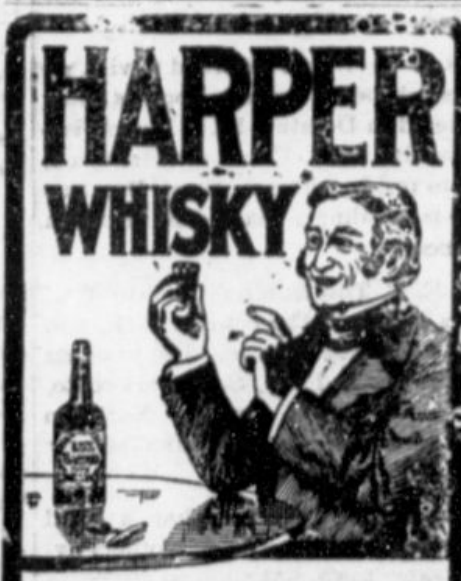
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10:00 Opening Exercises,
Organization.
Opening Remarks of Superintendent
and Instructor.
11:50 Adjournment.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.
1:30 Roll call: Music.
1:45 School Management.
Some ends in view.
Intelligent acquisition of knowledge, the
Prime End.—Carrie Moore.
Mental Training: What is it and how
essential?—T. F. Newcom.
Character forming, essential or incidental?
—Addie T. Boyd.
Some steps toward these ends.
Reading, First, Why?—W. H. Watson.
Second: Distinguish between the useful
and the useless.—J. A. Stephens.
Third: The object method to the front,
why?—Mrs. Fannie Walker.
Fourth: A keen search for principles.—
Margaret Moore.
2:30 Recess, Music.
2:40 Discussion by the Instructor.
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Subjects: District Library, Pupils
Reading Circle.
4:30 Adjournment.

TUESDAY MORNING.
8:30 Opening Exercises.
9:00 Educational Principles.—Instructor.
9:50 Recess, Music.
10:00 Spelling.
The underlying principles.—Alice
Browning.
Plans and devices used last term.
In oral spelling.—Corda Wheeler.
In written spelling.—W. O. Wicker.
Does our teaching of this subject rest
on natural basis?—Rosa Schwab.
Dr. Francis Parker's ideas and methods.
—Frances Gray.
10:50 Recess.
11:00 Composition.
Connection with written work for
school.—J. B. McNeely.
The desired end in teaching it.—Maude
Gill.
11:50 Adjournment.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.
1:30 Roll call: Quotations pertaining to
teaching.
1:45 School Management: The teacher in
the school room.
Some Elements Needed.
A well trained teacher.—Lena Woods.
A well informed teacher.—J. R. Wells.
A cultivated teacher.—Maggie Franks.
Illustrative material.
Nature without.—Nelle Champion.
Crayon and pencil.—Emma Terry.
Necessity for a teacher to know the ex-
perience and thought of other teach-
ers.—M. F. Pogue.
Familiarity with good literature.—Sadie
Rankin.
Preparation for lesson.—J. R. Glass.
Value of purpose and plan.—L. E. Hard.
Self control.—Wesley Clift.
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9:00 Educational principles.—Instructor.
9:50 Recess, Music.
10:00 Methods Reading.
Is the old A. B. C. method still in use
and reason therefor?—C. E. Thomas.
The principle of this method examined
and labelled.—Leslie Woods.
The word "Method" discussed and de-
monstrated.—Kittie Moore.
Parker's Idea: The combinations of the
best methods the best.—Maggie
Moore.
Roark's views on primary reading.—
Nannie Campbell.
10:50 Recess.
11:00 Language.
What purposes should actuate in First
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Material used in First Year and mode
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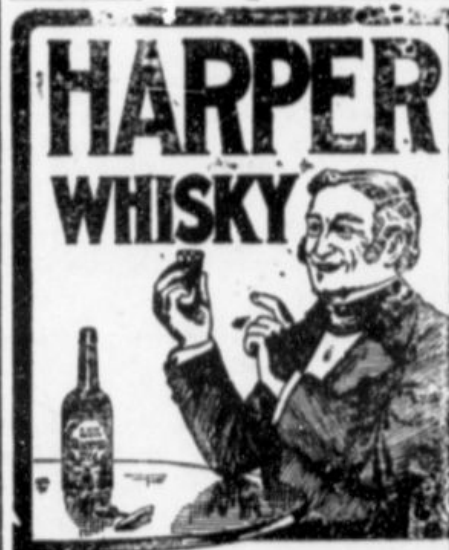
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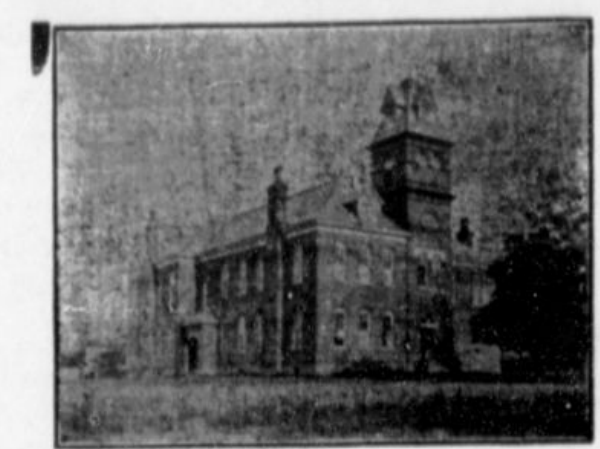
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Forgotten.
Belinda soon will be a bride;
Her gown is white, writes she;
A crepe de chine of finest kind,
And fits entrancingly.

