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A FREE MAN!

George M. Sisco Charged With Murder-Released From Custody.

INCIDENTS OF THE TRIAL I

The second trial of George M. Sisco, charged with the murder of Miss Bertha Williamson, closed on Wednesday evening, the verdict of the jury being "Not Guilty."

It will be remembered that on the first trial the jury disagreed and Sisco was permitted to give a bond for his appearance at the following term of court. A great deal of feeling has existed since the dastardly deed was committed and to an extent still remains.

It is hoped, however, that the verdict of the jury, weighing the evidence carefully and patiently as they unquestionably did, will relieve much of the tension that has existed between the friends of the accused and those of the lovable daughter, who was the victim of so dark a crime.

Judge Gordon, who presided at this trial, is a typical type of the fair minded, decisive Judge whom all respect. His rulings were so plainly put, so just and right that no question was raised on either side as he announced his decision on the many conflicting points of evidence. The court house was packed daily with sweltering humanity. The closing day Judge Gordon adjourned the court to the Opera House where many hundred people could listen to the closing arguments of the numerous counsel.

Two full days were consumed in selecting the jury from a venire of 200. Messrs. Grayot, Henderson and Headley represented the Commonwealth, Messrs. James & James and Moore & Moore the defense.

The examination of witnesses lasted until Tuesday afternoon when the arguments of counsel were commenced. At 7:30 p. m. Wednesday the court gave the case to the jury who returned their verdict of "Not Guilty" at 9 o'clock the same evening. The jury was composed of the following gentlemen:

J. C. Haycraft	J. E. Haycraft
R. N. Lynn	James White
J. B. McKinley	J. W. Hamby
M. S. Henry	G. H. Barger
Luther Reed	B. B. Barger
Chas. Marble	W. P. Watson

JOHN CLARK

Drowned in The Ohio River While Bathing.

A MOST LAMENTABLE AFFAIR!

John Clark, aged 19, son of Ira Clark who lives on Ben Rankins' farm near Weston, was in the Ohio bathing with his brother, Reed, aged 14, and Tommy Hughes, of the same age, last Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock.

John saw a log some distance out in the river and started to swim to it. Before he reached the log he seemed to have changed his mind and turned to swim for the shore. Ere he had made many strokes his body instantly disappeared.

Young Clark was probably seized with muscle cramps causing him to go under the water. His companion, Tommie Hughes, took in the situation at a glance and hastened

to where the drowning lad was struggling. Notwithstanding the fact, Hughes was a great deal smaller and four years younger than Clark, he put forth heroic efforts to effect a rescue. The drowning boy grasped frantically at Hughes' neck and it is indeed a wonder that they were not both drowned.

Tommie yelled for help with all his might, but when assistance did come, Clark had sunk to rise no more and his body could not be found. Neighbors and friends labored all Saturday night endeavoring to locate the body but in vain. At last, about 8 o'clock Sunday morning the body was found 200 yards down stream.

The young man was buried at Mt. Zion cemetery Sunday afternoon at five o'clock, a large crowd of mourning relatives and friends being present. Rev. U. G. Hughes in a sermon of sincere sympathy and comfort preached the funeral.

BASE BALL

Kuttawa Team Proves "Dead Easy" For Marion Boys.

The game last Friday between the locals and Kuttawa was a very one-sided contest and ended in a victory for Marion by a score of 14 to 2. There were no features to the game outside of the general good playing of the locals and especially the battery work of Driskill and Hurley. The visiting team made a number of errors both of omission and commission, the former counting more in the score than the latter.

Yates was on the crippled list with a split toenail and Doss, who took his place, made three two-base hits.

The line-up was as follows:

MARION	POSITION	KUTTAWA
Hurley	Catcher	Akin
Driskill	Pitcher	Brashear
McNeely	First Base	Long
Lamb	Second Base	Pettit
Gues	Third Base	Gresham
Nesbit	Short Stop	Brown
Doss	Left Field	Robinson
Gilbert	Center Field	Jackson
Clark	Right Field	Parmenter

The score by innings:

1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9	R. H. E.
Marion	1-1-1-1-3-0-6-1-14 28 9
Kuttawa	0-0-0-0-0-1-1-0-0-2 15 9

Batteries—
Marion—Driskill and Hurley. Kuttawa—Brashear and Akin.
Umpire—John L. Grayot.

A great game is anticipated today (Friday) at Princeton, as the locals think they are in a fair way to win with a fair umpire. A special car has been chartered and a large crowd of "rooters" are going from here.

Marion plays the L. A. L. team of Paducah, here on Monday, July 25th. The L. A. L. team is the strongest amateur team of Paducah, and is made up of players from the K. I. T. league. People who want to see a star team play must not miss this game.

The locals have practiced hard and faithfully all week in order to be in the best shape possible for the games to-day and Monday. Several other games are looked for the near future.

Mrs. James Gilbert Dead.

Saturday night at 8 o'clock Mrs. Jas. Gilbert who lived five miles north of town passed away at the age of 69 years. Mrs. Gilbert died of consumption, having suffered most intensely many weeks.

Her maiden name was Sarah Worley, being a sister to R. C., J. D. and M. T. Worley, all of this county. She leaves a husband 75 years of age and four children, Mrs. Henry Holloman, Mrs. Laura Fritts, Mrs. Kessie Johnson and James C. who deeply mourn her loss.

THE RECORD'S MINING NEWS.

The Week's Doings Throughout District Told in Paragraphs.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN VIRGIN TERRITORY—SALES OF LANDS AND NEW LEASES—JOPLIN MARKET.

ORE SHIPMENTS CONTINUE LARGE!

OUR JOPLIN ADVICES

state that there was a sensational rise in the price of zinc ore last week. Forty dollars per ton was paid, being a jump of \$4. All grades of ore advanced from \$4 to \$6, the assay basis being \$36 per ton for 60 per cent ore. A great many reasons are given for this advance, but the fact of a scarcity of ore and no surplus to amount to anything in sight, with every smelter bidding for it, is reason enough. The price will very likely be considerably higher next week. Lead ore is selling at \$54.50 per ton, delivered.

AS SHOWING

the trend of events, even with the temperature away up in the "stickies," the sale of mining lands, the leasing and taking options on property where it is known certain veins pass, continue with increased vigor. Each new week seems to outdo the old one, and indeed the district, while not at a financial fever heat, is decidedly hot as regards investments from outside of the state.

THE OFFICIALS

of the Crittenden Mining Company, through Mr. J. O. Clore, of Henderson, the vice president, advise their mining superintendent here that they will commence work on both of their properties—the Catharine White place for fluor spar, and the Flanary property, which carries the big Larue vein, for lead and zinc. A shaft was started on the latter property, exposing a very strong vein, several months ago. A second vein passing through this land, said to be very rich in lead, will be opened.

NEGOTIATIONS FOR THE PELL MINE

it is understood, are drawing near a favorable consummation. This is an ideal mining property for both zinc and fluor spar. A Joplin type of separating plant, capable of handling 50 tons of ore daily, is already installed, and the output can be made more than sufficient to keep the machinery going every day in the year. Lawrence Cruce, of Marion, is now operating the property, being one of the principal owners, but his business in the Indian Territory being of so much more importance, he has finally consented to dispose of his interest.

AT 78 FEET

depth in the Robinson-Conway property in the Memphis mine country, an exceedingly heavy brown zinc blende runs very heavily through the fluor spar. Samples showing fully 20 per cent. of zinc in nuggets that a slight hand dressing would make a good shipping ore are shown in quantity.

JUDGE COOK OF MURRAY

Ky., whose option on the E. B. Franklin farm, near Levas, will expire in a few months, has already expended some \$1,200 to \$1,500 in prospecting without uncovering any considerable body of

ore. Within the past few days, however, the results on the LaRue property, which adjoins Franklin's, have enabled Judge Cook to locate the vein and good results may be expected.

THE BEN YANDELL FARM

purchased by Mr. J. B. Hubbard, of the Farmers Bank, for \$1,200, about a year ago, has been purchased of Mr. Hubbard by Evansville parties for \$3,000. It is thought this land carries the Old Jim vein.

CHARLIE LARUE OF LEVIAS

the general merchant at that place, has threatened for a year or two to do some mining work on a piece of ground he has owned for a number of years near his store. A week ago he finally commenced work, and perhaps he was as much astonished as anyone else to open up a very strong body of fluor spar, which appears to be of good quality.

AT CARRISVILLE

considerable work is being accomplished on several of the Carrisville veins. The Schofield-Spees Company have their shaft down 70 feet with flattering indications of a good run of ore. At the Burns property work was started on July 1st and will be carried forward with a good deal of vigor. Prof. Wright is having some trouble with water, but he has his machinery plant in good shape and will shortly be in the market with ore.

ROSS GIVEN'S

apparently has some considerable first class fluor spar on the same vein as that of the Bonanza shaft some two miles from Lola. His intention, we understand, is to ship his output to Golconda for railroad transportation, the haul to the river being much less than to Marion.

THE WHEATCROFT MINING COMPANY of Mexico, Ky., have contracted their entire output of fluor spar to a local company.

THE EXTREME HIGH TEMPERATURE of the past week rendered mining on the surface very hard work. As a consequence the output of ore will not reach the weekly average.

THERE ARE

very fine surface showings for zinc ore some two miles northeast of Sheridan. The outcrop is very similar to that just below Lola on the Mann carbonate property. Some prospecting is being carried on now in this section and the showing so far is most favorable.

THERE PROBABLY WILL

be found somewhere in the district a mineral known as the "Carbonate of Barium," wanted for the basic lining of iron and steel furnaces, being superior to magnesite in its lasting qualities. We have more or less of the common Barites used as a pigment, but so far the carbonate has not been found. It is of the same general makeup as the ordinary barites, but will effervesce upon the application of hydro

chloric acid the same as carbonate of zinc, while the common variety will not. This product will sell for a good price by the carload.

THE CITY COUNCIL'S

action in extending the city limits meets with almost unanimous approval. This extension includes a portion of the Reed Mining Company's property, so that instead of being just outside the city limits, many of the large building lots are now a part of the city. Naturally these lots will increase in value more rapidly than those outside, as they will have the benefit of street lights, city water whenever the waterworks are completed, better streets and better sanitary care. For the present the lots, 50x150, with 40 foot streets and 15 foot alleys, will be sold for \$75, which includes 1,000 shares of stock in the Reed Mining Company, the par value of which is \$1,000. The opening of the Lucile vein on this property, which is now being arranged for, will advance the value of these shares very materially.

THE FLUOR SPAR

used in the Little Belle Blast furnace of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company at Bessemer, Ala., was especially prepared for the purpose in this city. The Little Belle furnace of the Tennessee company has a capacity for the production of 100 tons of pig iron daily. The iron ore and coke used in Alabama carries a considerable percentage of sulphur as well as phosphorus, and as a natural sequence the pig iron produced is largely of a low grade and brings a low price. The object of this test, the first perhaps ever made with fluor spar in a blast furnace, was to eliminate the sulphur and reduce the silicon in the iron. Mr. D. C. Roberts, who visited Alabama for the express purpose of assisting in this special work, brings back some interesting information regarding the Southern iron districts, as well as special data connected with the tests made in the blast furnace, showing the marked improvement in the pig produced by the use of very small quantities of fluor spar with each charge of ore, limestone and coke. Samples of the pig iron made by this method can be seen in the Kentucky Fluor Spar Company's office in this city, the iron having a distinctly different fracture and color from that produced without the use of fluor spar.

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DROWNS IN WATER BUT KNEE DEEP

Louisville Jurist Falls While in Bathing and All Efforts to Save Him Avail Not.

Judge Upton Muir, of Louisville, Ky., spending a vacation at Cape May, Va., lost his life in the surf Wednesday while bathing. The judge was enjoying a bath a half hour before he drowned. He was in water about knee deep at a point where there were no gullies. Several persons on the beach saw him fall face downward and as he did not immediately get up some bathers went to his rescue.

He was unconscious and every effort made to resuscitate him was without success. Among the first to appear on the scene was General J. Wats Kearney, who is a brother-in-law of the judge and with whom Judge and Mrs. Muir were staying in their cottage. The body will be taken to Louisville tomorrow.

HOME POSTOFFICES

The Government Will Deliver Mail at Residences

IF YOU WILL FURNISH A MAIL BOX.

On the first day of July a new law or a ruling of the Post Office Department, we are not advised just which, took effect, which is certainly a step forward and a convenience to those who live on or near any of the Star routes in the State of Kentucky and very likely most of the other states of the Union.

After the above date any citizen living on or near a star route has the right to erect a box for the receipt and dispatch of all his mail each and every day the mail is carried. Some of these routes are daily and some are twice or three times per week. This ruling of the Post Office Department practically makes Rural Free Delivery routes of all Star routes and no matter if the patron lives two miles off the line of the route provided he erects the proper kind of a box the mail carrier is paid to deliver and take up all his mail.

Centering in our own office here in Marion are five Star routes supplying twenty offices.

The routes are as follows: Starr, Ky. to Marion, Ky. and return. Twice a week—Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Marion, Ky. to Salem, Ky. and return, daily.

Marion, Ky. to Shady Grove, Ky. and return, daily.

Tolu, Ky. to Marion, Ky. and return, daily.

Ford's Ferry, Ky. to Marion, Ky. and return. Twice a week, Tuesdays and Fridays.

These five routes supply the following offices: Starr, Levas, Salem, Lola, Hampton, Joy, Carrisville, Birdsville, Vicksburg, Pinckneyville, Mullikin, Smithland, Tribune, Iron Hill, Shady Grove, Tweedleville, Quinn, Sheridan, Irma, Hardesty, Tolu, and Ford's Ferry.

When we come to think of all the number of people that live on or near some one of these routes our opinion is that the saving of time and labor in going after the mail will be quite considerable. This added to the convenience and economy of having the daily papers and market reports, makes quite an onward step in the matter of Rural Free Delivery.

That our readers may know what companies have conformed to the law and what boxes have been approved by the proper Department officials we herewith give a list, not of all that have been approved, but of the leading companies and most popular boxes together with the price:

Bond Steel Post Co., Adrian, Mich., offer for sale Uncle Sam's Favorite, \$2; Adrian, \$1.50; Log Cabin, \$1; The Dixie, \$1.50.

Century Post Co., Tecumseh, Mich., offer only two boxes, Century, \$2; Tecumseh \$1.25.

Canton Little Roofing Co., Canton, Ohio, make one box, no name, price \$2.25.

C. G. Folsom, of South Bend, Ind., makes a box for \$1.80.

Any of our readers that desire one of these boxes can call on us and we will make the order or he can order direct. The boxes are all made with patent storm proof features and are easy to operate. Most of them fly a flag when any thing is placed in them thus calling the attention of the carrier or of the owner of the box.

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

G. R. Bibb was in town Friday.

A. J. Pickens spent Sunday in Evansville.

R. M. Wilborn was in Greenville Saturday on business.

Thos. Jones, of Jonesboro, Ark., was in the city last week.

Jesse Porter, of Irma, gave us a pleasant call last week.

