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A BIG HEAD OF STEAM TURNED ON

Over Forty Incorporated Mining Companies and Scores of Prospectors at Work

THE TONNAGE FOR 1904 WILL BE GREATLY INCREASED OVER LAST YEAR—THE COAL SITUATION AND PRODUCTION.

EVERYBODY TOO BUSY TO TALK MUCH.

A SMALL SAMPLE of high grade zinc carbonate was shown in the city on Monday from the P. C. Moore farm of 170 acres some 8 miles west of Marion on the Sulphur Springs Tolu road. The formation at this point is very similar to that of the Mann carbonate mine at Lola. The Eureka vein is strongly defined through the farm and it would not be surprising if Mr. Moore had somewhat of a bonanza on this land.

It is rumored, how authoritatively, we are unable to say, that Mr. Tenme who has been purchasing a very large acreage of land in and around Tolu, later extending his purchases into a better defined mineral district nearer Marion, intends to dispose of the surface ground to a colony of German farmers. This is certainly good news if true, as this German element will make our old worn out land blossom in a few years. The same class of people on practically the same quality of land, in Indiana have in the past few years demonstrated their ability to make heavy bank balances from just such soil as we have here.

charge and will open out the heavy veins of zinc and fluor spar that show in the Mammoth Cave to a depth of 70 feet from the surface.

THE HEAVY TIMBERS for the coal tippie at the Curlew property near DeKoven are being delivered. Mr. J. W. Nall, formerly of the Hocking valley coal fields will be the mine foreman. The Bell-Union Coal & Coke Co. is the title of this company.

WORK ON SINKING the shaft for the new coal mine at Morganfield is being pushed rapidly. This will give that city a good cheap coal for all purposes.

THE ENGINEERING NEWS says: "It is reported that business men of Owensboro, Ky., may organize a company to build a railroad from Knoxville, Tenn., to Indianapolis, Ind., passing through the mineral fields of Marion, and Crittenden county and also coal lands of the Green river section crossing the Ohio river at this place. Albert Boone, of Zanesville, Ohio, will be interested."

and that the 400 to 600 tons of mixed lead and zinc ore already out on their property will be separated by hand jigs, the lead going to the Illinois Smelters.

THE LAST SHIPMENT of zinc carbonate by the Henderson Company to the Mineral Point Zinc Company yielded \$18.88 per ton or something over \$600 per car load.

A GOOD MANY inquiries have recently been made by the owners of lots in the Reed addition to Marion as to the taxes due for the year 1903. Sheriff Lamb informs us that fifteen cents pays in full for each lot, which includes both county and state taxes.

AT THE LOWEST DEPTH in the mining shaft of the Lucile mine 160 feet a fugitive seam of very good coal was encountered in driving a drift into the fluor spar, zinc and lead vein. The hanging wall of the main vein was met with some 10 feet from the shaft and begins to show a fine body of fluor spar. It is very probable that near the foot wall a very heavy deposit of zinc and lead ore will also be met with.

Boynton, of Princeton. He found at 30 or 40 feet in depth very strong galena or lead ore in rather large quantities. It is very likely that continuous work will disclose a strong mining proposition throughout the entire section.

The highest price reported paid for zinc ore in the Joplin district the past week on a straight bid was \$37 per ton, but several bins that sold on an assay basis of \$38 per ton brought over \$40 per ton in a settlement. The assay basis ranges up from \$37 to as high as \$38.50 for several choice lots. A \$38 basis was paid for a number of bins and \$37.50 was a common price for ore assaying 60 per cent zinc.

Four of the largest smelting companies at Joplin were competing for the limited supply, and, as is always the case when the reserve stock is low and the supply short, little attention is paid to an assay basis when the ore is so badly needed. It was a market when any price was paid to get the ore. The shortage in the supply is caused by several large producing mines



IN THE CAVE ON THE TRIGG COUNTY PROPERTY.

W. GEORGE WARING, of Webb City, Mo., who has been closely identified with the lead and zinc industry of Joplin, for so many years, was the guest of Ross Givens of the Givens Mining Company for several days last week. Prof. Waring is very positive as to the commercial value of the cabalt and nickel deposits of this district, notably so of the ore in the vicinity of the Corn property controlled by the Givens Mining Company. A series of exhaustive tests during the past few months have been made in the Waring laboratory on the Givens product on rather a large scale, the results being most satisfactory. Prof. Waring's visit, this being his second one to this district, was for the purpose of sizing up the situation carefully before installing a chemical plant to handle our cabalt, nickle and manganese ores and thus make a commercial product of all three.