The bodice has two hundred tucks
And fifty yards of lace
Put round the yoke and down the front
And every other place.

The skirt is shirred all round the top
And flares out at the feet;
The whole thing, so Belinda says,
Is just too simply sweet.

Belinda writes me poems ten,
And all are much too sweet;
She's told me everything except
The happy bridegroom's name.

—Washington Post.

The Pride of the Family.
Never seen in fashion's glare;
Never asks who else was there
Doesn't know and doesn't care—
Uncle Jim,
That's him.

Eats cherries with a knife.
Holds his fork as though in strife;
Could he get to eat his life—
Uncle Jim,
That's him.

Likes to wear his last year's clothes;
Necktie, never in repose,
High above his collar goes—
Uncle Jim,
That's him.

Likes a cornucopia to smoke;
Whistles long enough to choke
While he tells the same old joke—
Uncle Jim,
That's him.

But when trouble comes along
Some one always rights the wrong,
Pays the bills that come too strong—
Uncle Jim,
That's him.

—Washington Star.

Let the Child Be a Child.
Dear little Curly Head, careless and jolly,
Life, as you view it, is play;
Tolling is useless and fretting is folly,
At least when you're having your way;
Shouting for fun,
You romp and you run,
Worrying not over work to be done,
Seeing no tasks that the years are to bring.

Thinking the future will always be spring,
Dear little Curly Head, quickly forgetting
Bruises of heart and of limb,
Taking your own and unsensitively letting
Your brother have what is for him,
Thinking that they
Who choose the fair way
Are sure to be fully rewarded some day.

You borrow no sorrow and treasure no dread
Of heartbreaking tasks that are lying ahead,
Dear little Curly Head, shouting and singing,
Who is it, frowns at the thimble?
Know they not what the gray future is bringing,
After the play and the toys,
Do they not know
As they harrow you so
That God hears the song of each child
here below,
That if children ne'er shouted and never were glad
Men never could sigh for the joys they
once had?

Dear little Curly Head, why are they trying
To lure you away from your play,
To fret you with books while your childhood is flying
Like the brown rose's petals away?
—Belinda's are care,
And burdens to bear;
Oh, why are they trying to hurry you
there?
Dear little Curly Head, God never planned
That men should be men as they come
from his hand.

—E. Klier in Chicago Record-Herald.

Fishing.
Lodging with a hook and line
Where the waters swirl about,
Whipping up the stream—it's fine
When the speckled trout are out.
Working up the sparkling shallows
Where the sun the water galls,
Laughing when the fish begin
Rolling, tumbling, falling in,
Lodging with a hook and line,
Ain't it fine?

Leaving all our care behind,
Leaving all the daily toil;
Going out to feel the wind
And to hear the shallows boil;
Going where the sun is gleaming,
Nature with her joys is gleaming;
Whipping up and down the stream
In a piscatorial dream;
Leaving with a hook and line,
Ain't it fine?

Lodging with a hook and line
Where the waters swirl about,
Whipping up the stream—it's fine
When the speckled trout are out.
Reeking caught of business trouble
While the happy waters bubble,
When the speckled trout begin
Rolling, tumbling, falling in,
Lodging with a hook and line,
Ain't it fine!