L. S. Rushing, of Mexico, gave this office a call last week.

J. J. May, of Carrsville, spent a few days in town last week.

W. R. Cruce, of Dallas, Texas, was in the city again this week.

M. B. Rushing, of Mexico, handed us his subscription Thursday.

Miss Lillie Cook, of Paducah, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Tom Clifton.

Dr. Jno. Todd, of Fredonia, was a pleasant caller at this office last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Glenn, of Houston, Texas, were in the city Sunday.

Dave Driskill, Healy Cochran and Will Clifton were in Princeton Sunday.

Miss Susie Daniel, of near Ford's Ferry, visited friends in the city last week.

L. L. Price and daughter, Ethel, of Levias, paid this office a pleasant call Monday.

Dick Champion, of Lola, did not fail to give us his subscription while here last week.

O. S. Denny, cashier of Citizens Bank, at Carrsville, spent Saturday night in the city.

Dr. J. D. Threlkeld, of Salem, passed through town Sunday, enroute to Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Crider, of Crayneville, attended church in the city Sunday evening.

Dr. J. E. Fox, of Shady Grove, called on us last Friday and subscribed for this paper.

R. M. Franks, of Hurricane, attended the D. P. Glenn sale at Crayneville Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. Ainsworth left Friday for Kuttawa to visit relatives, returning home Tuesday.

Misses Nar and Virgie Nunn, daughters of Judge Nunn, are visiting in Kelsey this week.

Mrs. Welford White, of Helena, Ark., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Woods.

Misses Nellie Nabb and Mary McGowan, of Princeton, were guests of Mrs. Gus Taylor this week.

R. F. Wilborn, formerly of this county, but now of Ardmore, I. T., here on a two months visit.

Miss Alice Griffith, missionary at San Louis Potosi, Mexico, is the guest of her parents near Sheridan.

Mrs. A. J. Pickens returned Tuesday from Kuttawa, where she was the guest of her brother, Rev. R. T. McConnell.

A. B. Jarvis, the tobacco man of Henderson, was here last week looking after his tobacco business at his point.

Chas. Donaky is preparing to build a fine residence for himself on what is known as the J. H. Davis place near Siloam.

Harry Gill, formerly of this county, who is a railway postal clerk at Denison, Texas, is at home on a two weeks' visit.

Mrs. Ed Murphy and son, of Missouri, passed through the city last week enroute to Livingston county to visit relatives.

Mrs. H. H. Sayre, with Miss Helen and Master Bob Sayre, is spending the summer months on the New Jersey sea coast.

There will be a Sunday School celebration and basket dinner at Post Oak school house, near Repton Wednesday, Aug. 3rd, 1904.

J. L. Settles, of Levias, called at this office Saturday and reported new mineral developments in his vicinity.

J. L. Lamb, of Iron Hill, gave us a call Saturday and had his name put on our subscription list.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trimble, of Livingston county, attended the Sunday School convention at Oak Grove last week.

Dave Walker, of Tennessee, has started in to learn the telephone business from Manager W. B. Butler of the Marion exchange.

A. E. Brown, formerly of this county, but now a merchant at Clay, was in town the first of the week and called at this office.

Griffin Buchanan and John F. Mackadon will be in Marion about a month placing the heating plant in the new post office building.

Last week we had much more reading matter than we could print. A great deal of good news from some of our correspondents reached us too late for publication.

Misses Mary Nunn, of Henderson, and Willie Porter, of Niagara, arrived to-day to be the guests of the family of their cousin, Dr. F. W. Nunn next week.

Att'y C. C. Grassham, of Smithland, attended court here last week. He had charge of some railroad cases and was the attorney of B. S. Fenwick in case Fenwick vs Harry Watkins and others.

In those beautiful parasols and umbrellas, the newest handles, bargain prices. CLIFTONS.

Prof. W. B. Yates, the singing evangelist of Sheridan, left last week for Eddyville, where he will lead singing for a ten days' meeting. From there he will go to Yelvington, Ky., Dyer and Ripley, Tenn., and Zwolla, La., spending ten days at each place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shively, of Owensboro, who have been the guests of their son, Dr. G. E. Shively, for the last ten days, returned home Monday. We are glad to say they were favorably impressed with Marion, and we hope they will decide to come over and make Marion their home.

Last week Architect Jas. L. Long, of Hopkinsville, was a caller at the Record office. Mr. Long is the Architect who made the plans for the fine residence of Joel McPherson, of Madisonville, and M. C. Forbes, of Hopkinsville, which is a \$40,000 structure. Mr. Long also made the plans for the residence of Dr. R. L. Moore, of this city.

Rev. P. R. Vick and W. W. May, of Hampton, drove to the city last week after finishing lumber for the new Methodist church being built at Hampton. Mr. May is known all over the two counties as "Uncle Billy." He is more than 75 years of age and did what many young men of today would hesitate doing. He drove more than 20 miles on a bedless wagon riding on the hounds.

Hon. T. J. Nunn, of Frankfort, judge of the court of appeals, is in town. The judge moved his family from here to Madisonville eleven years ago in search of a better law practice and incidentally to gather up the lines of legal and other business where Judge Clifton J. Pratt left off. From there he went to the appellate bench. Judge Nunn's immediate family were here with him Friday, as were also the balance of his children. This was the first time in eleven years that he and all his family have been in Marion together.

Deeds Recorded, July 4th to 11th.

H. F. Jacobs and Mary A. Jacobs to W. R. Cruce, 3-4 acres, \$30

John H. and Sarah A. Thomason to A. G. Thomason 50 acres, \$600.

J. W. and Sallie A. Guess to Wm. Temme, 5 acres, \$250.

Enoch and Pernelia J. Stone to Geo. H. Barger 50 acres, \$300.

Mrs. E. E. Crayne to W. R. Cruce 20 acres, \$200.

L. E. Waddell, Mary Waddell and others to Robert Kirk 26 acres, \$350.

J. C. and Mamie Taylor to A. F. Karges and others 90 acres, \$1225.

M. E. Crider et als to W. H. Guess 7 3-4 acres, \$100.

VIEW.

The health of this neighborhood is good.

W. B. Brinkley, our enterprising merchant and postmaster is always ready and obliging to wait upon his many customers and he is having a nice trade.

J. C. Mathews and family visited his father Sunday who is quite sick.

Crops in this section are good and the farmers are trying to make hay between showers.

Mr. McWhirter and wife visited Tom Davenport and family Sunday. He reports crops considerably damaged in the New Salem valley.

MEXICO.

The little village of Mexico is situated on the I. C. railroad a little south of midway between Crayneville and Fredonia, Ky., and is surrounded by some of the richest mines in the country.

A vast lot of spar comes here for shipment from the mines known as the Tabb, Tabor, Wheatcroft, Asbridge, Pogue and Yandell.

Since Nov. 22, 1902, the Ky. Co., has shipped from its yard at this place over eight and one-half million pounds of spar to say nothing of the other companies who ship their spar from here.

The wagons of W. K. Bibb and E. H. Mott may be seen either on the road or the yard, sometimes in company with several others hauling or loading the products of the Ky. Company from about 6 a. m. to 6 p. m.

W. I. Taber is frequently called from his farm to do the same business for the Marion Mineral Co. and the Wheatcroft Co.

George Pierce, the most efficient clerk in W. I. Taber's store of general merchandise is often very busy waiting on customers and weighing spar for the Marion Mineral Co. and the Wheatcroft Co.

Besides this wonderful buzz and whirl of from two to twenty spar wagons may be heard the clinkety clink of our two blacksmiths, Robinson and Parinley, also the hurry skurry of Ben Capps and Will Polk who represent a part of the farming interest of Mexico.

J. A. Myers and J. T. Nelson may be seen showing goods to customers or exchanging general merchandise for cash or produce.

Aside from the spar, lead, zinc and some silver known to exist within thirty minute's walk of Mexico, there is believed to be an inexhaustible quantity of coal between the Tabb and Bibb mineral leads which, if developed, would make this one of the best mining towns in the State.

We understand there are two box cars put off here which are to serve for the much needed depot at this place, for which we are grateful.

We have a very fine public well here with some medical properties.

Our soil is best adapted to the raising of hay, tobacco, sweet potatoes and sorghum, and all we lack for a success with these articles is a little feed for our fields and some legal ability to get Esq. Myers and Geo. Money-maker to muzzle their moles.

The inhabitants of Mexico are of a whitish complexion, varying in size from 100 to 300 pounds.

In nature, our inhabitants are peaceable when not molested, and of a confiding disposition, which never hurts us except when we confide our secrets to one another.

Teachers' Institute.

The Crittenden County Teachers' Institute will convene Monday, July 25th to continue five days. J. C. Willis, Instructor.

For your certificate to be valid you must attend. Jno. B. Paris, 1-2

Notice.

Competitive examination for appointment to State College will be held at Marion, July 23, 1904. 1-21 JOHN B. PARIS, Sup't.

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BRIEFS and BRIEFLETS.

By GOOSEQUILL.

Checkmate, rather than helpmate, very appropriately applies to some wives.

He who makes a mistake in marriage has nine to one chances of failure in everything else.

The head-above-the-crowd reformer is a failure because the crowd is supposed to be the beneficiary of the reform. Very often reform deforms what it meant to perform.

"Thou shalt not kill" is one of the pillars of the Decalogue, but the ranks of the time killers continue to increase.

If simple, inoffensive "Jumblerin," as it now looms up, was remunerative, the world's cities would have to add miles to their street capacity.

Its not standing "square" on the platform or on anything else that makes some wives and children want the common necessities of life but its husbands and fathers standing "round."

The man fearless enough to be original is mercilessly imitated and often intimidated; the imitator never.

From observation some have summarized the Golden Rule down to this: Do or get done.

Principle is the principal thing if its big enough to make the interest interesting.

Obituary.

Little Nariene, daughter of Dr. W. T. and Ella Daughtrey, was born Nov. 17, 1902 and died June 5, 1904 after a short illness of flux.

Little Nariene with her beautiful smiling face and golden curls was one of the loveliest of children. She was the idol of her parents and the pet of all. Little Nariene was given like a beautiful rose to gladden not only the home of papa, mamma and little brother, but to cheer the hearts of all who came in touch with her happy spirit.

It is hard to part with such a beautiful bud after it has opened its beauty and sweetness before us, but God, who gave the sweet spirit child has a far more beautiful and happy home for her than the wealth of this world can give. There will be no desire of little Nariene ungratified for Heaven satisfies the longing of the soul.

The Bible teaches us that the joys and the glory of that home where Nariene lives is grander than anything that the eye has seen, the ear has heard, or than any imagination of the heart.

Dear parents, your home is lonely we know, but Nariene stands on that heavenly shore with beckoning hands. She is still your child and happily waits your coming. May God guide and comfort the bereaved and grant that the dear parents may some day clasp little Nariene on that beautiful shore where farewell will be heard no more.

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THE RECORD'S MINING NEWS.

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THE MAJOR CLEMENT

property near the Crittenden Springs hotel, has a good sized ore dump that will probably average 15 per cent. of zinc. The shaft itself shows a large body of ore. A small plant of machinery at this point for separating purposes would be a capital investment, as there is, beside the Majors, a large quantity of good concentrating ores at the other properties in the near vicinity.

MR. JOHN TONKIN

of Wilkesbarre, Pa., is exploiting a coal property near that of the Wheatcroft company at Wheatcroft, Ky. He will likely have a very complete equipment for mining, electricity being used wherever possible.

IT IS RUMORED

that the United States Coal Company, at Sturgis, has allowed several small judgments to be entered up against it, the president, Mr. Nevins, being in Europe.

THE WORK

on the Curlew coal property, near DeKoven, is being pressed, a two track slope being driven near the old workings. Considerable trouble has been experienced from black damp, but this was naturally to be expected from the long time the property has been idle.

F. M. BARNARD

is raising a considerable amount of good, clean fluor spar on the Ebbie Hodge property. A steam hoist and steam pump is being installed and a strong output is expected.

THE NANCY HANKS

mine, being exploited by Indiana parties, have reached their ore body at considerable depth and it is reported to be very strong in sulphides of zinc and lead. It is very likely that a second concentrating plant will be installed here in the near future, giving Salem two of the largest separating plants in the state.

THE APPEAL

to the Federal court at Cincinnati from the decision of the U. S. court at Paducah in the Mann carbonate case was decided in favor of the Cleveland people. This places the issue between Mann and Morton as to the validity of the latter's lease, but whether any further litigation will be made over this lease is not known. Mr. Mann stated to THE RECORD the other day that he should wait until September and work it himself and ship the carbonate of which there is quite a tonnage out.

THE BONANZA MINE

of the American Zinc, Lead & Fluor Spar Company is equipped in first class shape for mining, even to an electric light service. It has now been idle for several months, but it is understood that work will be resumed early in September.

THE OVERSTROM TABLES

being installed at the Columbia mine will make a very great saving of concentrates from the jig tailings which heretofore have been carried to the dump. The shipments from the Columbia have been kept at high water mark in both lead and zinc ores from the jigs alone for some time past and now that these tables will add a large per cent. of shipping ore, the tonnage will be largely increased.

SHIM WATSON

of Lola, has an exceedingly fine prospect for zinc carbonate on his home farm.

THE SECOND BOILER

of 200 horse power for the Cullen mining plant at Salem, was unloaded at the depot last week and will be taken to the mine by the two traction engines. The plant complete for the Cullen separating and mining work consists of one 150 horse power engine, two 200 horse power boilers, a revolving dryer, two rock breakers, four sets of Cornish rolls and three batteries of jigs. An air compressor will be installed very soon for mining purposes.

THE WATSON CARBONATE MINE

being operated by Davis, of Lola, and a gentleman from Cleveland, Ohio, will commence shipping their product next week. It is stated that they have some three or four carloads ready.

THE PRINCIPLE OF ALL vanning machines which are being adopted here and elsewhere to prevent losses in the finer crushed material is the same as that of the gold pan namely, separating the heavier mineral from the lighter by gently shaking or vanning the pulp, the mild agitation keeping the particles of the lighter material or rock in suspension while the particles of the heavier mineral sink to the bottom. A constant automatic discharge is accomplished with vanning tables by suspending the table and giving it a horizontal, jerking motion by means of cam, and springs or by eccentrics. The table moves slowly out to the end of the stroke and returns with a jerk which gradually works the heavy mineral or ore which has settled to the bottom of the stream of pulp running over the table, along or across the table in a direction opposite that of the jerk. The concentrates are thus discharged very clean while the tailings pass off with the greater portion of water. The tables in use at the Old Jim mine are of this character as are those being installed at the Columbia mine.

FRESH AIR

may be forced to the bottom of a shaft of moderate depth by setting up funnel shaped ventilators which can be turned to face the wind and connecting them with the shaft bottom by means of pipe or large canvas hose. This is a simple and convenient makeshift to use while sinking uncovered shafts 100 or 200 feet deep.

THE ADVANTAGES

of sinking on the vein is as follows: The value of the deposit is determined as the work progresses.

The course of the vein is known at each point.

The ore body may be explored by drifts in both directions.

It is frequently the case that ore taken out in this development work pays all or part of the expenses.