During the week several small samples of what may be carbonate of barium have been brought to this office for identification. A good strong demand is already established for this product and it would do well to watch closely for it around any deposits of Barites which it closely resembles.

The views on this page represent the work being carried on by the Trigg County Zinc, Lead and Spar Company near Gracey. There seems to be three great breaks or veins running parallel with each other on one of which this company under the supervision of Joel Farmer is sinking a shaft. At some considerable depth disseminated lead ore in calc spar has been uncovered. Probably at some points on this vein a heavy chute of lead ore will be uncovered, although it will likely take some considerable prospecting to ascertain the apex of this ore body.

Considerable work is being done in the vicinity of Gracey by other companies. A shaft was sunk on a very well defined vein by a Mr.

still being crippled by the floods in the early part of the month. It is expected, however, that all of these will be in operation during the coming week. Lead prices were lowered \$2 per ton, \$52 being paid all week. The output was reduced 5000 tons in two weeks and the reserve dwindled to 2500 tons in the bins with fully half of that sold at the end of the week of July 23. As the reserve decreased ore prices advanced.

Returns made to the United States geological survey show that the United States has again exceeded all previous records in the production of coal. The forthcoming report on the country's coal production which E. W. Parker, statistician, will soon make, will show that the total output of the coal mines of this country in 1903, amounted to 359,421,311 short tons. This is an increase of 57,830,872 short tons or 19 per cent over the production of 1902, which amounted to 301,690,439 tons. The production of 1903 was nearly double that of 1893 and more than three times the output of 1883. The increase of production in 1903 over 1902 was equal to the total production of all kinds of coal in 1878, only twenty-five years ago.

The increase in production of coal in Kentucky for the year was 664,032 tons, and the increase in valuation was \$1,210,365. The total amount produced in Kentucky was 7,431,015 tons valued at \$7,877,332.

Fist Fight at Tolu.

Wednesday H. J. Myers and S. B. Weldon, of Tolu, had a difficult fight that resulted in a fist fight in which Myers struck Weldon a severe blow in the face. Myers rendered himself to Squire P. C. Moore and they came before County Attorney Henderson and offered to plead guilty to breach of the peace. He was not permitted to plead until witnesses were examined. Trial set for next Tuesday.

A REPORTER'S TROUBLES

Trying to Take Down What a Prominent Lecturer Said.

The other night, at the opera house, during the lecture on "Habits," which was quite largely attended, the frequent interruptions made anything like a connected story almost impossible. Several boys who occupied front seats seemed acquainted with pretty nearly everybody who had "habits" in Marion, and were inclined to tell their names at each pause made by the platform walker.

The gentleman who was to do the talking started out briskly enough, but was brought up with a round turn every few moments, much to his confusion. He said:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: Habits are like plants, they commence with the tender shoot and finally become strong enough to support large families. Take the coca cola habit, for instance. It commences with a small glass of a brownish liquid and finally becomes absolutely necessary to its devotees four or five times a day. There are men—"

"I know them," shouted a boy on the right hand side of the main aisle. "Dr. Frazer, Harry Haynes, Al Pickens—"

"Shut up," said the lecturer, "I am doing the talking. There are men," he continued, "who would hardly know how to pass an hour without a cigar or cigarette between their teeth—"

"That's Sayre and Tonkin and Press Maxwell and—"

"Will you be quiet," said the speaker, "and let me do the talking? Then there's the eight per cent interest habit—"

"Tom Yandell," said a rather large boy who looked as if he might have been up against it himself, and the speaker seemed worried, but continued.

"I do not wish any personalities in this lecture; I am trying to illustrate the many habits of mankind in a colloquial manner. Now, the habit of arresting pretty nearly everybody—"

"Cannan! Cannan! Cannan!" was roared out by half a dozen boys and the lecturer stopped a moment and drank a swallow of water.

"I am pained," he continued, "to find such levity in so refined and genteel appearing an audience, and must request that no more talking be indulged in by those present. A curious thing," he continued, "is the political office habit—"

"Bryan and Ollie James," cried a red haired boy whose father must have been a populist, as his hair had not been cut since last Easter Sunday, judging from the length of it. Without appearing to notice this last interruption the lecturer said:

"I must not forget the old clothes habit. There are men who will put on an old pair of overalls and an old coat every morning, topping them off with a hat of the vintage of 1844 and make themselves believe they are real miners—"

"Clem Nunn," was very plainly spoken by some one in the north east corner.