—Baltimore News.

To Be Free!
To be free, to be free from the bondage
of form,
From the fetters of shallow pretense,
From the customs that bind us in limit-
less swarm
And hedge us about as a fence!
From the chatter and patter or gossiping
tongues,
With nothing for you and for me,
From people whose thinkers are lost in
their lungs,
It is, oh, to be free, to be free!

Fetters of fashion, the bondage of
form,
The chains that we bind on the soul,
No fallen they lift, and no heart do they
warm,
Yet to them we offer our toll,
The true man is hidden, the false is dis-
played;
I smelt, and you smelt upon me,
We barter our souls, and sorry's the
trade,
And it's oh, that we all might be free!
—Alfred J. Waterhouse in New York
Times.

The Cry of the Age.
What shall I do to be free?
What shall I do to be free?
Of these words for the times,
Teach me, O meek and true!
Chart me the dimmest main,
Leading out of my sorrow and mad-
ness,
Preach me the purging of pain,
Shall I wrench from my finger the ring
To cast to the tramp at my door?
Shall I tear off each luminous thing
To drop in the palm of the poor?
What shall I do to be just?
Teach me, O ye in the light,
Whom the poor and the rich alike trust;
My heart is aflame to be right.

—Hamlin Garland.

To My Country.
My mother thou, thy child am I;
What can I more than love thee,
And for thee live, and for thee die,
My heart's true home to prove thee?

—Charles Childholm.

BITS OF INFORMATION.

All kinds of provisions are in abundant supply and prices are all in favor of the producers.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and certain to act, always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by Woods & Co.

There are an enormous quantity of fruit and canned goods this year and the packers are still very busy.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 25c.

California prune growers say they are selling all their stock in competition with the French product.

The United States government is doing more than any other power to induce the opening of the oriental ports to western trade.

You Know What You are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Large quantities of oil are being sent to the Sandwich Islands for fuel instead of coal.

Spring Ailments.

There is an aching and tired feeling, the liver, bowels and kidneys become sluggish and inactive, the digestion impaired, with little or no appetite, no ambition for anything and a feeling that the whole body and mind needs toning up. The trouble is that during the winter there has been an accumulation of waste matter in the system. Herbine will relieve it, secure to the secretions a right exit and by its tonic effect fully restore the wasted tissue and give you strength instead of weakness; 50 cents at Woods & Co's.

On account of the heavy production of wheat quite a number of elevators are to be built in the northwest for the storage of the wheat crop.

World Wide Reputation.

White's Cream Vermifuge has achieved a world wide reputation as being the best of all worm destroyers, and for its tonic influence on weak and unthrifty children, as it neutralizes the acidity or sourness of the stomach, improves their digestion, and assimilation of food, strengthens their nervous system, and restores them to the health, vigor, and elasticity of spirits natural to childhood; 25c at Woods & Co's.

Over 11,000,000 ties are used every year in the repair of American railroads.

Not Over-Wise.

There is an old allegorical picture of a girl seated at a grass-hopper, but in a act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar, but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safeguard against bowel complaints, whose victims outnumber those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by Woods & Co.

The various labor organizations of the country have secured more advances and better advances during the past season than in any former year.

Save the Children

Ninety-nine of every one hundred diseases that children have are due to disorders of the stomach, and these disorders are all caused by indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is just as good for children as it is adults. Children thrive on it. It keeps their little stomachs sweet and encourages their growth and development. Mrs. Henry Carter, 705 Central St., Nashville, Tenn., says: "My little boy is now three years old and has been suffering from indigestion ever since he was born. I have the best doctors in Nashville, but failed to do him any good. After using one bottle of Kodol he is a well baby. I recommend it to all sufferers." Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by R. F. Haynes.

Just Like a Man.

Mr. Hopperdyke, who had been slightly injured in a railway collision while on a trip away from home, found it necessary to make a stop of a day or two to rest and repair damages. He was not much disabled, however, and he wrote a letter to his wife, telling her of the accident and assuring her that he was all right and that she need not have a moment's uneasiness about him.

When he had posted the letter an idea struck him, and he sent her the following telegram:

Have been hurt in railroad accident. Letter on the way, which will explain. JOHN.

Two days afterward he received this dispatch from her:

Why on earth did you send that horrid telegram?

LUCY.