A STEEL ROPE

for hoisting should be of the best obtainable quality because ropes made from low grades of steel are inferior to good iron ropes. The rule is that the maximum load in pounds that should be allowed on any wire rope is equal to the square of the circumference of the rope in inches multiplied by 600. For example, an iron wire rope whose circumference is 4 1-2 inches would carry a load in pounds as follows: $W = 600 \times 23.25 = 12150$ lb.

THE DIFFICULTIES

met with in separating or rather concentrating our zinc and lead ores from fluor spar or other minerals is mainly a matter of sizing. The difference in specific gravity is great enough as between our ores and their matrix or gangue to separate in first class shape. The specific gravity of galena (lead ore) is 7.5; of black Jack, brown blende, etc., our ores of zinc 3.90, of zinc carbonate 4.4. The associated minerals, fluor spar 3.18, quartz 2.65, calcite 2.72. Thus it will be observed that the difference in specific gravity is ample for separation provided the particles are alike in size.

There is but very little, if any, trouble in separating the light grains of wheat from the main bulk by air because they are of practically the same size but one is much the lighter.

The same rule holds good in ores. Obtain a practically perfect sizing before attempting to concentrate, and the result will be most satisfactory. It would be a practical impossibility not to obtain good results with such a product on almost any class of jigs or tables. Good sizing will do much more good than the most extravagant separating machinery ever devised without it.

LIVINGSTON BANKS

Quarterly Reports Show an Increase in Business.

The quarterly report of the Livingston County Bank at Smithland dated June 30th, show a very prosperous state of affairs. With a capital of \$15000 it has a surplus of \$3000 and undivided profits of nearly \$2500. The loans amount to over \$51000 and the deposits \$40,000.

The Farmers' Bank at Birdsville also publishes its report on the same date. This is practically a new bank having loans of \$22000 and deposits of something over \$16000 with a capital and surplus of nearly \$12,000.

The Salem Bank shows loans of nearly \$42,000 with deposits of 46,000 and a surplus fund of \$1400 with undivided profits of \$1100. Its capital stock is \$16000.

The Citizens' Bank of Carrsville, has loans of \$30,000. Deposits of \$31,000 surplus and undivided profits of \$1200, the capital stock being \$15000. This bank is a new one having been in existence something over twelve months and is a splendid addition to the business enterprises of the town. O. S. Denny is the energetic and obliging cashier and associated with him are capable business men who promise a prosperous business for the institution. A very neat circular got out in the RECORD job department gives the statement showing the resources of the bank at the close of last quarter ending June 30, 1904.

Patent Medicines.

It is not generally known the extent to which alcohol is contained in patent medicines. The Massachusetts State Board of Health has an analysis made of the most extensively advertised preparations with the following results. The figures show the per cent. of alcohol in each:

Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound	20.6
Paine's Celery Compound	21.
Dr. Williams' Vegetable Jaundice Bitters	18.5
Whiskol, "a non-intoxicating stimulant"	28.2
Colden's Liquid Beef Tonic, "recommended for treatment of alcohol habit"	26.5
Ayer's Sarsaparilla	26.2
Thayer's Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla	21.5
Hood's Sarsaparilla	18.6
Allen's Sarsaparilla	13.5
Dana's Sarsaparilla	13.5
Brown's Sarsaparilla	13.5
Peruna	28.5
Vinol, Wine of Cod Liver Oil	18.8
Dr. Peter's Kuriko	14.
Carter's Physical Extract	22.
Hooker's Wignam Tonic	20.7
Hoodland's German Tonic	29.3
Howe's Arabian Tonic, "not a rum drink"	13.2
Jackson's Golden Seal Tonic	19.6
Mensman's Peptonized Beef Tonic	16.5
Parker's Tonic, "purely vegetable"	41.6
Schenck's Seaweed Tonic, "entirely harmless"	19.5
Baxter's Mandrake Bitters	16.5
Baker's Stomach Bitters	42.6
Burdock Blood Bitters	25.2
Greene's Nervura	17.2
Hartshorn's Bitters	22.2
Hoodland's German Bitters	25.6
Hop Bitters	12.
Hostetter's Stomach Bitters	44.3
Kaufman's Sulphur Bitters	20.5
Paritana	22.
Richardson's Concentrated Sherry Wine Bitters	47.5
Warner's Safe Tonic Bitters	35.7
Warren's Bileous Bitters	21.5
Faith Whitcomb's Nerve Bitters	20.3
Beer contains less than five per cent of alcohol.	

Increases in Value.

Ben E. Curry, formerly a resident of Kentucky and living near Blackford, moved to Anniston, Mo., eight or nine years ago. He bought fifty acres of land within two or three miles of Anniston paying therefore less than \$4 per acre. Today and for some time past he has had a standing offer for this fifty acres, of \$2500.

Teachers' Examination.

The following persons were before the board of examiners for teachers' certificates last Friday and Saturday:

Misses Jennie Clement and Mabel Minner and Messrs. R. M. Allen, Chas. Thomas, Elijah Phillips, Kelley Simpson, W. M. Ward, Vernon Fox, J. T. White, W. O. Wicker and J. C. Boaz.

Cumberland Telephones.

The Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company, we understand, are making arrangements to put in a system of local telephone boxes at the village of Mexico on the I. C. railroad. To do this they will have to make connection with the long distance line that connects with this city. The right of way has already been secured.

Marriage License.

John Beaver and Miss Maggie Lewis.

Ewin E. Clark and Miss Lonie D. Crowell.

Thomas A. McAmis and Mrs. Mrs. Mary A. Belt.

The dikes and veins of ores that we have here are very similar to those found in the Rocky Mountain country which includes, of course, the Sierra Madre of the southwest and the mountains of British Columbia.

Just received a new lot Lawns and Organdies. New styles bought at bargain prices, selling them at bargain prices. CLIFTONS.

DEMOCRATIC

NOMINEES.

Sketches of A. B. Parker and H. G. Davis.

SKETCH OF A. B. PARKER.

Alton Brooks Parker was born in Cortland, New York, May 14, 1852. From the public schools of his native town he passed to the Cortland academy and graduated from the Cortland normal school. Afterwards he entered the Albany law school from which he graduated and was admitted to the bar in 1872. He commenced the practice of law in Kingston, and in 1877 became the surrogate of Ulster county, serving in that office until his election to the Supreme court of New York in 1886, and chief justice of that court in 1898.

SKETCH OF H. G. Davis.

Henry Gassaway Davis, of West Virginia, nominated for Vice President, completed in 1883 his second full term in the United States senate. He was born in Howard county, Md., on November 16, 1823. After getting a village school education he went to work on a farm and stuck to that until he was 20 years old.

Then he became a brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. He was promoted to be a conductor and then a division agent, remaining in the railroad business as an employe fourteen years altogether. In 1858 he secured an interest in a coal mine and in the Piedmont national bank, of which he is now president and which is now called the Davis national bank.

He was also until recently president of the West Virginia, Central and Pittsburg railroad, which he projected, and of the Piedmont and Cumberland railroad. His first entrance into politics was in 1865, when he was elected to the Virginia house of delegates. He was a delegate from West Virginia to the Democratic National Convention of 1868 and 1872, the first in New York city and the other in Baltimore. In 1868 he was elected to the state senate of West Virginia and then was re-elected in 1870. In the same year he was elected United States senator from West Virginia to succeed W. T. Wiley, Republican. He was re-elected in 1876 and declined a third term.

He was one of the delegates to the Pan-American congress and a member of the United States intercontinental railroad company. In 1853 Mr. Davis married Miss Kate A. Bantz, daughter of Judge Gideon Bantz, of Frederick, Md.

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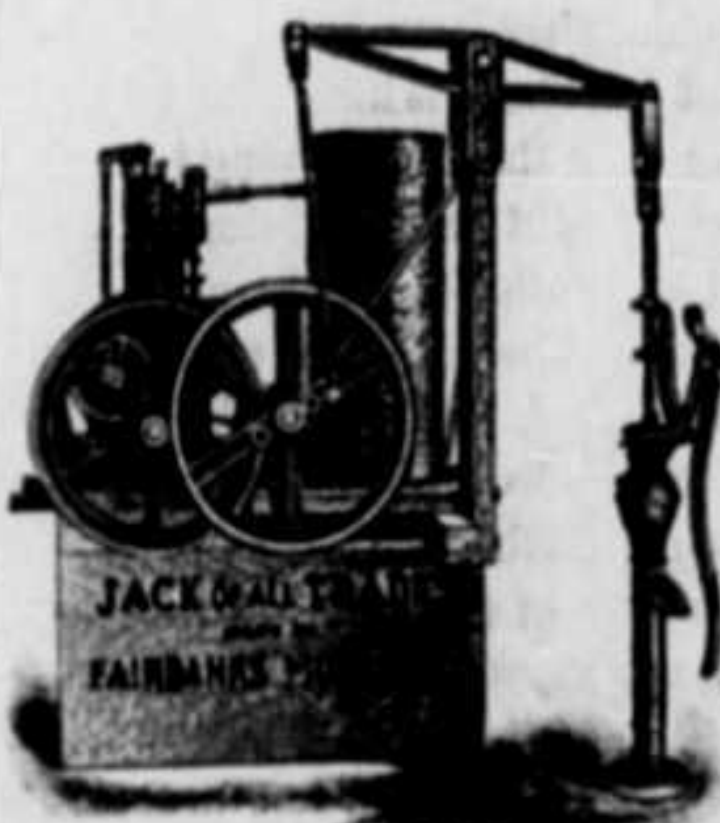
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REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT
THEODORE ROOSEVELT
Of New York.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS
Of Indiana.

The telegram of the Prohibitionists to Bryan to "come" was the "unkindest cut of all."

"Peerless leader" Bryan's conduct at the convention has been described as a strenuous tugging at the halter strap.

It is rumored that 1,200 Tammany braves were transported from New York to St. Louis at a total cost of \$38,000 for the round trip.

It is reported that 200 English soldiers fought 7,000 Tibetans for 24 hours and the result was one man killed. We recommend the Tibetan climate to some of our Kentucky brethren in the mountain counties.

Esopus seems to be a place of prominence since the St. Louis convention, as scarcely a day passes without some political celebrity calling at Rosemont. This will likely be Judge Parker's headquarters as he said to a reporter: "I am going to stay at home."

Russia's Baltic squadron has received sealed orders and again proposes to set sail. If the doughty Admiral preserves all his sealed orders and also all the sailing forth orders his strong chest must be about full.

The dispatches state that Santos-Dumont sailed the other day for France for the purpose of having his air bags repaired. We have searched the exchanges carefully and fail to find where any of the delegates to either of the Chicago or the St. Louis conventions set sail for a similar purpose.

With a Presidential nominee as dead as an oyster, a platform as silent as the grave on the money question and a Vice Presidential candidate that nobody ever heard of, it looks to us as though any sort, kind or character of a Democrat could heartily support the ticket.—Livingston Banner.

It has been heralded abroad from the housetops that Judge Parker did a heroic deed when he sent Beehan the now famous telegram. We think he did a manly thing and that it was a most astute political move, and whether it was hatched by his own brain or not does not matter, but that he has done a heroic deed it is extremely unlikely that the country will agree with his silent admirers. If he had sent word to the convention as soon as he found out that the money question was to be left out of the platform he would certainly have risen to heights of heroic and moral heroism. In this case he would have run some risk of losing the prize for principle's sake.

But he kept silent eighteen hours after he and the whole country knew the money question was to be ignored and before he was nominated. After he had secured the nomination telegrams began to pour in from floods and the eastern press raised such a howl that he rushed to the telegraph office with the now famous dispatch.

Of course it took courage of a sort, but we fail to see any heroism attached thereto because it involved not the slightest risk. Every man in St. Louis knows that there was not one chance in a thousand that the convention would take such action as would compel Judge Parker to step aside and another nominee be placed in his place.

There seems to be a great desire on the part of some Missouri delegate at Jefferson City to C-o-o-k the platform for Joseph W. Folk.

The meat strike, if it continues much longer, will "strike" the people where they will feel it most. A "meat famine" is worse than a "coal famine," from the fact that other fuel will warm, but other "meat" will not meet the demand for meat.

Notwithstanding the fact R. Lee Suter lost his life at Dream Palace fishing lake, and many other things have taken place there, the proprietor, though ordered to close out by the magistrate, continues to remain, though some attempt has been made at moving two tents in four days.

As a contemporary remarks, "Alton Brooks Parker is not the only brook that babbles," but he babbled in time to land the Democratic convention and party right into the middle of the gold standard camp. Its a Comedy of Errors over again with Free Silver Bryan and Gold Standard Hill as star actors. But what do we read between the lines in this mutual agreement? Victory first, principle afterward, office at any price.

In the Illinois contest the Hopkins delegation won out notwithstanding Bryan called them "highwaymen" and "train robbers." This fight was by odds the prettiest in the whole melee. The Kentucky delegation headed by Hon. O. M. James voted with Bryan on this question. They have been criticised for this but there is little doubt but what it was the right thing to do. However, right seldom rules at political conventions. It is generally might. The Hopkins men were certainly Red Indians. Whether this will affect the seats of our Kentucky brethren in the political band wagon of the sage of Esopus we do not know.

THAT TELEGRAM.

There be small things but oft times they are exceeding wise. Not a Republican but can commend Judge Parker for his superior wisdom expressed in that now famous telegram. His regarding the "gold standard as firmly and irrevocably established" is good Republican doctrine and when those words come to the ears of delegates in St. Louis, they too thought it to be the very thing they wanted. Indeed, it is a step forward, but they had to walk over the dead bodies of two political campaigns to realize it.

Experience dearly bought is the best, but it is an established fact that no good thing that the gold standard has brought to the nation is due to any effort of Democracy.

THAT MONEY-PLANK—LESS PLATFORM.

That plank in the Democratic platform which claims, or should claim the greatest public attention is the money plank, although it cannot be read except between the lines in the form of the Parker telegram. The planks appear about as follows:

"Freedom in all things, Capital and labor, Constitutional guarantees, Waterways for retrenchment, Federal government contract with trusts, Executive usurpation, Imperialism, Against high tariff, Want it reduced, Trusts and unlawful combinations, Domestic development, Isthmian canal, American citizenship, Election of U. S. senators, Statehood for territories, Commendation of Polygamy, Merchant marine, Reciprocity, Monroe Doctrine, Pensions for soldiers and sailors, Civil service, School and race question," and concludes with a vomiting tirade on the Roosevelt administration and an appeal to the country for support.

Take it all in all, it is a weak production for brainy men to formulate in forty-eight hours. But the platform is not the only mystery of late.

NEW MAIL ROUTE

Between Salem and Crayneville Not Satisfactory.

A new star route was inaugurated July 1st beginning at Salem, Ky., and running through View on to Crayneville and returning to Salem the same day. Sherrod Hale, of Salem, Ky., was the successful contractor and the price per annum is \$425.

The mail on this route leaves Salem at 9 a. m. and arrives at Crayneville 11.30. Leaves Crayneville at 3:56 p. m. and arrives at Salem at 7.