"I am not referring to any particular person," shouted the lecturer, "nor is this a guessing bee or a conundrum gathering or an enigma parade or a childrens' corner in The Crittenden Press; it's a lecture and you don't want to forget it. There are people," he continued, "who have the Reed lot habit."

Again the phonographic tone: "I'll bet that's Col. Roberts," but

nobody took the bet, the odds were not big enough.

"Many people," said the lecturer, "whose educations were obtained in a distant city occasionally mention that fact. For instance, there's Cincinnati—"

"Dr. Morris," said a pale-faced lad who received a dangerous look from the man on the platform.

"There are generally two or three in every little circle who have the falling-in-love habit—"

"Sam Gugenheim, Ollie Tucker, Billie Baird" was interpolated before the lecturer could place a comma after "habit."

"I am disgusted," he said, "at these frequent interruptions and shall close my lecture with a little story in which I trust you will not interrupt me, as my time is very limited. I want to spend the balance of the night as is my usual habit at the beautiful Crittenden Springs."

"Roy Gilbert," said the small boy in the middle row, but no attention was given him.

"In telling this story it must be understood that no one in Marion is referred to. A gentleman who had made some money in mining afterward bought an interest in a furniture store, and when everything was smiling upon his efforts in life his stomach took to doing stunts on the trapeze and at times walking the tight rope and getting tangled up with his liver and bothering his lights until he acquired the medicine habit—shut up," said the professor as he saw one or two of the small boys' mouths open, "and this man got to such a pass that he would take any kind of medicine anywhere and at any time. His wife had a present of a little package of sweet peas for seed and she put them in a small wooden pill box on the dresser, and in the course of a couple of days he said: 'Those blamed pills ain't any good at all; I have taken them everyone and they never touched me.'"

"That's Jim Henry," said the boys.

BY FIRE

Two Stock Barns and Conten's Are Destroyed.

Last Friday morning about 2 o'clock the stock barn of Jas. Carter who lives near Levas, this county, burned. Mrs. Carter, who awoke about that time in the night was the first to discover the fire. Mr. Carter's loss will amount to \$700. In addition to the barn he lost 15 or 20 tons of fresh timothy hay, one mule, harness, saddles and farming implements. Origin of fire, unknown.

Last week Wm. Crawford, who lives at Hampton and who is also a member of the executive committee of the camp meeting now in session there had a stock barn to burn. He lost one calf and farming implements. Amount of loss about \$600. Fire supposed to have caught from a match in a mouse or rat's nest. Neither of the above gentlemen had insurance.

Hill Reunion.

Friday, July 29th, at the residence of E. R. Hill, near Iron Hill, the friends and relatives of Mr. Hill gathered to the number of 62 and held a family reunion, it being the 90th birthday of E. R. Hill's father, Andy Hill. Those who attended from Marion were: J. L. Stewart and family, Robt. Fowler and family, Mrs. Lina Fowler, Mrs. Henry Chandler and Thos. McConnell.

A very pleasant day was spent by all who attended and report that they feasted on the "fat of the land."

Uncle Andy is very active for a man of his age, sometimes driving to Marion alone.



THE TRIGG COUNTY ZINC, LEAD & FLUOR SPAR CO.

SAM SULLINGER, the Irish merchant, has uncovered a quantity of first class zinc carbonate not far from his business house at that place.

PRESIDENT NEVINS, of the United States Coal & Coke Company came up the river from Paducah last week on the steamer Nevins and inspected his property near Sturgis. Additional pumping facilities will be employed to free the slope from water.

THE BIG FOUR MINING COMPANY cleaned up all of their fluor spar last week and delivered the last of it to the Kentucky Fluor Spar Company in this city. Mr. Noe, the company's manager, will install a crushing plant and six hand jigs to concentrate the zinc and lead ore which is found in quantity at about 70 feet depth. There is still a large slope of spar to be broken down above the levels.