His reply was:

I sent it to prepare you for the letter.

JOHN.

—Youth's Companion.

Boy Cured of Colic After Physician's Treatment Failed.

My boy when four years old was taken with colic and cramps in his stomach. I sent for the doctor and he ejected morphine, but the child kept getting worse. I then gave him half a teaspoonful of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and in half an hour he was sleeping and soon recovered.—F. L. Wilkins, Shell Lake, Wis. Mr. Wilkins is book-keeper for the Shell Lake Lumber Co. For sale by Woods & Co.

The railroads of the country are asking the money lenders for 200,000,000 dollars with which to prosecute projected improvements.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25 cents at Woods & Co., drugstore.

Sometimes we see a boy acting like we did in our youthful days, and then we wonder how on earth it happened that we were allowed to live on.

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A runaway almost ending fatally started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Bruises, Skin Eruption and Piles. 25c at Woods & Co., Drugstore.

Waves of reform, like waves from the ocean, may recede, but they always leave something that is worth keeping upon the beach.

Better Than Gold

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female trouble; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Woods & Co.

Somewhat or other most of us never yet saw the baby that could say as smart things as we read in the newspapers.

Escaped an Awful Fate

Mr. H. Haggins, of Melbourne, Fla., writes, "My doctor told me I had Consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by Woods & Co., druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Sunset in the Canyon.

In the deep canyons one is soon overtaken by night. Indeed in some of these intricate pathways (the work of aqueous erosion) the sunlight, if it enters at all, stays but a few moments. As the sun goes down the changes that are marshaled on are singularly beautiful. The vivid green tints of the chaparral so brilliant at midday begin to fade and assume a deep purple, over which a delicate silvery mist imperceptibly draws its veil. On it creeps, the royal tint becoming more intense, until suddenly it takes on a fiery glow, and over all the slopes there plays a rosy light, the warm good night of the upper range.

Mrs. Mollie Allen, of South Fork Ky., says she has prevented attacks of cholera morbus by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when she felt an attack coming on. Such attacks are usually caused by indigestion and these tablets are just what is needed to cleanse the stomach and ward off the approaching attack. Attacks of bilious colic may be prevented in the same way. For sale by Woods & Co.

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RODNEY.

Divers schools are in progress with fair attendance.

The grist mill at this place, which has not run any since last spring, is again in operation.

Lacy Nunn, who has been at Louisville for more than a year, returned home last week. Lacy was connected with the Belknap Hardware Co., during his stay in the Falls City.

F. E. Davis commenced his school at Hood's Creek last week.

Ben Tudor who was quite sick a few days ago, has resumed carrying the mail again.

Manuel Stephens shipped a lot of stock from Repton Saturday. This is the only shipment he has made in some time on account of the scarcity of marketable stock.

James Summerville, of Mattoon, will leave shortly for some part of the west—probably in California, for his health. He enlisted in the U. S. army about two years ago, and was sent to Ft. Riley, Kan., but his constitution proved to be too feeble for the rigors of Kansas winds, and he subsequently evinced signs of pulmonary consumption and was sent to a government hospital in New Mexico. After a stay there he received his discharge and returned home in a very precarious condition. His physicians now advise him that the exhilarating air of the foothills of the Sierras would be of great benefit to him and might effect a complete cure.

Rev. Rowland, pastor of the church at Rosebud, was here last week.

C. M. Clift was at Repton, Saturday.

School is progressing very nicely at Weston; P. M. Ward teacher.

Several farmers are hauling their wheat to Marion.

Rev. Benj. Clark, who religious belief is of the Calvinistic persuasion, preaches at the school house near Mattoon, the first Sunday of each month.

Wm. Crider, who moved from this county last year to Missouri, will return this fall.

School is in progress near Mattoon with Miss Ida Duval as teacher.

The barbecue at Baker was largely patronized Saturday.

"Uncle" Davy Sullivan, a prominent citizen of Sturgis, visited here Wednesday. He lived here 19 years ago.

Chas. Hill and wife, of Tolu, were here Wednesday.

Several couples from a remote section of the county have visited "Aunt" Maria Hoggard on recent Sundays. Apparently, the mysteries of clairvoyance possess an abnormal fascination for them.

With the camp-meeting season here we may expect copious showers of rain.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs will preach the dedication sermon for Baker church.

John Waggoner, of Repton, was here Sunday.