The working of this route is not very successful owing to the fact that the trains are proverbially behind and the mail carrier who has a very difficult road to traverse dare not wait. And again the facilities for handling the mail at Crayneville are not adequate. When winter comes and the road from Marion to Salem gets well nigh impassible what will be the condition of the road of this new route? We are of the opinion it will be worse.

The question of better mail facilities for Salem and the large number of offices supplied therefrom was up before this route was established and some of the best people in Salem intimate that it was slighted by the Marion people. We think surely not. It might have been overlooked and it may be that the matter was not presented to the proper ones. Be that as it may the bond of common interest between Salem and Marion is such that all should strive for the best interests of each town. There is no conflict in any sense between the towns. If each will remember that there is no town that does not contain trouble breeders and that they form but a small per cent of the sober, industrious, good sense of any community whatever friction may have been caused in the past, if any, will melt away.

And now to the point. Marion wants this route to come here. We are fixed to handle the mail in a way satisfactory to Salem. We need the twice a day communication and Salem needs the mail with out failures. The most prominent business and professional men of Marion voice this sentiment and we think Salem people are ready to do likewise. Let us have two daily mails between Salem and Marion, one leaving each town in the morning and returning in the evening.

Subscriptions Paid.

Our space this week will permit us to give the following names. If you have paid and your name has not yet been given, it will appear later.

We desire to thank you for the liberal patronage you are giving us in this material way.

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H. Hughes,	4-15-'05
Carl Henderson,	7-15-'05
Wyatt Hunt,	7-15-'05
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J. A. Hill,	1-15-'05
J. L. James,	3-15-'05
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H. F. Moore,	7-15-'05
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A. Towery,	2-15-'05
A. H. Travis,	3-15-'05
C. E. Weldon,	2-15-'05
S. E. Walker,	2-15-'05
B. L. Wilburn,	3-15-'05
Andy Walker,	2-15-'05
Mrs. Florence Vandell,	7-15-'05
Jas. A. Henderson,	1-15-'05
G. W. Henderson,	1-15-'05
Marion Henderson, I. T.,	7-15-'05
Mrs. B. F. Copeland, St Louis	1-15-'05
C. W. Haynes, Lexington,	7-15-'05
Homer White, California,	7-15-'05
Mat Dye,	1-15-'05
A. H. Hodges,	3-15-'05
Thos. A. Frazier, Dalton,	7-15-'05
A. G. LaRue, Marion, Ill.	2-15-'05

GENERAL NEWS

Interesting Happenings Told in Brief Paragraphs.

President Roosevelt will make no speeches during the campaign. His position will be made known in his letter of acceptance and notification speech.

The school per capita this year will be about \$3.25. This is the amount decreed now, but some litigation will take place later and it may be it will be more.

Relations between England and Russia are somewhat strained on account of the seizure of the English ship Malacca in the Red Sea laden with 300 tons of provisions for the British at Hong Kong.

General Simon Bolivar Buckner, former governor and confederate soldier, is seriously ill at his home in Hart county. He is suffering from dysentery, and his condition has been critical but it is believed he will recover.

Now that the second grand jury in the Schafer murder case has adjourned without effecting anything, the school teachers of Indiana will take up the case. Among the 16,000 teachers in the state, \$20,000 can be raised.

Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, and Thomas H. Tibbs, of Nebraska, were nominated for President and Vice President by the Populists in National Convention at Springfield. The platform adopted is a reaffirmation of the Omaha platform in 1892.

Pension Commissioner E. F. Ware paid compliments to pension agent A. T. Wood and chief clerk Dr. H. R. Manning, of Kentucky, upon the excellent record made by the local office.

A. W. Maxwell, who managed the Hearst campaign in Iowa, declares in a signed statement that he will bolt the ticket. He says: "The party has been bound, gagged and delivered bodily into the control of the very interest I have been fighting for the past eight years."

Vice presidential candidate Davis will adopt the McKinley form of porch speech making. He will not enter actively into the campaign.

Oom Paul, the President of the late Transvaal Republic, is dead in Switzerland. He will be buried in the country for whose freedom he fought, his own Transvaal.

From all indications the meat strike is going to cause that article to be a rarity. As yet, the end of the trouble is not in sight, although a conference has taken place between packers and strikers in Chicago. Nothing, however, has come of it.

Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.
BELVEY T. CROWELL, etc. Plaintiff
against
MARY F. BARR, etc. Defendant Equity

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1904 in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1904, at 1 o'clock, P. M. or thereafter, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land in Crittenden county, Ky., on the waters of Piney Creek and Tradewater. Beginning at a fallen white oak on the bank of Piney Creek with its meanders S 84 1/2 E 11 poles S 24 1/2 E 11 S 16 E 12 S 40 E 21 poles, N 82 1/2 E 4 poles, N 37 1/2 E 24 poles, N 58 E 8 poles, N 49 E 24 poles, N 15 1/2 E 4 poles to a stake at the west end of the bridge on said creek as a corner to lot No. 1 in the division of said land in the Weston road, thence with line of said lot No. 1 and with said road N 56 1/2 W 24 poles, thence N 30 W 12 1/2 poles to a stake in road, corner to lot No. 1, eight-tenths of a pole from a water oak marked as a pointer, on leaving from stake S 85 E thence with line of lot No. 1 N 15 E 92 poles to a stake on the bank of Tradewater river, thence down said river N 76 W 24 poles, N 204 W 20 poles N 11 W 24 S 31 W 12 S 54 1/2 W 20 poles, S 33 W 8 poles, S 94 W 24 S 31 W 12 S 54 1/2 W 16 poles, S 85 W 36 S 77 W 28 poles to a gum on the bank of said river thence E 120 poles to the beginning, containing 153 acres by survey, this being the same tract of land owned by James L. Crowell at the time of his death, except so much as was heretofore conveyed to Price Reynolds.

For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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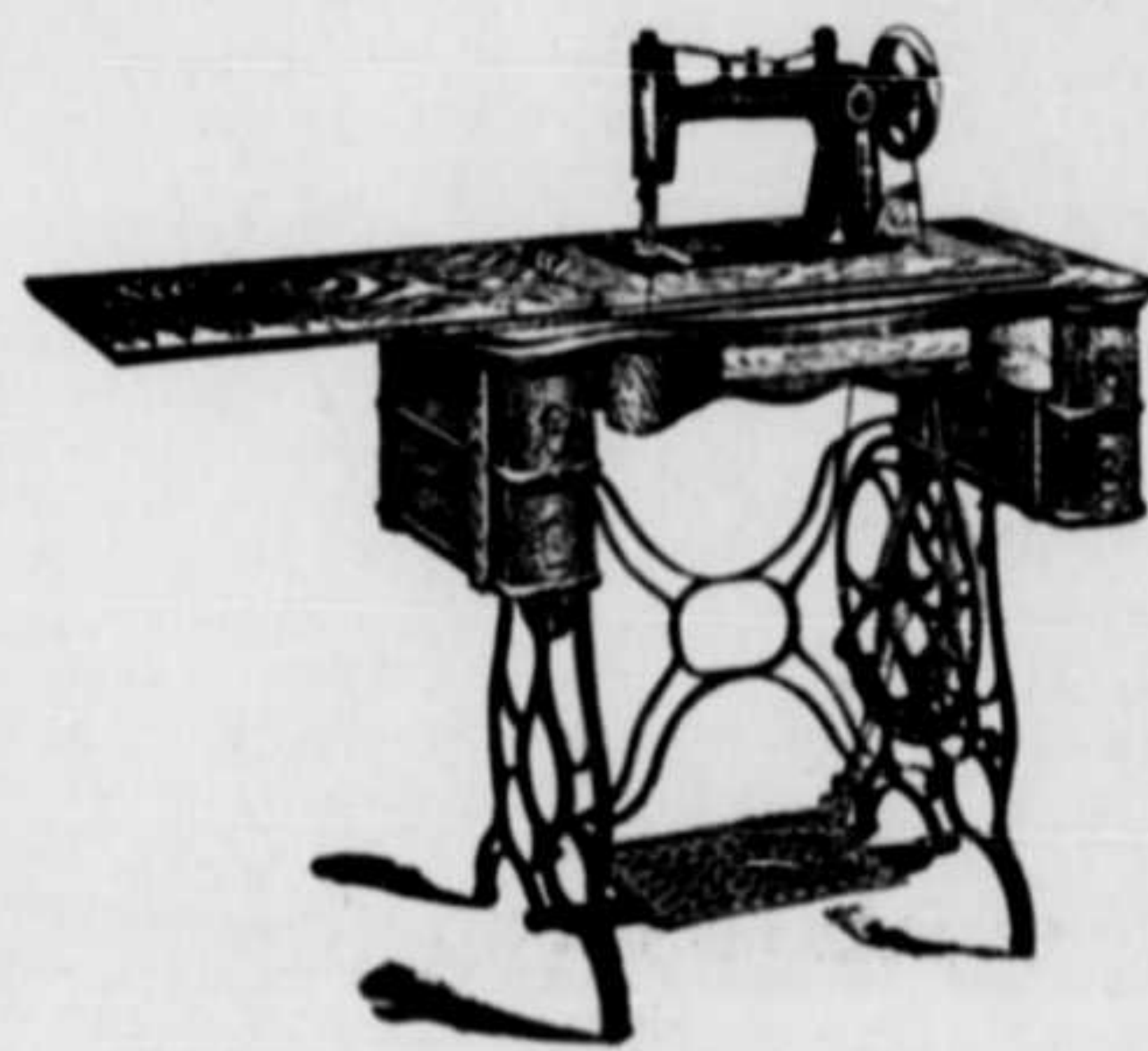
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SHADY GROVE.

Wheat is turning out much better than expected. R. R. Tudor and J. M. Brown made about 500 bushels each.

Will Bell, of Providence, visited his parents here Sunday.

Mrs. K. Tudor is very sick with flux.

Miss Fannie Joyce is visiting her sister of Creswell this week.

Mr. Hodges, of Crayneville, visited his son, Dr. W. N. Hodges, this week.

Rev. Roland filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Our old marshal, W. G. Williamson, of Sturgis, was in town Wednesday.

JOY.

Crops are looking fine.

Health generally good.

Prayer meeting and singing at Bethel every Saturday night. Good interest manifested.

Miss Frances Seignor will teach the Oak Grove school this fall and winter.

Mrs. Jennie Hobbs, of Carbondale, Ill., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Tom Smock.

Tom Seignor is doing considerable improvement on his dwelling.

Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland's two smallest children are very sick with flux.

Sherman Rushing talks of improving his dwelling this summer, while Nim Shouse will build a new house.

William Matew, formerly of this place, was shot and killed in Missouri, last week, by Wm. Lyles, the particulars of which we have not learned.

At the storming of Port Arthur it is reported that the Japanese lost 25,000 men while Russia only lost 5,500. A further report says that General Kuropatkin commands his men in person and that a decisive battle is being fought.

President Loubert, of France, has conferred the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor upon Secretary of State, John Hay because of his signal success in the conduct of foreign affairs within the last five years. This grade is conferred upon persons only whom the French government desires to signify

LOCAL BREVITIES

R. J. Morris, Dentist, Marion.
E. H. James, of Evansville, is in the city.
Joe Park, of Salem, was in town Tuesday.
Editor Jas. E. Chittenden is in Hopkinsville.
J. L. Clifton is visiting relatives in Dycusburg.
Rev. Eli Eaton, of Salem, was in town Monday.
S. M. Jenkins returned from St. Louis Monday.
Miss Beana Hill is visiting relatives in the city.
Dr. Grassham, of Salem, was here Wednesday.
Fate Alley, of Salem, was in the city Wednesday.
Jonathan Belt, of Lola, was in town Wednesday.
Squire Ainsworth, of Irma, was in town Tuesday.
P. K. Cooksey, of Dycusburg, was here Wednesday.
Sam Gugenheim returned from the World's Fair Tuesday.
Owen Boaz went to Hopkinsville Tuesday to sell his tobacco.
Every day this week the Sisco trial has been well attended.
Rev. J. S. Henry will preach at Piney Creek the fifth Sunday.
N. P. Pittillo, of Livingston county, was in town Monday.
E. D. Hill, of Hopkins county, visited J. W. Givens this week.
Attorney Ward Headley, of Princeton, attended court this week.
Chas. J. Haury will occupy J. B. Hughes' new residence on Walker street.
J. B. Hughes' residence on Walker street, is nearing completion.
Mrs. E. G. Kimpton and children of Chicago, returned home on Saturday.
Dr. W. F. Gardner, of Sheridan, came up to hear the speaking in the Sisco case.
G. E. Grissom will erect a residence in O'Bryan's edition to the city of Marion.
Albert Weldon, of Tolu, spent several days in the city this week visiting relatives.
The fly season is still on. Special prices on screens.
BOSTON & PARIS.
Rev. J. S. Henry who has been suffering from inflammatory rheumatism for several weeks, is able to be out.
Messrs L. P. Mitchell and Presley Williams, two enterprising merchants of Lola, were in town Wednesday.
H. C. Moore and family, of Hopkinsville, were the guests of relatives in and around Marion the first of the week.
WANTED—A good horse to take care of, feed well, for its use. Riding or driving. Light work. Apply at Record office.
Joel A. Farmer is at Buffalo, Ky. looking after the mining interests of the Trigg County Lead, Zinc and Fluor Spar Company.
George P. Roberts and John Harpending were absent most of the week locating ore bearing land along the banks of the Ohio river.
Our stock of hand painted china was never larger or more attractive. You are welcome to see.
Levi Cook, Jeweler.
J. F. O'Neal, of Iron Hill, was in town Wednesday. He was thrown from a buggy two weeks ago and received very painful injuries, but is now improving.
Every patron of the postoffice has missed the smiling face of our efficient assistant postmaster, Miss Leaffa Wilborn, who is the guest of friends in Leitchfield.
Dr. J. J. Clark, of Millburn, I. T. the guest of his numerous friends and relatives in this city. He is well pleased with his new home and enjoying splendid practice in his profession.