THE CRITTENDEN MINING COMPANY, composed mostly of Henderson people, commenced work on the White place last Monday. Mr. John Harpending has the work in

THE LUCKY OR UNLUCKY FIVE, depending largely on which point one views them from, have suspended work on their prospect near Sheridan. Possibly a Plucky Five would fare much better in the way of unearthing ore at this property. A whole lot of day's work generally counts far more than luck in this mining district and often pays better.

Answering a correspondent who asks if the output of the Stevens Clay property isn't larger than any other mine in the country, we would say that the Calumet & Hecla mine, of Michigan, the Anaconda, of Butte, Montana, and many others have a daily tonnage of several thousand tons, possibly from 14 to 20,000 tons weekly.

THE MOUNTAIN ZINC, LEAD AND FLUOR SPAR COMPANY who are mining under a lease from Mr. R. W. Wilson, near Sulphur Springs have a car or two of shipping carbonate ready for market. Judge Greer, the president of the company tells us that this carbonate will be shipped to Mineral Point, Wis.

AN OLD NEWSPAPER.

The New York Herald of April 15, 1865, in hands of Dr. Frazer.

Dr. Frazer, of this city, has in his possession one of the oldest newspapers possibly in the county.

This paper is the New York Herald, dated Saturday, April 15, 1865. It is the first issue of the Herald published after the assassination of President Lincoln. It gives a detailed account of the foul murder, also of the attempt to assassinate Secretary Seward and his two sons, Clarence and Frederick.

The last proclamation of Jeff Davis the confederate president, is given in full and it shows the abiding faith Davis had in the confederacy.

The dispatch from Governor Vance, of North Carolina, advising that the Rebels submit to President Lincoln's terms is also given.

There is an account of the surrender of Montevideo to General Flores in Brazil March 11, 1865.

There are many things of interest about this old paper. It has only four pages or is one half the size of our county papers. It was then one of the largest papers published in this country and this fact is one illustration of our wonderful progress.

Market quotations are almost beyond comprehension for this generation. Flour is quoted at nine dollars per barrel, coffee at sixty-five cents per pound and cotton forty-five cents per pound.

Patent medicines are advertised to cure all the ailments human beings are heir to, but this generation never heard of the Vita Spark's Cough remedies and soothing syrups advertised at that time.

SHIPPING BEGINS.

Marion Mineral Company Turning Out Ten Tons Zinc Daily.

The Marion Mineral Company is running on full time now at their Pogue mines and are handling about 30 tons of ore there per day. They have had to deal with large quantities of water at that place for some time and have had trouble in securing a satisfactory pump.

Last Monday this company began washing their carbonate of zinc ore at the Miller mines. At that place they did not have a sufficient amount of water to wash the ore and in order to obtain it they extended their 65 foot shaft to a depth of 100 feet. The supply of water is now sufficient and they are preparing for shipment about ten tons of carbonate daily.

A LARGE RATTLER.

Killed in This County by an Outing Party.

About ten days ago a party of Caseyville gentlemen came across and pitched their tents among the Heath mountain hills to breathe the balmy air of old Crittenden and while away the time hunting and fishing.

They had a jolly good time, killed squirrels and caught fish and when about to break camp, one of the party discovered a monster rattlesnake, seized his gun and at once put the snake out of the way. This snake measured ten feet in length and was in possession of twenty-five rattles, a button and other necessary ornaments suitable for his snakeship. This is probably the largest snake ever killed in this county.

To the Public.

The Magnet Laundry will, during the month of August laundry ladies' shirt waists for 13 cents each or two for 25 cents. Your patronage solicited, satisfaction guaranteed. Apt attention given to country laundry.

Give me a trial, it will be appreciated. Yours very truly, VERNON OAKLEY At McConnell & Stone's store.

Salem and Crayneville Mail Route.

We are very much surprised to hear of the new route not being satisfactory because the people of Salem, View, Crayneville and the many people that live along the route are highly pleased with it for it is a great convenience and some thing that this large section of country has never before had the pleasure of enjoying, and certainly we deserve some recognition, and as to the road it traverses, it is considered one of the best roads in the county, being a nice shady valley road and running through one of the best farming sections of the country in this part of the state.

It does seem to us that Marion is blessed with a number of mail routes besides the mail they receive by railroads. They surely ought not to have any objection to us having just one convenience, besides, our affable and congenial mail carrier, Mr. Hale, is nicely fixed for carrying the mail and runs a nice hack for the convenience of the traveling public.