Lacy Nunn and sisters attended the barbecue at Baker Saturday.

Jno. W. Woody, who for some time has been working at Sturgis as an engineer for the mines, is now staying at home near Mattoon.

T. W. Riley, of Bordley, Union county, passed through here en route to Caldwell county.

Miss Fannie Woods, of Marion visited the family of W. C. Hamilton this week.

Herman Nesbitt is home from Louisiana. He went down there last spring.

Miss Bettie Martin will leave for Missouri soon.

There was a delightful supper at Rev. Bennett's Saturday night. The Granger band furnished music.

The protracted meeting at Bells Mines church will commence next Sunday.

The cemetery at Mt. Zion will be cleaned off next Saturday.

Joe Hina and family attended the wedding of a grand daughter at DeKoven Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie Hearin, of Sturgis, visited here last week.

J. Collins Wilson, and best girl, and several other Sturgis couples called on Aunt Maria Hoggard Sunday.

James Hearin happened to an accident while returning from camp meeting Saturday. His buggy came very near being completely demolished.

John Brown, of Mattoon, got his foot very painfully hurt while working in Union county last week baling hay.

TOLU.

The sick in this vicinity are improving.

T. A. Minner made a flying trip to E'town recently.

C. E. Weldon, of Marion, was in Tolu recently.

Miss Maggie Franks visited her sister, Mrs. T. T. Guess, of this place recently.

The man, Dewese, that was shot to pieces by John Kemper, died at Elizabethtown, Ill., Thursday.

J. O. Brown and T. A. Minner went to Sheridan Saturday to attend Masonic lodge.

F. B. McGrew was in Tolu recently.

Several from this place attended camp-meeting at Hampton Sunday.

Hurricane camp-meeting, begins Aug. 19th. Miss Bertie Crow and J. J. Smith will be there. All are welcome that come with good motives.

The colored folks report a successful meeting at Blue Springs, there having been quite a number of conversions.

S. B. Weldon made a flying trip to Golconda Monday.

Jake Wheeler is mourning the loss of a 75 cent razor strap. The pedler saw him hang it on a nail in the shop.

Mrs. Olive St. John, of East St. Louis, and Mrs. Lou Marley, of Marion, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Weldon.

C. B. Hina and family returned Sunday from a visit to Mrs. Hina's father near Tradewater.

A terrific wind storm passed over this section last week. Many hay stacks were uncapped was about the extent of the damage done.

Uncle Jimmie Paris went to his wife's house Saturday.

Rev. Martin preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Judging from present indications there will not be a half crop of corn raised in this vicinity; some crops in the river bottoms almost a total failure.

Eugene Guess and T. B. Gillispie attended Masonic lodge at Sheridan Saturday. Why can't Tolu have a lodge? We have already 14 Masons in the town and plenty of good material near by to build a good healthy lodge.

John M. Phillips was in Tolu Saturday.

Frank James attended the camp meeting at Piney Saturday and Sunday.

MATTOON.

Mrs. Eliza Brown, of the Mount Zion neighborhood, is visiting Mrs. Burton, of this place.

Mrs. Sallie Travis visited Mrs. Brantley, of Tribune Saturday and Sunday.

Harve Roberts and family are visiting at Tribene.

Miss Effie Murray, of Creswell, who has been visiting here for some time returned home Saturday.

Elbert Manley has purchased a fine horse.

Hubert Burton spent last week at Sturgis.

J. N. Roberts and son have just completed a shop at this place for Liston Wilcox, who contemplates moving here soon and engaging in blacksmithing and woodwork.

Miss Bessie Brantley, of Rosebud visited relatives near here recently.

Seminary school which begun Monday, is progressing nicely under the instruction of Miss Ida Duval.

Ivan Wilcox has recently engaged in business at Henshaw.

Henry Summers will move to Repton this week.

John Sullivan and wife visited in Caldwell county Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Montgomery and son, of Hopkins county, are visiting relatives here.

Dock Brown is having a new residence erected.

Relatives from Mississippi are visiting the family of G. D. Summerville.

Mrs. Frank Burton is in very delicate health.

Mrs. Bell Walker and son, of Baker, visited her mother, Mrs. Burton, Sunday.

Dr. Harve Roberts has purchased a fine lot of surgical tools and is prepared to give vulcures a feast.

Hubert Burton and Geo. Samuels left for Paducah Saturday in search of work.