A little child of John Tharp's is very ill.
Senator W. J. Deboe returned from Louisville Wednesday.
R. J. Morris, Dentist. Office over Marion Bank, Marion, Ky.
Mayor J. W. Blue and children are attending the World's Fair this week.
J. A. McCormick and wife, of Starr, were shopping in town Wednesday.
A. L. Mosely, of Calhoun, was in the city the first of the week on business.
Mrs. Carrie Thomas, of this city, who has been absent some time, is again here.
Jas. Henry, who has been sick for a few days, is reported to be improving.
Mrs. H. F. Morris, of this city, is visiting her mother at Lola, who is seriously ill.
J. M. Persons was in Princeton Tuesday looking after mineral prospects near there.
Born—to the wife of Sellies Holleman near the city Saturday, July 16, a ten pound girl.
Mrs. J. H. May, of Gas City, Ind. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lon Johnson, of this city.
Dr. W. J. J. Paris, of Cave-in-Rock, was in town the first of the week attending court.
Mrs. Mollie McNeely and daughter, Miss Pearl, of Starr, visited Mrs. Jennings Wednesday.
Mr. Minner is carrying the Tolu mail this week instead of the regular mail man, J. J. Thomas.
Miss Ruby Castleberry, of Princeton, who has been visiting friends here returned home Monday.
H. W. Stevens, of Lebanon, Tenn., is in town this week in the interest of Cumberland University.
Mrs. W. H. Watson and sister, of Livingston county, arrived in the city Wednesday to spend a few days.
Miss Cordie Shayer, an accomplished young lady of Hopkinsville, is the guest of friends and relatives at Kelsey.
E. E. and W. C. Walker, of this city went to Mayfield Tuesday where they will be employed at the carpenter's trade.
Miss Jessie Glenn, who has been the guest of W. T. McConnell's family, returned to her home in Eddyville Tuesday.
Roy Gilbert says the only mistake made in the report of his nap in last issue was that he retired at 12 o'clock instead of 1, making an additional hour.
If you don't own a watch or would like a better one than you have, the variety and beauty of the time keepers in our display and their attractive prices ought to induce you to come and see them.
Levi Cook, Jeweler.
The Kentucky Federation of Catholic societies will meet in Louisville next Sunday, July 24. Delegates to the national convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies will be selected and other important business transacted.
The CHITTENDEN RECORD is now being printed under difficulties. We have not yet received and installed our large press, and until we do it will not be practicable for us to give market reports. We are informed by headquarters that our press will doubtless reach us in time to be installed before next issue after which we will run these reports and we will be enabled to improve the RECORD in many ways.
The dinner given the Roberts-Shelby wedding party by Mrs. D.C. Roberts on Friday was one of the pleasant social events of last week. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wilson, Dr. R. J. Morris, Mrs. John Tonkin, H. H. Sayre and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Roberts.
A lawn photograph of the entire group was made by Stewart & Ringo, just before the dinner announcement.

Mrs. Dave Woods is visiting her son, D. E. Woods at Decatur, Ill.
Miss Esther Fink, of Evansville, Ind., is the guest of Miss Carrie Moore.
Miss Emma Ainsworth, of Irma, is visiting her brother, Julian, in this city.
R. S. Heath, one of the counties' oldest inhabitants, of near Weston, was here Tuesday.
Mrs. Sam H. Crowell and children, of Henderson, are the guests of H. M. Cook and family.
Prof. Evans left Sunday night for Madisonville, where he instructs the Teachers' Institute of that county.
C. B. Hina, of Tolu, has accepted a position as clerk with the Marion Hardware Company. He began work Monday.
Miss Ida Lou Ramage, of Dycusburg, who has been the guest of the family of S. H. Ramage, of this city, returned home Tuesday.
Miss Annalyza Johnson has returned from Los Angeles, California, where she spent the winter with the family of R. B. Dorr.
Messrs. Jennings and Braswell, contractors, have about completed the new post office and office building. They have had much difficulty in securing timbers on account of rains. The building is an ornament to the town.
H. V. Stone and family, who left here last fall to locate at Pomona, Cal., returned last week and will remain here. Mr. Stone was formerly in the dry goods business at this place with W. T. McConnell.
The stock of the Moore & Paris Lumber Co., added to that of J. N. Boston, gives us the largest stock of Lumber, Doors and Sash in Western Kentucky. BOSTON & PARIS.
On page 3 of this issue we published a clipping from one of our exchanges which purports to give the percentage of alcohol contained in various patent medicines. It may be correct and it may not, we will not vouch for that.
Responsible parties in this city desire to obtain a loan of \$18,000 at rate of 6 per cent interest, on ten years time. Money to be repaid in yearly installments after first year. Will furnish ample real estate security. For particulars send your inquiry to THE RECORD, Marion, Ky.
A portion of the evening service of the Episcopal Church was read on Monday evening at the C.P. church. The sermon illustrating the fatherhood of God, by Rev. Mr. Benton, of Louisville, was listened to by a very attentive congregation. A choir of ladies with Miss Woods as organist rendered the music in exceedingly fine form.
Repairing watches here receives the careful attention it deserves. No matter how delicate or expensive a movement you may have you can leave it to be repaired or cleaned, with full assurance that the work will be done in the most skillful manner possible.
Levi Cook, Jeweler.
WITH THE CHURCHES.
Rev. J. F. Price preached at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday morning, his theme being "Christian Perfection."
Sunday night union services were held at the Presbyterian church, Rev. Price in the pulpit. His theme was the "Class of Christ."
Rev. T. V. Joiner preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening.
Rev. S. J. Martin preached Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church. His text was Malachi 3:17, his theme being "Shining Jewels."
Rev. T. A. Conway, of Baptist church, preached Sunday morning at Rock Springs, Webster county, and evening at Wheatcroft, having large congregations at both places.
Services at the Christian church were conducted by Elder H. A. McDonald. The lesson at 11 a. m. was the 53rd Psalm.

A TREAT QUITE EXTRAORDINARY

Was the Affair Given by Miss Moore in Honor of Miss Fink.

Tuesday evening at the elegant home of Mr. A. C. Moore in East Marion, Miss Carrie Moore entertained in honor of her visitor, Miss Esther Fink, of Evansville.
A prettier or more enjoyable entertainment has never been given in Marion. The beautiful lawn was tastefully hung with numerous Japanese lanterns, with chairs and settees so arranged just to make everyone happy.
Early in the evening the choicest of fruit ices were served while the guests were arriving. When all invited had assembled, they were asked by the charming hostess to take a part in some unique contests, the first being a Peanut contest, which was novel indeed and furnished much amusement. The prize was won by Miss Byrd McNeely.
The Chocolate Drop contest next engaged in was highly enjoyable. Mr. J. B. Champion and Miss Della Barnes claiming a tie in this, they contested alone, Miss Barnes winning the prize.
The most unique of all, perhaps, was the Telegram contest. It not only called forth much mirth, but for the exercise of that invisible something we call mind. The vote was in favor of Miss Lily Doss, who won the prize, a beautiful scarf pin.
Halves of quotations were then given each boy and girl and the ones that matched were to be partners for refreshments. The couples were ushered into the dining-room, which was beautifully decorated, pink, green and white being the color scheme. The highly-polished table had on it an embroidered carnation doily and a vase of ferns, pink and white carnations. From each corner of the table pink and green ribbons were placed, meeting in a bow over the shaded electric light. Asparagus was very prominent in the wall and curtain decorations. The guests were served with brick sherbet and cream and delightful cakes. The couples then adjourned to the parlor, each receiving a carnation as a favor.
After some music the young people bade their lovely hostess and her fair visitor "good-night."
Those who were so fortunate in sharing the favors of Miss Moore were Miss Esther Fink, Misses Fanny and Kitty Gray, Della Barnes, Lily Doss, Mabel Guess, Miss Lily Cook, of Paducah, Miss Virgie Nunn, of Frankfort, Byrd McNeely, Elba Pickens, Margaret and Daisy Towery. Messrs. R. J. Morris, Rob Cook, Creed Taylor, Healy Cochran, J. B. and Thos. W. Champion, Alvis Stephens, Kearney Blue, Henry Haynes, Gordon Hall, of Madisonville, and Trice Bennett.
Juvenile Parties.
Wednesday afternoon from three to five o'clock, Miss Hazel Pollard entertained her young friends, it being her tenth anniversary. Refreshments and delicacies were served. Numerous amusing games were indulged in and the juveniles spent a pleasant afternoon. Those present were:
Ruth Hearin Edna Schoolcraft
Anna Haynes Susie Boston
Mable Butler Jessie Croft
Mamie Haynes Ora Loyd
Ruth Croft Mildred Bourland
Lucile Pollard Catherine Kittinger
Geneva Daniel Ora Ramage
Mason Givens Paul Ray Metz
Auborn Foster Ralph Cassey
Harvey Babb
Each guest presented the young hostess with a present.
Little Miss Elizabeth Cook entertained her little friends Tuesday afternoon from three to five at the residence of her grandfather, Judge Moore. After enjoying many interesting games on the lawn, the children were invited into the dining-room where delightful refreshments were served. All had a very pleas-

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ant time and found Miss Elizabeth to be a delightful entertainer.
The following were present:
Madeline Jenkins, Mary Lambert Cromwell, Rebecca Cromwell, Margaret Tonkin, Virginia Flanary, Miriam Pierce, Ruth Moore, Ruth Haynes, Mamie Love, Catherine Moore, Davie DeWitt Carter, Mattie Willborn, Fannie Moore, Louise Doss, Addie Carter, Cook Cromwell, Homer, Neville, Owen, Harry and Newton Moore.
A GREEN WEDDING.
Amid the Rustling of the Corn Stalks the Ceremony Was Completed.
THE SWEET YOUNG BRIDE.
Special to THE RECORD:
Cornland, July 23.—This has been a gala week in our higher social circles. Two of our best known young people were married on Monday and the festivities have been kept up all of the week. The ground is full of the relatives and friends of the handsome young couple who commence married life so auspiciously. Growing up in the same neighborhood, young Mr. Flint Corn and Miss Sweet Corn were betrothed in the early spring, the wedding being announced for the Roasting Ear season. White Flint gave the bride away, and two charming cousins, Miss Sugar Corn and Master Pop Corn, carried the bride's train. Some little difficulty was apprehended from old Yellow

Corn, who insisted that he was a near relative and demanded recognition from the bridal party, but the color line was drawn sharply, three yellow kernels being sufficient to exclude, and old Yellow was sent to the stable. The festivities will close with a grand banquet this evening, at which the following out of town relatives will participate: Messrs. Hominy, Samp, Brown Bread, Corn Cake, Bourbon Whiskey; Mesdames Glucose, Corn Syrup, Red Ears, Cornflower, Sugar Corn.
In Memory.
The following poetry written by a friend in memory of little Maurice Love:
As we think about our little darling
Sleeping in his narrow bed,
Oh, he's faded like the flowers,
He's now lying cold and dead.
The Savior called our darling home
To live with angels fair
Where'll we meet and greet our own
Just beside the golden stair.
In our lonely room we sit
As we silently and sadly weep
Thinking of our precious baby
Wrapped in Death's cold, long sleep.
We gather up the little playthings
Wet with bitter tears,
Think of how we'll miss little Maurice
In the coming dreary years.
"Put away the little dresses
That our darling use to wear
For he'll need them on earth never
He has climbed the golden stair."
We hope some day to see his face
In realms of eternal bliss
How happy will that meeting be
In a brighter world than this.
Missouri hams and lard, the best on the market. J. W. GOODLOE.

Sheriff's Sale For Taxes!

By virtue of taxes due the county of Crittenden and J. W. Lamb, S. C. C. for the year 1903, 1 or one of my deputies, will, on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 2 o'clock, p. m., at the court house door in Marion, in Crittenden county, Kentucky, expose to PUBLIC SALE, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of taxes due aforesaid and costs) to wit:

Adams, Sandy R, lot in Marion, tax 1903 and costs \$22.75
Clark, Jos J, 15 a near P S Maxwell, tax '03 and costs 49.75
Crowe, Mrs Carrie, lot in Marion tax '03 and costs 13.10
Griffith, Aaron F, lot in Marion tax '03 and costs 11.95
Hammond, Given G, 1 a near R W Wilson, tax '02-'03 and costs 5.45
Henry, James, lot in Marion, tax '03 and costs 27.15
Hill, Henry O, 60 a near C C Woodall, tax '03 and costs 9.50
Holoman, Henry, 50a near C M Rorer, tax '03 and costs 7.15
Hurst, Joseph, 140 a near Joe Howell, tax '03 and costs 21.25
Long, Jas S, 80 a near Rob't Fritts, tax '03 and costs 7.70
Slayton, Gronville, 1 lot in Marion, bal tax '03 and costs 6.15
Smith, Mrs Poll A, 21-2a near M H Weldon, tax '03 & costs 2.90
Wright, Alfred, 140 a near R W Wilson, tax '03 and costs 16.85
Russell, Gervas M, 30 a near Bud Turman, tax '03 and costs 4.50
Young, Obe S, 1 lot in Marion, tax 02-03 and costs 5.45
Sisco, Geo M, 190 a near Wm Fowler, tax 03 and costs 14.65
Elder, Mrs Birdie, 30 a near Jno Reed, tax 03 and costs 5.55
Dorris & Duncan, 124 a near Jno Floyd, tax 03 and costs 6.75
Baker, Jacob A, 38 a near J B McNeely, tax 03 and costs 6.00
Cain, Wm D, 135 a near Wm Johnson, bal tax 03 & costs 10.00
Conger Jos M, 33 a near Mrs F P Crayne, tax 03 and costs 6.00
Corley, W T, 1 a near Jno Wilson, tax 03 and costs 4.20
Cruce & Nunn, 1 lot in Marion, tax 03 and costs 2.60
Fox, Henry B, 21-2 a near T T Rowland, 03 tax and costs 4.85
Gass, Rachel B, 87 a near Pit Gass, 03 tax and costs 6.15
Harris, Jas F, 10 a near J H Thomason, 03 tax and costs 4.80
Henry, Sml N, 1 lot in Marion, 03 tax and costs 11.65
Hill, Robt N, 120a near A Woodall, 03 tax and costs 14.10
Hill, Corlis L, 60 a near Frank Travis, 03 tax and costs 9.65
Hill, E Porter, 30 a near T J Yandell, 03 tax and costs 8.80
Howerton, Richard L, 50 a near Wm Duvall, 03 tax & cost 4.40
Howerton, Rachel C, 150 a near Wm Duvall, 03 tax & cost 11.45
Howerton, Mrs Nina, 1 lot in Marion, 03 tax and costs 21.55
Hunt, Isaac Y, 100 a near Joe Hunt, 03 tax and cost 6.60
Morgan, Mrs Docia, 1 lot in Marion, 03 tax and cost 6.70
Moss, Wm S, 175 a near G W Cruce, 03 tax and costs 27.75
McCaslin, Jas P, 68 a near H P Jacobs, 03 tax and cost 9.05
Rowland, Jas J, 57 a near T R Rowland, 03 tax and costs 7.75
Shinall, Thos H, 100 a near W C Crayne, 03 tax and cost 5.70
Spurr, Isaac D, 50 a near Sam Hunt, bal 03 tax and cost 2.75
Stephens, Jas E, 160 a near Joe Samuels, 03 tax and cost 25.95
Thomason, Jas A, 140 a near J H Thomason, 03 tax and cost 8.70
Thomason, Jno H, 175 a near Dock Woodall, 03 tax & cost 15.35
Travis, Thos G, 175 a near A G Hunt, 03 tax and cost 14.90
Tucker, Mrs Cynthia L, 1 lot in Marion, 03 tax and cost 4.35
Woodall, Sherman, 135 a near W A Woodall, 03 tax & costs 21.85
Hillyard, Frank M, 114 a near Henry Paris, 03 tax & cost 12.60
Young, Jno H, 200 a near H Hughes, 03 tax and cost 21.10
Armstrong, Mary J, 68 a near P K Cooksey, 03 tax and cost 5.40
Bennett, Robt G, 5 a near Henry Rice, 03 tax and costs 5.55
Brasher, Jas T, 60 a near Mrs M A Hamby, 03 tax and cost 5.55
Brasher, J H, 11-4 a near Wm Mayes, 03 tax and cost 4.10
Davenport, Saml H 1 lot in Mexico, 03 tax and cost 4.80
Fletcher, Jas W, 1 lot in Mexico 02-03 tax and cost 4.10
Hopson, Mrs Martha, 1 lot in Mexico, 03 tax and cost 3.45
Myers, Jas W, 40 a near Frank Taber, 03 tax and cost 5.05
Nichols, Wm R, 191-2 a near Mary Bennett, 03 tax & cost 5.55
Travis, Wm L, 107 a near Wm Redd, 03 tax and cost 7.25
Barnes, Sue W 21-2 lots in Dycusburg, 03 tax and cost 3.45