We do not envy Marion anything she is enjoying, and hope she will see her error in trying to have our mail route taken away from us. Of course, we are well aware that we have not as large a post office as Marion for handling the mail, but the one we have answers the purpose and we are all contented, and have no complaint to make. Now, let us have harmony and peace and good will toward every one and we will all feel better. Respectfully, CHAS. W. FOX

HOW TO WIN.

Kentucky State Building Told in Dispatch by Wireless.

WORLD'S FAIR BUREAU, July 29.—Let bachelors and bachelor girls take note.

The Kentucky state building and its contents, furniture and appointments will be given to such as hurry there with the ladies of their choice and are joined in matrimony within the portals of that hospitable house.

They will not be able to take possession of their new home at once for there will be, it is hoped, many candidates for its possession.

The reward will go to that couple who first celebrate their golden wedding after 50 years of domestic felicity, without wrangling.

There is already one pair of "Richmonds" in the field in the persons of J. R. Willett and his bride, who was Miss Eloyse Boyd.

In their pessimism concerning matrimonial peace and longevity, the Kentucky folk have already presented their building four times and do not seem to fear any claimants.

The Kentucky Society of St. Louis and the Kentucky merchants have both been presented with the building.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

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There Is an Evil Side to Modern College Athletics

By PROF. ALFRED E. STEARNS, Principal of the Phillips Andover Academy.



THE first duty of the school as well as the college, is to train its students mentally, morally and physically. In themselves, athletics offer splendid opportunities for this training, but athletic contests are coming to be regarded more and more an end rather than a means. Far too much importance is attached to success, until nothing short of victory will satisfy the contestant and his friends.

Questionable methods have become lamentably common. Players early are taught that skill in disregarding rules is a prime requisite of a successful athlete.

And the worst feature of this lamentable situation lies in the fact that it is largely graduates of our leading colleges and universities who are engaged in this demoralizing business. Surely athletics which depend for their success upon dishonesty and hatred are in need of a vigorous overhauling.

There is another demoralizing phase of the present athletic situation. The athlete has come to occupy altogether too important a position in the eyes of his fellows. He is led to overestimate his real worth.

The preparatory school is the greatest sufferer in this respect. In their eagerness to attain success, the colleges early canvass the secondary schools for material.

The various college representatives vie with one another in offering to young and susceptible boys all sorts of attractive inducements to lead them to choose given colleges. The college should unite with the school in putting a stop to the demoralizing practice of proselytizing.

I have no patience with those who most loudly protest against the physical dangers of football, who busy themselves with the framing of eligibility rules, whereby scores of honest, deserving students are debarred from the privilege of representing their school or college upon the diamond or gridiron; who regard summer ball playing as a horrible crime, and who would restrict American athletics to an aristocratic or leisure class.

Existing conditions furnish strong temptations to boys to deceive and to misrepresent. The restrictions are felt to be in a large measure unjust.

And boys are taught that undetected deception in games is a commendable thing. Hence they are not likely to adopt a wholly different standard when their own personal interests are involved. Can we wonder, then, that schools and colleges look with suspicion on the acts of their rivals and on the standing of individuals?

Give us clean, honest sport, backed up by sentiment that refuses to tolerate any attempt at deception and trickery, and we shall have little occasion to search for professionalism among our fellows or to waste our time in framing eligibility rules that are already becoming as cumbersome and ridiculous as the ancient code of the Pharisees.

When You Capsize

By ROBERT J. WILKIN, President Board of Governors American Canoe Association.

The causes of most accidents are ignorance and carelessness. If a person is acquainted with the tools he uses or the conditions surrounding him, in many cases no serious results would come from a temporary disarrangement of the plans.

It is unpleasant and quite serious to be capsized from a small boat, but under ordinary conditions there is no reason why a fatal result should follow. From an experience of over 20 years with canoes I can say without any fear of contradiction, because it is frequently proved at our club house, that one of the lightest canoes that can be built is amply able to support a large sized heavy man, even when filled with water. Nay, more than this, I have seen one of the very lightest canoes, when filled with water, support three adults, and at the Brooklyn Canoe club, on Gravesend bay, it is one of the usual exercises to capsize a canoe, and then have as many as possible get inside of it and see how many it will float before sinking.