IRMA.

Mrs. Allie Hughes is ill.

Miss Annie Hardin and brother who have been ill with typhoid fever, are slowly recovering.

The ice cream supper at Wm. Hardesty's Saturday night was largely attended.

Little Miss Mary Younger, of near Lola, was the guest of her cousin, Catherine Tackwell, last week.

Rev. Flynn, of Marion, is holding a protracted meeting at Liberty Grove.

The meeting at the Irma school house last Wednesday evening was an entire failure.

John Speece and family, of Marion, visited Mac Hughes and family recently.

Shim Watson and daughter, of near Lola, were the guests of Lacy Hardin and wife recently.

Newt Todd has the fever.

A severe storm passed through this section last Wednesday evening, but no damage was done.

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NEW SALEM.

Health reasonable good. Some wheat land broke.

John Harpending has uncovered a fine 10-foot vein of spar on the Mrs. Lee White property. This property is held by Col. D. C. Roberts, and is one of the richest finds in Crittenden or Livingston county. This is the same property that Fred Clement and Mack O'Hara prospected on last winter without success.

Rev. Thomas preached a most excellent sermon Sunday at Tyner's Chapel. He will preach again there the first Sunday in September. Come out and hear this good old man.

The general run of wagons from the Stevens clay mine is from 80 to 100 daily.

Wess Grimes has discovered some kind of clay on his farm; some say that it is the same clay as that being mined on the Stevens farm.

A good many from this section are attending the Hampton camp-meeting.

There is about as much hauling being done from the clay mines at night as in the day on account of the heat and dust.

We understand that some very rich ore is being mined at the Ebbie Hodge mine, and two regular shifts of hands are at work.

It makes the farmers feel good to look over the corn fields; the promises of the harvest are surely good.

Our old friend Bill Tyner is acting as a missionary among our wagoners, and is having great success.

Mrs. Blick and daughter, of Du-laney, are guest of Henry Brouster and family.

Oh, how we wish for a railroad so as to stop the ever-lasting rattle of 100 wagons that pass up to Marion every day.

Mrs. Jennie Binkley, of Pinckneyville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harris Austin.

Mrs. Fred Kirk is sick.

CHAPEL HILL.

Wm. Lewis visited his daughter Mrs. Holtsapple, of Lyon county, last week.

We see a smile on M. G. Jacobs face. He has sold his Texas land and made a nice little profit.

Mrs. H. O. Hill has the typhoid fever, and was moved to Jake Crider's Aug. 3.

Miss Ida Ward was the guest of Miss Ruby Bigham Thursday evening.

Mr. Dunn, from Caldwell county, was through this beat Wednesday.

Eura Bigham is walling up a fine milk house.

James N. Hill is on the water-melon trade. He has a fine lot of them.

Quite a number of the Chapel Hill people attended the camp meeting at Piney Sunday.

Thomas Walker and family visited John Grindstaff, of Flatrock, Saturday and Sunday.

George Enoch sold to T. M. Hill a fine sucking mule colt for \$45.

Geo Enoch has bought him a fine buggy.

Crops in this section all seem to be in a flattering condition, we made good wheat, corn is looking well, except that we are needing rain.

Criss Woodall and wife took in the Madisonville fair last week.


Albert Hughes sold a nice lot of stock last week; 3½ for cattle, 5½ for hogs.

Roy and Ned Cruce and wife and Miss Nellie Cruce, of Hillsdale, visited Matt Adams Sunday.

Henry Hughes and wife of Piney, were visiting Albert Hughes Saturday.

Hugh Glenn, of Texas, is in our section again, talking rice lands.

Miss Ada Watson, from near Salem, is visiting Miss Ada Adams, and took in the camp meeting at Piney.



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Lacy Nunn, who has been at Louisville for more than a year, returned home last week. Lacy was connected with the Belknap Hardware Co., during his stay in the Falls City.

F. E. Davis commenced his school at Hood's Creek last week.

Ben Tudor who was quite sick a few days ago, has resumed carrying the mail again.

Manuel Stephens shipped a lot of stock from Repton Saturday. This is the only shipment he has made in some time on account of the scarcity of marketable stock.