Brown, Jas W, 3 lots in Dycusburg, 03 tax and cost 8.40
Graves, Dr W S, 1 lot in Dycusburg, 03 tax and cost 28.45
Duncan, Wm J, 96 a near John Dodge, 03 tax and cost 6.50
O'Hara, M C, 200 a near Lewis Bros, 03 tax and costs 23.75
Barnett & Threlkeld, 1 lot in Tolu, 03 tax and costs 7.25
Bettis, P E J, 100 a near R A Thomas, 03 tax and cost 10.85
Bozeman, Chas J, 1 lot in Tolu, 03 tax and cost 7.10
Dalton, Thos H, 20 a near W L Dalton, 03 tax and cost 4.60
Daniels, Chas G, 335 a near Wm Barnett, 03 tax and cost 36.05
Drake, Mrs. Maria F, 65 a near Thos Stone, 03 tax & cost 13.85
Funkhouser, J Clinton, 334 a near S S Sullenger, 03 tax & cost 33.60
Gillespie, Thos B, 1 lot in Tolu, 03 tax and cost 6.95
Hurley, W M, 60 a near Geo Moore, 03 tax and cost 12.20
Marks, Saml A, lot in Tolu, 03 tax and costs 6.45
Miles, Phin, 68 a near T T Barnett, 03 tax and cost 7.70
Miller, Mrs Sarah E, 62 a near J Snyder, 03 tax and cost 7.00
Moore, Mrs Frances M, 96 a near I W Thompson, 03 tax and cost 6.35
Mayers, Wm C, 55 a near Geo H Croft, 03 tax and cost 5.55
McAmis, Thos A, lot in Tolu, 03 tax and cost 15.50
McDaniel, Jno D, 42 a near Jno Raglin, 03 tax and cost 6.50
Cranduff, Mrs Catharine, 15 a near w w millikan, 03 tax & cost 2.50
Perry, Mrs Mary A, 111-8 a near S C Smith, 03 tax and cost 2.50
Ryan, Mrs Martha C, 50 a near H C Truitt, 03 tax and cost 8.80
Stallion, Noah E, 26 a near M F Enoch, 03 tax and cost 4.80
Stone, Daniel W, lot in Tolu, 03 tax and cost 10.35
Tinsley, Richard G, 361-2 a near Jno Rogers, 03 tax and cost 7.10
Truitt, Henry C, 60 a near Mrs M C Ryan, 03 tax and cost 7.50
Young, Hutchison, agt Mrs belt lot in Tolu, 03 tax & cost 4.70
Foley, Jesse D, 190 a near J E Sullenger, 03 tax and cost 11.65
Belt, Mrs Sarah E, 15 a near Jno A Robertson, 03 tax and cost 2.50
Crowell, Jno R, lot in Weston, 03 tax and cost 4.30
Crowell, Mrs Amanda J, lot in Weston, 03 tax and cost 2.50
Fowler, Mrs Florence, 59 a near F Fowler, 03 tax and cost 11.65
Holman, Wm T 427 a near R L Rankin, 03 tax and cost 26.65
Hughes, Roe, agt Mrs Lambert lot in Weston, 03 tax and cost 2.75
Hughes, Roe, agt Rollins heirs, lot in weston, 03 tax and cost 4.40
Lynn, Richard M, 6 a near L A weldon, 03 tax and cost 4.65
Moore, Jas B B, 40 a near Mrs mott, 03 tax and cost 5.10
Travis, Chris C E, lot in weston 03 tax and cost 5.05
Watson, Frank E, 50 a near Wm Orr, 03 tax and cost 11.45
Williams, Daniel E, 207 a near wathen Bros, 03 tax & costs 42.15
Williams, Thos 180 a near Joe Kirk, 03 tax and cost 18.95
Winders, Nancy J, 51 a near B Banger, 03 tax and cost 4.95
Brightman, Wm A, 56 a near Kate Berry, 03 tax & cost 7.00
Brightman heirs 17 a near Sam Brightman, 03 tax and cost 2.85
Carson, Mort 75 a near Willie Lamb, 03 tax and cost 3.50
Cridler, John D, 85 a near m Gahagan, 03 tax and cost 19.75
Hughes, Nancy B, 33 a near H O'Neal, 03 tax and cost 2.70
McKinley, Don R, 30 a near Joe Brantley, 03 tax and cost 4.30
McKinley, Mrs Rebecca 30 a near Ed Brantley, 03 tax & cost 3.50
Plumlee, Wm B 30 a near E L Nunn, 03 tax and cost 5.10
Sullivan, Mary J 120 a near wathen Brantley, 03 tax & cost 12.90
Vick, Jno F, 200 a near W G Bird, 03 tax and cost 12.05
Posey, F B 300 a near Nunnus Sw 03 tax and cost 21.30
Reiter, Mrs Carrie L, 28 a near S Newcom, 03 tax & cost 2.60
Nunn, Ira, deed, 50 a near Dr Franklin, 03 tax and cost 4.45
Nunn, S and F, 22 a near Smith Newcom, 03 tax and cost 2.45
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Davis, Jno K, 120 a near I. J. McConnell, 03 tax and cost 7.50
Fralick, Lindsey E, 13 a near T J Fralick, 03 tax and cost 4.10
Fralick, Thos J, 120 a near Wm Porter, 03 tax and cost 7.50
Hodges, Robt, 75 a near Hodge McConnell, 03 tax and cost 6.50
Hubbard, Jas M, 50 a near J N Towery, 02-03 tax and cost 7.25
Johnson, Sophia M, 90 a near Jno Ford, 03 tax and cost 5.50
Johnson, Geo W, 50 a near Tat martin, 03 tax and cost 8.45
Kemp, W S, Jr 110 a near Dock martin, 03 tax and cost 12.55
Martin, Jno W, 27 1-2 a near T martin, 03 tax and cost 6.25

McConnell, Dr J D, 65 a near J Clayton, 03 tax and cost 15.75
McDowell, J K O, 77 a near H Wilson, 03 tax and cost 6.95
Pickens, Wm T, 136 a near J F Canada, 03 tax and cost 8.85
Riggs, Mary A, 140 a near Fred Casner, 03 tax and cost 11.65
Stephenson, G A, 5 a near G W Tash, 03 tax and cost 2.45
Towery, S C, 1 lot in Shady Gv, 03 tax and cost 46.85
Truitt, Janie, 90 a near George Lamb, 03 tax and cost 6.85
Yost, Dr E R, lot in Shady Gv, 03 tax and cost 10.30
Baldwin & Cruce, 120 a near E Johnson, bal 03 tax & cost 2.85
Cruce, Richards, col, lot in Marion, 03 tax and costs 5.35
Fowler, Mary, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 3.20
Hamilton, Giles, col, lot in marion, 02-03 tax and cost 5.35
Johnson, Phillip, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 7.10
Lee, Harriet, col, lot in marion, 02-03 tax and cost 5.45
Rollins, Neal, col, 1 a near Sol Worthen, 03 tax and cost 4.70
Smith, Netter, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 7.00
Waddell, Louisa, col, lot in marion, bal 03 tax and cost 3.20
Wheeler, R H, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 3.90
Wilson, M S, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 4.20
Woods, R H, col; lot in marion 02-03 tax and cost 6.45
Canterbury, matilda, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 4.95
Level, Frank, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 4.75
Hawkins, T G, col, 4 1-2 a near C C Crayne, 03 tax & cost 4.20
Hughes, Bural, col, 1-2 a near B Wilson, 03 tax and cost 4.35
Pickens, Prince, col, 140 a near E Turk, 03 tax and cost 11.85
White, J A, col, 65 a near Paul Paris, 02-03 tax and cost 15.70
Chipp, mica, col, 25 a near J J Croft, 03 tax and cost 2.75
Saucer, J Q A, col, 149 a near F Wallace, 03 tax & cost 12.30
Hughes, R, col, 135 a near Tom Lamb, 03 tax and cost 9.15
Hughes, H, col, 25 a near Robt Hughes, 03 tax and cost 4.10
Johnson, H, col, 25 a near Bill Tucker, 03 tax and cost 4.60
Spencer, S N, col, 25 a near Bill Tucker, 03 tax and cost 4.75
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Green, H C, 35 a near T C Campbell, 03 tax and cost 6.05
Manns, J D, 45 a near E Gregory 03 tax and cost 11.80
Givens, H D, 3 a near W S Jones 03 tax and cost 3.25
Doles, E L, 10 a near S James, 03 tax and cost 13.05
Brown, Mrs S D, lot in Dycusburg, 03 tax and cost 7.75
Bell, Jas R, 109 a near Carr Land 03 tax and cost 11.65
Ellington, Louisa, 80 a near P Stewart, 03 tax and cost 4.95
Farmer, Mrs H, 50 a near J H Hughes, 03 tax and cost 4.00
Hall, Mrs Sallie, 50 a near Widow Boaz, 03 tax and costs 3.50
Kirk, Jacob S, 46 a near marion Wring, 03 tax and cost 5.60
McCain, Thos, col, 1 a near Jas Brice, 03 tax and cost 4.20
Manns, Mrs F, 4 a near Jas Brice 03 tax and cost 5.50
Paris, Henry C, 116 a near Geo Williams, 03 tax and cost 11.90
Woods, Rosa B, col, lot in marion, 03 tax and cost 4.95
Woods, Doe, col, 25 a near N saynard, 03 tax and cost 3.25
Burton Ford heirs, 80 a near J E Dean, 03 tax and cost 6.85
Stanton, W L, lot in Tolu, 03 tax and cost 4.45
Mansfield, Eliza, col, land near Dycusburg, 03 tax & cost 3.45
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OBJECTS OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Mental and Moral Education the Fundamental Purpose of Most Organizations.

The work of the woman's club is threefold: to educate its members mentally and morally; to create public opinion; to secure better conditions of life. Its worth, personal and social, is in proportion to its effectiveness in securing these ends, writes Mrs. Martha E. D. White, in Atlantic.

The first clubs were study clubs; with them are in some degree study clubs, the culture idea having been the most tenacious. The early club, and the parlor club of to-day, would frequently devote a season to the study of one book, or one author, or some theory of economics or epoch in history. Their study may not have been either profound or judiciously chosen, but the woman herself really believed in it, and was being as studious as she could be easily.

The club members of long ago did not bring ponderous dignity with them to their meetings. They were gay, girlish, and it may be frivolous. Their programmes and calendars reveal a schoolgirl's indifference to the decorous habits of an older society. Happily there are still sections of our country where the president appears in the year book as "Mrs. Bob," or "Mrs. Mayme," and the recording secretary naively writes herself "Mrs. Katie," where the "Clio club" devotes the season to the study of "Robert Louis Stevenson and of Nature," where "Browning clubs" read "Shakespeare and magazines," and a "Current Events Class" studies "the Bible."

Keeping Up European Armies.
Conscription as it is now practiced in Europe is a modern development of the Roman military system, and while it has been adopted in one or another form by all, it has reached its most drastic shape in France and Germany. It was the terrible power of conscription that enabled Napoleon to carry on the gigantic wars which placed all Europe at his feet. Prussia's ingenuity in evading the hard conditions imposed upon her in the treaty of Tilsit, by adopting the "short-term and reserve system," was the foundation of the practice by which entire populations pass under military training, and by which Europe has been turned into "an armed camp."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Blasted Hopes.
A weary pilgrim who sought peace in the wilderness found it in a rough cabin—and awoke to ragtime from a phonograph.—Baltimore Herald.

Lord Brokeleigh (pompously)—I've called, sir, to request your daughter's hand in marriage.
Mr. Roxley—That's out of the question, my man. However, I don't want to seem altogether uncharitable, so here's \$5 for you.—Philadelphia Press.

Old Age Pensions

By JOHN MALCOLM, M. A.,
Author of "University Centenaries," Etc.

Among the aspects of science which concern themselves with our social welfare none are of greater interest than those dealing with the question of provision for old age and for other exigencies with which our common life is beset. Old age pensions over and over again have been discussed in Great Britain and the United States, without any practical result being arrived at—that is, from the state point of view. Insurance against accident, and also in view of making provision for old age, is, no doubt, included in the list of the ordinary businesses of the day; but the wider ideal of the social economist who sees in a universal or national movement for effecting such provision a highly desirable development remains for evolution among us. It is different abroad and especially in Germany.

There are 12,000,000 of a working population in the empire. These bear one-half of the cost of insurance, the employers contributing the other moiety. The whole details are under the control of the post office, and it is notable that, thus being state supervised, no working expenses are incurred.

Wise in their day and generation, the Germans make this insurance compulsory. After the age of 16 every worker, male and female, is required to contribute to the fund. If those whose incomes exceed \$500 per annum choose to join they may, only they pay the whole premium, and do not share its cost with their employers.

A man's widow, or his children, if under 15 years of age, may draw the pension for which he is subscribed. Habitual drunkards are not paid in cash but in kind. The great feature of this scheme is that it is not a charity, but a true insurance. Would that some statesmen here could spare time to study the German scheme and inaugurate one for our own masses!

A Lack of Foresight

By MORTIMER COLLINS,
Author of "Thoughts in My Garden," Etc.

What is the curious mental malady which makes men care to collect such things as postage stamps? I see an old newspaper paragraph that some well-known auctioneers have been selling stamps at such prices as \$30, \$40 and so on—273 specimens producing little less than \$5 apiece.

I think I would give a dollar for the photograph of the gentleman who gave \$30 for a 13-cent Sandwich Islands stamp.

The date of that auction is 1872—32 years ago, and the prices realized then seem to be quite insignificant compared to those of the present day. Where the collectors of those days gave \$25, the philatelists of the present would gladly expend a hundred.

If I had only been a zealous hoarder of postage stamps when I was a boy I should be thoroughly enjoying the fruits of my industry and foresight at the present moment. Ah! if we only knew what was likely to happen. If my great-grandfather had only collected mezzotints, and I had eventually inherited the collection, what a bit of good fortune it would have been for me. If our ancestors had only had the good sense to have had their portraits painted by Sir Joshua Reynolds, Romney or Hoppner, what substantial benefit they would have conferred on their descendants.

The Ideal Church

By REV. JOHN M. MOORE,
Pastor Centennial Baptist Church, Chicago.

The church of the first century stood for culture, of course, for culture of the highest kind; but, more than that, it stood for conquest. The great commission given by Christ was considered to be the church's marching orders. Almost from the first they suffered persecution. Their leaders, Peter and John, were imprisoned by the Jewish ecclesiastics at the beginning of their ministry. A little later the persecution became general.