As soon as the canoe capsizes the thing to do, without getting excited, is to right her. Of course she will be full of water. Do not attempt to get any of the water out, because this is generally impossible, but climb over either the side or the end, and when you do this the chances are that she will sink under the water, but as she feels the weight of your body lightening she will rise to the surface, and it is then for you to lie down in the boat, resting your head on the thwart or the cross-piece toward the end, where you can remain until picked up. The fact that your arm or arms may be put out of the water, so that you can wave to persons on the shore or on passing boats, will not materially affect the flotation of your boat. Not only one person can do this, but two.

If any one has a canoe and doubts this statement, let him try it the next time he goes in bathing, because I have never yet seen a boat, not even a canvas covered canoe, which are so very lightly built, that would not do this. Never have I heard of a person being drowned from a canoe where he had attempted to follow such suggestions as the above. On many occasions a fatal result has come from attempting to reach the shore by leaving the boat and swimming.

Spiritual Teachers

By MAURICE G. HERRING.

the clergy, whose theory of inspiration is based on the opinions expressed by semipolitical councils of the church on this subject more than a thousand years ago. The clergy are still expected by the regulations under which they take up their duties to believe that the only inspired books that have been written are those contained in the canons of the Old and New Testaments.

Of course the result of the higher criticism will in time be seen in the disappearance of such superstitions, and some of the more enlightened of the clergy have already ventured to state from their pulpits their belief in a continuous revelation in human life and history.

Nor is it improbable that some of us may live to see the day when the noblest passages of Shakespeare, Milton, Cowper, Wordsworth and others, shall be read aloud in our churches and chapels, as is already the case in theistic churches and at meetings of the ethical and positivist societies. For such a purpose the writings of Wordsworth are especially suitable, owing to their depth of religious feeling and high moral aims.

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HOT WEATHER.

And Thunder Storms Predicted for August by Irl R. Hicks.

Hicks' weather forecast for August follows:

The regular Vulcan storm period is central on the 3rd. The culminating days of the period will be the 3rd, 4th and 5th. On and touching these dates general storm conditions will develop and pass from West to East across the country. Sections which have been visited by many electrical, rain and hail storms, during much of July and August, will most likely have the same character of storms during this period. After heavy storm and bluster about the 3rd, 4th and 5th look for rising barometer, westerly winds and somewhat cooler.

On and touching the 8th and 9th under the influence of reactionary storm forces, intensified by the Moon's extreme North declination and conjunction with the Sun, the temperature will rise to some of the highest readings of the summer, the barometer will fall and severe storms and bluster will visit many localities in their sweep from West to East. This heated spell will not break down until after the new moon on the 11th, with strong probabilities that it will last into the regular storm period extending from the 12th to the 17th.

The moon will be at new, or in conjunction with Earth and Sun, on the 11th, in perigee, or nearest the Sun, on the 12th, and on the celestial equator on the 14th, the central day of a regular storm period. This period is also embraced in the on-coming Venus disturbance, which is central on the 24th. The disturbances of this period, whether or not West India storms come up from the South, may be expected over most interior parts of the country from Saturday the 13th to Tuesday the 16th, the culmination falling most likely on the 14th and 15th. Vicious thunder storms and high gales will center about Sunday, the 14th.

Reactionary storm conditions will return on and next to the 19th and 20th. This period will be within the brace of Earth's autumnal equinox and near the center of the Venus period, thus increasing the probabilities of equinoctial storms on the South waters and along the Southern coasts. There is almost a scientific certainty of such storms in such parts of the Earth before the end of August, making it wise for those most vitally concerned to watch the first indications of every storm period. Change to rising barometer and very much cooler, especially at night, will follow for some days the reactionary storms centering about the 18th and 19th.

The last regular storm period for August is central on the 26th extending from the 24th to the 29th. Within this period the Moon is at full on the 25th, in apogee on the 28th and on the celestial equator on the 28th. This period is also at the center of the Venus perturbation, and fully under the pressure of the Earth's September equinox. We may therefore confidently anticipate some very marked storm disturbances at this time.

The dates upon which volcanic and earthquake disturbances are most likely to reach a maximum, generally over the globe, will be the 9th to the 13th, and the 24th to the 28th of August. We will name Thursday, the 11th, and Thursday the 25th as central days of these probable seismic periods of disturbance.

Real Estate Transfers.