James Summerville, of Mattoon, will leave shortly for some part of the west—probably in California, for his health. He enlisted in the U. S. army about two years ago, and was sent to Ft. Riley, Kan., but his constitution proved to be too feeble for the rigors of Kansas winds, and he subsequently evinced signs of pulmonary consumption and was sent to a government hospital in New Mexico. After a stay there he received his discharge and returned home in a very precarious condition. His physicians now advise him that the exhilarating air of the foothills of the Sierras would be of great benefit to him and might effect a complete cure.

Rev. Rowland, pastor of the church at Rosebud, was here last week.

C. M. Clift was at Repton, Saturday.

School is progressing very nicely at Weston; P. M. Ward teacher.

Several farmers are hauling their wheat to Marion.

Rev. Benj. Clark, who religious belief is of the Calvinistic persuasion, preaches at the school house near Mattoon, the first Sunday of each month.

Wm. Crider, who moved from this county last year to Missouri, will return this fall.

School is in progress near Mattoon with Miss Ida Duval as teacher.

The barbecue at Baker was largely patronized Saturday.

"Uncle" Davy Sullivan, a prominent citizen of Sturgis, visited here Wednesday. He lived here 19 years ago.

Chas. Hill and wife, of Tolu, were here Wednesday.

Several couples from a remote section of the county have visited "Aunt" Maria Hoggard on recent Sundays. Apparently, the mysteries of clairvoyance possess an abnormal fascination for them.

With the camp-meeting season here we may expect copious showers of rain.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs will preach the dedication sermon for Baker church.

John Waggoner, of Repton, was here Sunday.

Lacy Nunn and sisters attended the barbecue at Baker Saturday.

Jno. W. Woody, who for some time has been working at Sturgis as an engineer for the mines, is now staying at home near Mattoon.

T. W. Riley, of Bordley, Union county, passed through here en route to Caldwell county.

Miss Fannie Woods, of Marion visited the family of W. C. Hamilton this week.

Herman Nesbitt is home from Louisiana. He went down there last spring.

Miss Bettie Martin will leave for Missouri soon.

There was a delightful supper at Rev. Bennett's Saturday night. The Granger band furnished music.

The protracted meeting at Bella Mines church will commence next Sunday.

The cemetery at Mt. Zion will be cleaned off next Saturday.

Joe Hina and family attended the wedding of a grand daughter at DeKoven Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie Hearin, of Sturgis, visited here last week.

J. Collins Wilson, and best girl, and several other Sturgis couples called on Aunt Maria Hoggard Sunday.

James Hearin happened to an accident while returning from camp meeting Saturday. His buggy came very near being completely demolished.

John Brown, of Mattoon, got his foot very painfully hurt while working in Union county last week baling hay.

TOLU.

The sick in this vicinity are improving.

T. A. Minner made a flying trip to E'town recently.

C. E. Weldon, of Marion, was in Tolu recently.

Miss Maggie Franks visited her sister, Mrs. T. T. Guess, of this place recently.

The man, Dewese, that was shot to pieces by John Kemper, died at Elizabethtown, Ill., Thursday.

J. O. Brown and T. A. Minner went to Sheridan Saturday to attend Masonic lodge.

F. B. McGrew was in Tolu recently.

Several from this place attended camp-meeting at Hampton Sunday.

Hurricane camp-meeting, begins Aug. 19th. Miss Bertie Crow and J. J. Smith will be there. All are welcome that come with good motives.

The colored folks report a successful meeting at Blue Springs, there having been quite a number of conversions.

S. B. Weldon made a flying trip to Golconda Monday.

Jake Wheeler is mourning the loss of a 75 cent razor strap. The pedler saw him hang it on a nail in the shop.

Mrs. Olive St. John, of East St. Louis, and Mrs. Lou Marley, of Marion, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Weldon.

C. B. Hina and family returned Sunday from a visit to Mrs. Hina's father near Tradewater.

A terrific wind storm passed over this section last week. Many hay stacks were uncapped was about the extent of the damage done.

Uncle Jimmie Paris went to his wife's house Saturday.

Rev. Martin preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Judging from present indications there will not be a half crop of corn raised in this vicinity; some crops in the river bottoms almost a total failure.

Eugene Guess and T. B. Gillispie attended Masonic lodge at Sheridan Saturday. Why can't Tolu have a lodge? We have already 14 Masons in the town and plenty of good material near by to build a good healthy lodge.

John M. Phillips was in Tolu Saturday.

Frank James attended the camp meeting at Piney Saturday and Sunday.

MATTOON.