We lack that militant conception of Christianity. It seems almost sardonic to speak of the average modern Christian as a soldier. It is the soldier's place to obey and to dare and to die. Too many modern church members have lost these great words out of their vocabulary. Until we shall come to prize the Gospel as of more worth than any earthly good and be willing to suffer for it, until the militant conception of the Christian life again shall prevail, religion will languish, saints and angels mourn, bad men and demons rejoice, and the Christ be kept waiting for His glorious coronation day.

THE MOST EXPENSIVE CITY.

Cost of Running New York Is Nearly a Quarter of the Whole United States.

The taxpayers of the city of New York are called upon to pay in local taxes annually the enormous sum of \$106,000,000. The entire cost of maintaining the federal government for the year 1903-1904 was only \$464,000,000. But the city of New York spends vastly more than \$106,000,000 a year. With its many issues of public bonds for improvements, its expenditures run up to \$150,000,000 or more. This is fully one-third as much money as is needed to maintain the federal government for a year. In directing how this money shall be spent the mayor has the chief responsibility. It is a prodigious outlay. An expert student of municipal affairs declared recently that in public service the city of New York does not realize 25 cents on the dollar.

The city budget of New York is greater than the combined budgets of any five other cities in the country. New York pays salaries to more than 46,000 persons, amounting to about \$55,000,000 a year. No other city in the world pays its employees such high wages. No corporation or private business could afford such a drain upon its resources. The municipal expert quoted above has said, too, that such an undue outlay for service would wreck the United States Steel corporation in six months. Thousands of men on the pay-roll of the city could not earn in private labor one-half as much as the city pays them and many could not earn one-quarter.

This waste of money tells a marvelous tale of municipal prosperity. Nothing has been done to stop it. Mr. Low, when mayor, made no serious effort to cut down the unwarranted expenditure for salaries. Mr. McClellan is making none. The salary grip of politicians upon American cities remains absolutely tight and no strong man has yet arisen to break it.

AIRSHIPS ARE PRACTICABLE.

So Says Santos-Dumont, the Famous Navigator of the Upper Air.

The mists of the future still hide the airship that it will be used as a conveyance, making regular trips, carrying people to and fro above the earth on business and pleasure, but the coming of the practical ship is inevitable, says Alberto Santos-Dumont, in Success. I will not venture to say how soon it will arrive, but I think that many who are now alive will move over the housetops in airships, when most houses will have entrances on their roofs. I have no faith in the idea that flying machines may be devised for single individuals, or that the correct principle may be found by studying and copying the flight of birds. When such plans are suggested, I am reminded of the idea and efforts of inventors who, a century ago, tried to make locomotives with four legs, to operate like horses. The thought of these mechanical experts was that, since the horse moved more rapidly across the land than almost anything else with which they were familiar, it followed that any mechanism that was to attain a greater speed would have to be constructed and operated in a similar way.

World's Best Timekeeper.

The world's best time-keeper is said to be the electric clock in the basement of the Berlin observatory, which was installed by Prof. Foerster in 1865. It is inclosed in an airtight glass cylinder, and has frequently run for periods of two or three months with an average daily deviation of only 15 1,000 of a second. Yet astronomers are not satisfied even with this, and efforts are continually made to secure ideal conditions for a clock by keeping it not only in an airtight case, but in an underground vault where neither changes of temperature nor of barometer pressure shall ever affect it.—Curious Facts.

Such Inconstancy.

He—I wonder if there is another girl in the whole wide world so sweet as my little sweetheart? She—What's that? How dare you think of another girl? I shan't speak to you for a week.—Stray Stories.

LIGHT BULBS FOR WATCHES.

Tiny Incandescent Lights Now Used to Illuminate the Faces of Timepieces.

In old verge watches dials were enameled and the 12 hours in relief enabled blind persons to ascertain the time by feeling with the finger. Now electricity comes in its turn as a means of lighting the dials of watches of 24 to 30 lines, called carriage watches, says the Jeweler's Circular Weekly.

The following is the system: The dial is ordinarily of metal or enamel. An oval depression is cut on the lower part of the figure 7 and omitted in the upper part. In this hollow is a minute incandescent lamp, a small hollow glass bulb with a platinum wire inside, which lights the whole surface of the dial. The glass is cut on each side of the pendant for conducting wires coming from a dry battery, placed under the seat of the carriage. For an automobile a special battery is not necessary, since this vehicle carries in its mechanism a battery for lighting which will furnish when wanted the electricity for lighting the dial throughout.

To a pocket watch whose dial shall also be lighted by means of electricity there is but a single step. Indeed, it will be sufficient to connect the two conducting wires with the two poles of a dry battery carried in a pocket of the wearer. In order to make sure of the duration of the energy of the battery a contact button should be installed in the case of the watch, so as not to close the circuit—that is, not to make use of the battery except at the precise moment of ascertaining the time.

The principle of this system is not new, for luminous jewels have been in existence for a number of years and have played their part in a successful piece as one of the theatrical novelties of Paris.

SCHOOLS IN THE SUBURBS.

Worst Feature of Them Is Tendency to Set Up Social Distinctions.

Striking conclusions are reached by Miss Adele Marie Shaw in her article "The Public Schools About New York," in World's Work. The article is the second of a series of first hand investigations of American public schools. In summing up Miss Shaw says:

There is in the public schools of suburban cities a more generally vigorous life than in those of the greater city still bearing scars of Tammany claws.

Certain unexpected provincialisms, like trained gowns and moppet hair "droops," had English and indifference to foul air, still mark the occasional suburban as well as the big city teacher.

The better the "system" the more one teacher is made to do two teachers' work for one-half a teacher's pay.

The places known for admirable theory are not always distinguished for excellent practice.

The worst feature of schools in "commuters' towns" is the tendency to separate the school population, not by districts, but by the social position of the families from which it comes.

GETTING "SECOND WIND."

Condition of the Runner After the Distress of the First Quarter Has Passed.

The runner who sets out on a two-mile race usually passes through two distinct stages of exhaustion, says Outing. In the first quarter, if the pace be fast, he feels symptoms of breathlessness—the throbbing temples, the surging in the ears and the tightness about the chest that makes so many men drop out before completing half the distance. This might be called acute fatigue; but if he can keep on, the distress passes away. The heart and lungs work a little harder, and at last succeed in catching up with their task of purifying the increased stream of sewage brought to the lungs by the blood, to be carried off in the form of gases by respiration. The distress disappears from the face, the lungs seem to regain the power to expand, and a crushing weight appears to have been lifted from the chest. The head becomes clear, and the muscles act with renewed vigor and elasticity. The man has got his "second wind."

THE SUNDAY BIBLE SCHOOL.

Lesson in the International Series for July 24, 1904—"Jehoshaphat's Reform."

(Prepared by the "Highway and Byway" Preacher.)

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LESSON TEXT.

(2 Chron. 19:1-11; Memory Verses, 4-6.)

1. And Jehoshaphat the king of Judah returned to his house in peace to Jerusalem. 2. And Jehu the son of Hanani the seer went out to meet him, and said to King Jehoshaphat, Shouldest thou help the ungodly, and love them that hate the Lord? therefore is wrath upon thee from before the Lord. 3. Nevertheless there are good things found in thee, in that thou hast taken away the groves out of the land, and hast prepared thine heart to seek God. 4. And Jehoshaphat dwelt at Jerusalem; and he went out again through the people from Beersheba to Mount Ephraim, and brought them back unto the Lord God of their fathers, in the land throughout all the fenced cities of Judah, city by city.

5. And said to the judges, Take heed what ye do, for ye judge not for man, but for the Lord, Who is with you in the judgment. 7. Wherefore now let the fear of the Lord be upon you; take heed and do it; for there is no iniquity with the Lord our God, nor respect of persons, nor taking of gifts. 8. Moreover in Jerusalem did Jehoshaphat set of the Levites, and of the priests, and of the chief of the fathers of Israel, for the judgment of the Lord, and for controversies when they returned to Jerusalem.

9. And he charged them, saying, Thus shall ye do in the fear of the Lord, faithfully, and with a perfect heart. 10. And what cause soever shall come to you, of your brethren that dwell in their cities, between blood and blood, between law and commandment, statutes and judgments, ye shall even warn them that they trespass not against the Lord, and so wrath come upon you, and upon your brethren; this do, and ye shall not trespass. 11. And behold, Amariah the chief priest is over you in all matters of the Lord; and Zebadiah the son of Ishmael, the ruler of the house of Judah, for all the king's matters; also the Levites shall be officers before you. Deal courageously, and the Lord shall be with the good.

THE LESSON includes 2 Chron. 17:20; 1 Kings 22.

GOLDEN TEXT.—"Deal courageously, and the Lord shall be with the good."—2 Chron. 19:11.

TIME.—Jehoshaphat began to reign in 843 B. C. Lesson events occurred in twelfth year of his reign.

PLACE.—Jerusalem and Judea.

PERSONS.—Jehoshaphat, and the seer, Jehu.

Events in Judah. Jehoshaphat's righteous and prosperous reign.—2 Chron. 17:17.

Jehoshaphat's unbloody alliance with Ahab.—2 Chron. 18.

Events of the Lesson.—Chap. 19. Jehoshaphat's miraculous victory over Meah and Ammon.—Chap. 20:1-30.

Jehoshaphat's second wicked alliance with Israel.—Chap. 21:1-26.

Jehoshaphat's Demolition Shipping Venture.—Vs. 26, 27.

Events in Israel. Ahab was killed in battle with the Syrians against whom he had gone when he persecuted Jehoshaphat to join forces with him. The season to-day occurred after Ahab's death. All of the interesting history of Elijah, the Prophet, which will be considered in the lessons for August and September, occurred during Jehoshaphat's reign.

Comparing Scripture with Scripture. "Jehu . . . the seer went out to meet him."—The same prophet who had rebuked Baasha, king of Israel.—1 Kings 16:1. God repeatedly sent His prophets to rebuke sin in high places. See 1 Sam. 13:10; 2 Sam. 12:1; 1 Kings 13:1; 1 Kings 17:1, etc. Ps. 103:8, but—Ps. 103:9.

"Shouldest thou help the ungodly and love them that hate the Lord?" Eph. 6:11; 2 Cor. 6:14-17; 2 John 10:11. This ungodly alliance probably led later to the marriage of Jehoshaphat's son, Jehoram, to Ahab's daughter.—2 Chron. 21:6.

"Nevertheless, there are good things found in thee."—See Jehoshaphat's splendid record in 2 Chron. 17. God is always ready to see the good and give due credit.

"He went out again."—See 2 Chron. 17:7-9. In the prosperity of the kingdom and the interest of the king in other things, the early reforms had undoubtedly lapsed, as they do to-day. We need to remember 1 Cor. 15:58.

"Brought them back unto the Lord."—Dan. 12:5, Jas. 5:20, Rom. 15:1.

"Set judges in the land."—This means his reappointment of commissioners of public instruction mentioned in Chap. 17:7-9. Perhaps with new powers and a large staff of assistants.

"Take heed what ye do; for ye judge not for man, but for the Lord, who is with you in the judgment."—This would be a good text to hang over the desk of every judge in the land to-day. Much of the evil in Israel had arisen from dishonorable judges.—Comp. 1 Sam. 8:1-3 with vs. 4 and 5.

"Moreover."—Jehoshaphat did not rest content with educational and judicial reforms. He reestablished the religious functions of the priests and Levites, charging them to serve "in the fear of the Lord, faithfully, and with a perfect heart." Reform must go deeper than mere externalities if it is to be permanent and effective. The heart is the place to start every reform, for—Matt. 15:19.

"Deal courageously."—It takes a brave man to be a reformer. Matt. 5:29-30. Matt. 10:28. Make no compromise. God in dealing with sin accepts nothing but unconditional surrender. He never temporizes. Dare we? "Deal courageously," therefore, for "the Lord shall be with the good." This lesson furnishes striking example of this, and this promise was renewed by Jesus in Matthew 28:18-20 and John 14:23.

Seed Thoughts. Three points about God are emphasized in this lesson: "No iniquity with Him"—Deut. 32:4; Rom. 9:14; "No respect of persons"—Acts 10:34; Rom. 2:11; Eph. 6:9; 1 Peter 1:17, and "No taking of gifts." Man cannot bribe God.

The Prophet's rebuke was followed by Jehoshaphat's repentance, the evidences of which were: (1) Contrition—sorry for sin; (2) Confession—admission of sin; (3) Conversion—turning from sin; (4) Restitution—making amends as far as possible for sin. Measure the quality of your repentance by this four-fold test.

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J. R. Postlethright, precinct No. 1. G. F. Williams, " " 2.

T. P. Hard, " " 3. T. M. LaRue, " " 4.

P. C. Moore, " " 5. Geo. D. Hughes, " " 6.

L. B. Phillips, " " 7. T. M. Dean, " " 8.

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LOCAL NEWS.

As Gathered by Our Efficient Correspondents.

SHERIDAN.

J. M. Gardner is visiting his son, Dr. W. F. Gardner. He is an old soldier and one of General Custer's staff-officers. He was under Sheridan in the last days around Richmond. His home is at Carrsville.

J. D. Wiggins and wife and Frank Smith visited in Livingston county last week.

J. J. Thomas, who is one of the best mail carriers in the United States, is off duty this week on account of being sick.

Mrs. Ella Thompson, of Sturgis, is visiting the family of I. W. Thompson.

H. L. Mosely, of Calhoun, was here this week looking at our mineral fields. He is a stockholder in the Big Four Spar and Lead Mine near here.

Misses Ida and Sue Bibout visited their sister, Mrs. J. W. Wright near Tolu Monday.

J. R. Station and Lefe Hill went over to Henshaw last week. Lefe has a job there.

Miss Sadie Bangher, of Sturgis, visited friends here last week.

Messrs. Ross Givens and C. W. Cartwright, two of our mineral men have gone home for a few days.

Albert Millikan returned from Paducah last week.

W. U. Hughes and wife, of Tolu, and Curtis Hughes, of Marion, visited Robt Gibbs and family Sunday.

L. H. LaRue is mining near Lolla. Over in Livingston county he reports good spar found. He is too busy to come to Marion but said, "Here, send this dollar to Chittenden for the Record." That's the way brother, to do the work.

IRON HILL.

Bart Hodges and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. McEgan, at Nebo Saturday.

Several of our young people gathered at the home of George Kemp Saturday night and enjoyed some excellent music.

Edwin Walker, the clever Fish-trap merchant, visited his father, J. M. Walker Sunday.

Miss Edith Parish, of Providence, attended preaching at Sugar Grove Sunday.

Miss Mary Towery returned home Sunday after spending a week with friends here.

John Parish and family, of Marion, attended preaching at Sugar Grove Sunday.

J. L. Lamb is building a new home.

T. E. Walker came over from Providence Saturday.

Harley Travis, of Providence, visited his sister, Mrs. John Stewart, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Royster, of Henderson, was here Sunday.

FRANCIS.

W. A. Oliver was in Evansville last week.

The new mail route from this place to Mexico is quite an improvement over the old one as we now get our mail one day earlier.