Mrs. Eliza Brown, of the Mount Zion neighborhood, is visiting Mrs. Burton, of this place.

Mrs. Sallie Travis visited Mrs. Brantley, of Tribune Saturday and Sunday.

Harve Roberts and family are visiting at Tribune.

Miss Effie Murray, of Creswell, who has been visiting here for some time returned home Saturday.

Elbert Manley has purchased a fine horse.

Hubert Burton spent last week at Sturgis.

J. N. Roberts and son have just completed a shop at this place for Liston Wilcox, who contemplates moving here soon and engaging in blacksmithing and woodwork.

Miss Bessie Brantley, of Rosebud visited relatives near here recently.

Seminary school which began Monday, is progressing nicely under the instruction of Miss Ida Duval.

Ivan Wilcox has recently engaged in business at Henshaw.

Henry Summers will move to Repton this week.

John Sullivan and wife visited in Caldwell county Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Montgomery and son, of Hopkins county, are visiting relatives here.

Dock Brown is having a new residence erected.

Relatives from Mississippi are visiting the family of G. D. Summerville.

Mrs. Frank Burton is in very delicate health.

Mrs. Bell Walker and son, of Baker, visited her mother, Mrs. Burton, Sunday.

Dr. Harve Roberts has purchased a fine lot of surgical tools and is prepared to give vulcures a feast.

Hubert Burton and Geo. Samuels left for Paducah Saturday in search of work.

IRMA.

Mrs. Allie Hughes is ill. Mrs. Annie Hardin and brother who have been ill with typhoid fever, are slowly recovering.

The ice cream supper at Wm. Hardesty's Saturday night was largely attended.

Little Miss Mary Younger, of near Lola, was the guest of her cousin, Catherine Tackwell, last week.

Rev. Flynn, of Marion, is holding a protracted meeting at Liberty Grove.

The meeting at the Irma school house last Wednesday evening was an entire failure.

John Speece and family, of Marion, visited Mac Hughes and family recently.

Shim Watson and daughter, of near Lola, were the guests of Lacy Hardin and wife recently.

Newt Todd has the fever.

A severe storm passed through this section last Wednesday evening, but no damage was done.

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Rev. Thomas preached a most excellent sermon Sunday at Tynders Chapel. He will preach again there the first Sunday in September. Come out and hear this good old man.

The general run of wagons from the Stevens clay mine is from 80 to 100 daily.

Wees Grimes has discovered some kind of clay on his farm; some say that it is the same clay as that being mined on the Stevens farm.

A good many from this section are attending the Hampton camp-meeting.

There is about as much hauling being done from the clay mines at night as in the day on account of the heat and dust.

We understand that some very rich ore is being mined at the Ebbie Hodge mine, and two regular shifts of hands are at work.

It makes the farmers feel good to look over the corn fields; the promises of the harvest are surely good.

Our old friend Bill Tyner is acting as a missionary among our wagoners, and is having great success.

Mrs. Blick and daughter, of Dulane, are guest of Henry Brouster and family.

Oh, how we wish for a railroad so as to stop the ever-lasting rattle of 100 wagons that pass up to Marion every day.

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Mrs. Fred Kirk is sick.

CHAPEL HILL.

Wm. Lewis visited his daughter Mrs. Holsapple, of Lyon county, last week.

We see a smile on M. G. Jacobs face. He has sold his Texas land and made a nice little profit.

Mrs. H. O. Hill has the typhoid fever, and was moved to Jake Crider's Aug. 3.

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Eura Bigham is walling up a fine milk house.

James N. Hill is on the watermelon trade. He has a fine lot of them.

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Thomas Walker and family visited John Grindstaff, of Flatrock, Saturday and Sunday.

George Enoch sold to T. M. Hill a fine sucking mule colt for \$45.

Geo Enochs has bought him a fine buggy.

Crops in this section all seem to be in a flattering condition, we made good wheat, corn is looking well, except that we are needing rain.

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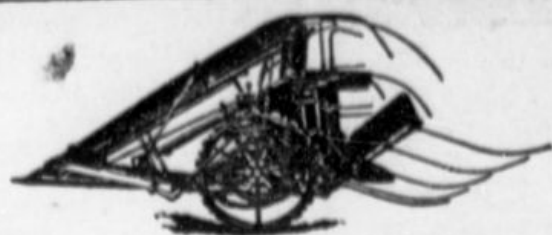
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