Miss Mabel Fox, of Emmaus, visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Russell last week.

Supt. W. A. Oliver, of the "Pogue," moved his family from the Caldwell Springs neighborhood to this place the last of the week.

The Pogue mine at this place is running full time producing 40 tons of spar per ten hours a day, and this with only five men under ground. This is undoubtedly the largest producer in Western Kentucky.

S. H. Matthews and wife visited W. N. Ordway at Crayneville last week.

Little Miss Lola, the nine year old daughter of Henry Pogue, who has been quite low with typhoid fever, is much better.

FREDONIA and KELSEY.

Misses Willie Croft and Ellis Gray, of Marion, are visiting in Kelsey this week.

A large crowd at the Children's Day Exercises last Sunday.

Miss Melville Aiken, of Princeton, was visiting her aunt Mrs. J. W. Hughes, last week.

Alf Cowper is attending the World's Fair.

Allison Aiken, of Princeton, was in town Monday.

Mrs. John Rorer and children, of Crittenden, were visiting in town Sunday.

The tennis game Monday evening was very interesting. John and Reg Rice played for Kelsey winning over Allison Aiken and James Orr playing for Princeton.

J. W. Brasher and Owen Boaz, of Caldwell Spring, were in town Monday evening enroute to Clarks-ville.

Mrs. C. M. Rover and daughter of Crayneville, visited in Caldwell Sunday.

Now is the time for you to get bargains in fine, wash fabrics, millinery goods, Ladies' Oxfords, Mens' Straw Hats and all summer goods. SAM HOWERTON.

Richard McCaslin, of Crayneville, was in town Monday.

New things just in for the latest styles of wash dresses.

SAM HOWERTON.

Jeff Cobb and son, of Glenn's Chapel, were here Monday.

Lindsey Langston, of New Beth-el, was in town Monday.

Collie Dollar raised 1178 bushels of good wheat on 40 acres of land.

REPTON.

The Sunday School exercises were largely attended at Baker Sunday.

Miss Genie Fletcher, of Black-ford, attended the exercises at Baker Sunday.

Don't forget the picnic at Post Oak school house the 3rd of August.

Little Dora Jones, daughter of W. M. Jones, met with quite a serious accident by a wagon running over her foot.

The neighborhood generally is busy making hay, the crop seems to be good but rather light.

Miss Hester Burton is visiting old friends in this place.

The score between the Repton and Blackford base ball teams stood 19 to 20 in favor of Repton. Second game 12 to 27 in favor of Repton.

Mrs. Annie Smith attended the County Sunday School convention last week.

John Cook accidentally fell and cut his hand on a piece of broken glass. The wound has been quite painful but not serious.

SISCO CHAPEL.

Rev. Wilson, of View, preached to a good crowd at this place last Sunday.

Mrs. Haywood York is very low and her recovery is doubtful.

J. H. Floyd was confined to his room last week but is able to be out again.

Prayer meeting at this place every Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to attend.

We learn that Ed Morris and family, of Harrisburg, Ill., are expected to arrive in this vicinity in a few days to look out a location. We hope they will locate here.

Several of our young people visited the Hodge Cave in Livingston county last Sunday and report a pleasant trip.

Miss Beatrice Nunn was the guest of Miss Dora Elder Saturday.

Miss Florence Burklow, of Pinkneyville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dunning.

RODNEY.

Here is to the Record! May its news from town and country points shine as sun and stars before the dazzled eyes of a heretofore apprehensive public. May its editorials of honest, undying Republicanism, flash their beams of clean cut intelligence athwart our Commonwealth's political cloud.

Miss Mabel Wilson will teach the school at Little Bethel.

John E. Roberts, formerly of Mattoon, but now of Clay county, Arkansas, has, we are glad to note, recently secured a nice position with a well known business establishment there.

Major Adair, of the Mt. Zion vicinity, is stacking wheat in our community this week.

Geo. Lindle is threshing wheat in Union county.

F. E. Davis will teach the school at Bells Mines.

Miss Edith Davis will begin her school here some time next month.

E. E. Phillips will not teach this fall. He aims to attend school at Marion and complete the High School course.

Miss Vienna Roberts, of Mattoon, has accepted the call from the people of Sugar Grove and will teach the school at that place. That vicinity being Miss Vienna's old home, it is quite a compliment to the young lady to begin her career there as a preceptress.

James Wittenberry, of Rose Bud, commenced threshing wheat last week.

SMITHLAND.

The present prospects for a corn crop in this county is most promising.

There is a question as to whether there are as many Democratic voters in Livingston county as there are candidates. They electioneer Republicans, Populists and Prohibitionists as well as Democrats, also residents of other counties and states.

Capt. and Mrs. Wallace Farnsley have returned from Indiana and are visiting Mrs. T. D. Preswell, Mrs. Farnsley's mother. After a short visit they will return to their home in Thebes, Ill., where Capt. Farnsley has a position as pilot on a transfer boat.

Albert Signaigo, of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting relatives here.

M. G. Caldwell and wife, and Mrs. R. S. Caldwell, of Paducah, are stopping at the Clark House and are taking advantage of the health restoring qualities of "Echo Valley" spring water.

Miss May Fleming, of Birds-ville, and Miss Nellie Gray, of Salem, are visiting Misses Louise and Laura Abell, of this place.

Mrs. T. M. Davis is visiting relatives in Grahamville.

J. O. Rutter, who has been confined to his bed for two weeks, is able to be out again.

At Democratic precinct mass convention held by several precincts on Saturday, July 9th, the following gentlemen were elected to fill vacancies caused by resignations of members who are now candidates:

North Salem, Walter Pierce to succeed F. E. Butler; Hampton, Frank Burton to succeed Jno. Rutter; Birds-ville, Len Nelson to succeed W. E. Abell; Carrsville, Von Spees to succeed L. E. Bridges; Lola, J. F. Paris to succeed W. H. Wilson.

ODESSA.

A large crowd of young people went Sunday to have their fortunes told. They came back happy, we are told.

Wheat threshing is the order of the day here.

Will Brown and wife have moved to his father's farm near Shady Grove.

Born—to the wife of Sam Vanise, twins, a boy and a girl.

Just received a new lot Lawns and Organdies. New styles bought at bargain prices, selling them at bargain prices.

CLIFTONS.

NEW SALEM.

James Mahan and John Conyer have sick children.

The corn crop is laid by and prospects are good for a larger crop.

Henry Bronster is spending the week at Dawson Springs, this being his second visit there this summer. Henry thinks the water possesses many virtues as he is greatly benefited in health.

The mining interest is on the boom. We are near neighbors to the Cullen or Evening Star, and Nancy Hanks. The stupendous building at the Cullen mine is getting higher and higher and if they don't top it off pretty soon Capt. Halse can amuse himself by standing on top and tickling the angel's feet.

Mrs. Geo. Hurley who has been confined to her bed for three months with rheumatism, is reported to be improving.

A rich vein of fluor spar has been found on the Mitchell & Utley property 2 1-2 miles north of Salem.

The wheat crop has been greatly damaged by the late floods.

John Harpending, our mineral man, is as busy as a bee taking options finding new veins and in short, is rushing the mineral business to a finish.

The smallest tobacco crop in this section for twenty-five years, in fact, there are only three crops in the entire neighborhood.

Will some one take pity on us, bring his wheat thrasher and thrash our wheat?

Mrs. T. A. Harpending and daughter, Miss Carrie, are contemplating a trip to Colorado to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. B. Hopkins, of Turret.

MEXICO.

Miss Maggie Drennen, of Evansville, is visiting the family of G. W. Drennen.

George Capps and family, of Dowrom, are visiting B. F. Capps and family.

Jim Champion and wife, of Sheridan, are visiting E. H. Mott and wife.

Miss Effie Gray visited her sister at Crider Sunday.

Miss Essie Whitt, of Frances, visited here Sunday.

Miss Dora Myers, of Marion, is visiting parents here.

Protracted meeting will begin on the 4th Sunday in July at Sulphur Springs church.

Clem Nunn, of Marion, was here this week looking after his mineral interests.

J. C. Watson was here this week on business.

STARR.

Crops are growing fine.

The hay crop is being harvested.

Tobacco is in a fine state.

Base ball is all the go.

The Marion road is full of wagons hauling ties, staves and lumber.

Rev. N. W. Paris preached at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

A large crowd attended the W. C. Glenn sale Saturday.

The wheat thrasher is doing business in this vicinity.

Belmont school house has no teacher.

Smith Hamley, of Illinois, is visiting in this section.

The meeting is still in progress at the Grove. Rev. Miller is doing some fine preaching.

HURRICANE.

We had a fine Sunday School Sunday in the morning and a fine prayer meeting in the afternoon.

A child of Frank Jacobs is very sick from flux.

J. R. Threlkeld has been west a little while looking out a location.

Brownie Franks is having chills.

We will gladly furnish estimate on material for all kinds of buildings, large or small.

BOSTON & PARIS.

WHETHER WORM OR FLY.

The Main Thing to the Average Angler Is to Catch the Fish.

Indeed, half the zest of brook fishing is in your campaign for "individuals,"—as the Salvation Army workers say,—not merely for a basketful of fish qua fish, but for a series of individual trout which your instinct tells you ought to lurk under that log or be hovering in that ripple. How to get him, by some sportsmanlike process, is the question, writes Bliss Perry, in Atlantic. If he will rise to some fly in your book, few fishermen will deny that the fly is the more pleasurable weapon. Dainty, luring, beautiful toy, light as a thistle-down, falling where you will it to fall, holding when the leader tightens and sings like the string of a violin, the artificial fly represents the poetry of angling.

But angling's honest prose, as represented by the lowly worm, has also its exalted moments. "The last fish I caught was with a worm," says the honest Walton, and so say I. It was the last evening of last August. The dusk was settling deep upon a tiny meadow, scarcely ten rods from end to end. The rank bog grass, already drenched with dew, bent over the narrow, deep little brook so closely that it could not be fished except with a double-shot, baited hook, dropped delicately between the heads of the long grasses. Underneath this canopy the trout were feeding, taking the hook with a straight downward tug, as they made for the hidden bank. It was already twilight when I began, and before I reached the black belt of woods that separated the meadow from the lake the swift darkness of the north country made it impossible to see the hook. A short half hour's fishing only, and behold nearly 20 good trout derrickd into a basket until then sadly empty. Your fly-fisherman would have passed that grass hidden brook in disdain, but it proved a treasure for the humble.

BRIDES OF THE COUNTRY.

Girls of the City Are Not "In It" with Them as Regards Being Certain.

The Southdown drummer had just returned to the city and was, as usual, in his talkative mood, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

"Say, you fellows may hoot at the country people," he said, "but let me tell you that if I were a young woman I'd ten times rather live in the country than in Chicago. I've just returned from my swing around the cornbelt, and I've learned that the crop of June brides is going to be something enormous.

"The country girl has four times as many opportunities to marry as does her city cousin, even though she may not be half so well up on clothes and vaudeville and horse racing and all that. You hardly ever see an old maid in the country. In the farming districts the girls don't worry about getting married. They know the man will come along at the right time. The young women on the farms don't marry at any younger age than the girls do here in the city, but they are much more certain of getting married."

Club for Widows and Widowers.

One of the oddest clubs in the world is that founded in America by a German lady for the benefit of widows and widowers. It is an ordinary social club, to which admittance is restricted to those who have lost husband or wife. At first the club existed only for widows, who met together, told their sorrows and sympathized with each other. After a time a resolution was passed extending the benefits of the club to widowers. The widowers gratefully responded, and now several of the members have joined the ranks of the married again.

One Road to Fame.

Any man who seeks notoriety and cannot get it otherwise may realize his wish by claiming the authorship of any poem he may fancy. There is sure to be a controversy in which he will be mentioned.—Washington Star.

Clear Out of Style.

Dolly—How hideously dowdy Polly does look.

Molly—Yes; her shirtwaist fits. —Indianapolis Journal.

WOMEN AND THEIR DEBTS.

When They Are Gambling Obligations Forgetfulness Seems to Be a Failing of the Sex.

"Are women poor payers?" This is a question that is a good deal discussed now that it has become customary for the fair sex to play for money at bridge whist and bet at the races. A good many of the unchivalrous members of the sterner sex, says the New York Tribune, contend that it is very difficult to get their winnings when a woman happens to be the loser.

"We risk our money and expect to pay if we lose," said a man who makes no secret of his dislike to play cards with women, "and, although I know some women who are as straight as a man in such matters, there are others who have a most convenient habit of forgetting their obligations. A man who forgets his debts of honor can be reminded of it at the next sitting; in fact, he must pay straight or he cannot play; but with a woman it is different. A man must pocket the loss and say nothing about it. The conditions of risk in a game of cards should be absolutely equal, and for that reason I do not care to play with women."

Women contend that men are very unfair to them in this respect. "Of course," said a woman bridge player, "we cannot carry money about with us as the men do. We have no pockets in our evening gowns to hold bills or a checkbook, but we generally pay all right, and what I do mind," she continued, "is the way men assume beforehand that they are not going to be paid when we say we will send the money. A couple of weeks ago Carrie A. lost quite a little sum to 'Bobby' M., at Mrs. G.'s, and said she would send him a check. The next morning she went off to Lake wood, and 'Bobby' told a number of people that he never expected to hear from that winning, and put the sum down in his bridge account as a loss. Of course, Carrie sent him a check in a few days, but do you suppose he ever told the people he had spoken to that he made a mistake? Of course not. If a man had gone off without paying he would have felt perfectly sure that his money was safe, and said nothing about it; in fact, he would not have dared to, but a woman can be accused of dishonesty and no one thinks anything about it. It is dreadfully unfair!"

FOR DESTROYING INSECTS.

Extract of American Tobacco Is Largely Used by Agriculturists in Austria.

In Austria, where the manufacture of tobacco in all forms is a government monopoly, tobacco extract is successfully employed by agriculturists as an insect exterminator. According to United States Consul McFarland at Reichenberg, an extract, chiefly from Virginia and Kentucky tobacco, of about 40 per cent. nicotine value, is generally used for that purpose. It is retailed in sealed tin cans at about 40 per cent. nicotine value, is ed according to proposed use and is immediately fatal to insect life, but, intelligently used, is said to be absolutely harmless to plant life. For plant lice a solution of only 1 to 1 1/2 per cent. of the extract is used; for mites and larvae, two per cent.; for haired caterpillars and beetles, three per cent. The solution is sprinkled or sprayed in the ordinary manner. Among the large number of insects for the extermination of which the use of the extract in the past few years has proven completely successful are mentioned the so-called "bubble feet" on strawberries, roses, blackberries, onions, etc.; spring lice or plant fleas, hump bugs; plant wasps; caterpillars of the grape winder; the larvae of various beetles, earth fleas and mite spinners, rose mites and sawwood and bark beetles. The extract is also used with great success for animal parasites such as sheep lice.

Big Difference.

It is hard for some men to learn that there is a vast difference between overlooking and looking over.—Indianapolis News.

No Sign of Dishonesty.

A man may be thoroughly honest and still have an umbrella every time it rains.—Philadelphia Record.