E. F. Crawford and Dr. J. W. Crawford to J. F. Gordon, Crawford property in Marion, \$3800.

R. W. Wilson and M. M. Wilson to J. W. Wilson 1 lot in East Marion, \$1,100.

G. W. Mathews and Eliza F. Mathews to J. A. and Nancy Mathews 10 4-5 acres \$100.10.

Thos. G. and J. L. Clifton to Jas. W. Brasher 1 lot and blacksmith shop in Dycusburg, \$200.

Cortes L. Hill and Ida L. Hill to Ed. Cruce 60 3-4 acres, \$420.

W. C. O'Bryan to Sam G. Givens, 148 acres, \$800.

Letter From Toppenish, Wash.

Dear Editor:—There is a sense of loyalty to "home" that Crittenden boys carry with them that causes them to often write back and tell of the things they have seen in their wanderings, and to do the same thing has struck me now.

The emigration from Crittenden to Washington last March and April was larger than has ever gone out from our county to any one place in my memory, and the constant inquiry is of the country they have come to and how they are succeeding. I shall only try to answer the inquiry briefly.

Speaking of the Kentuckians, their story can be told in a few words. One will say that this is almost the same to him as Heaven, while another will declare that the good spirit has never crossed the Rockies. One expects to make this his home while another expects to return home.

There are five things that have caused Central Washington to be quickly settled and that destined her to be one of the foremost states in the Union:

First, the fine water.

Second, the adaptability of the valleys to irrigation.

Third, the fertile soil.

Fourth, the fine markets that are growing better with the growth of Alaska and the trade to the Philippines.

Fifth, the moderate temperature and healthful climate.

There are numerous valleys in Central Washington, but this column shall be only descriptive of the Yakima Valley. Here under the Sunnyside Canal we raise potatoes and other vegetables, hops, alfalfa, red clover, timothy, horses and cattle, and various fruits, such as apples, peaches, pears, prunes, apricots, cherries, grapes and plums.

Alfalfa, potatoes, fruits and hops are the great money making products of Yakima. They yield well and bring a good price. Alfalfa yields from seven to ten tons per acre and is always in demand at from \$4 to \$10 per ton. Potatoes from 12 to 20 tons per acre and sell from \$10 to \$20 per ton. They were worth \$26 in April and new potatoes are going at \$20 per ton. Fruit is shipped from here to Europe as well as to New York, Chicago, Alaska and the coast and always brings the highest prices.

The land on the Sunnyside canal is almost all settled above the new extension. It redeemed about 16000 acres and was opened to settlement last winter and about one-half the land has been sold and is rapidly being brought under cultivation. Raw land is worth from \$40 to \$100 per acre while well improved land is almost beyond the reach of a poor man. When sold, it goes \$200 and up.

This country has been mainly settled by people from Minnesota, Iowa and Dakota while there are a few from other northern and central states. As a rule, all are an energetic, hustling class of people that are capable of good citizenship.

Farm hands here demand fair wages, being about double that at home and good men are always in demand.

The cool of the evening has come and on the lawn in front of me are two young people making love, while the strains of familiar tunes are coming from a neighbor's house, being sung by old acquaintances, so I must close, hoping for success to the Raxoid and happiness to its readers.

Very truly yours,
JACOB CRIDER

Notice.

Any one wanting a nice little farm, call on G. W. Arlback on the Marion and Ford's Ferry road 1 1-2 miles from Marion.

Marriage License.

Horace McCartlin to Miss Jesse A. Jennings.

J. W. Ethridge to Miss Luella Rowland.

W. H. George to Laura Bigham; (colored.)

Marvelous Growth of Our Factories and Railroads

By WILLIAM C. BROWN,
Vice-President of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern and New York Central Railways.



NO single agency has contributed more to the marvelous growth and development of our country, during the last half of the century just closed, than the great business of manufacturing.

From a position of comparative insignificance in 1850, the inspiration of American genius, energy, and enterprise has made this country the greatest manufacturing country of the earth, for in the year 1900 the value of the products of the manufactories of the United States exceeded thirteen billions of dollars, being greater than those of Great Britain, Germany and France combined.

In the great march of industrial progress of the nation, during the past three score years, the manufacturer and the railroad have kept shoulder to shoulder, each contributing much to the other, and both making contribution to national prosperity and greatness, without which the hands on the dial of progress and development of the country would be set back fully 50 years.

On the arch which spanned the entrance to the great Transportation building at the Columbian exposition was inscribed the stately and wonderfully prophetic utterance of Macaulay in relation to improved means of transportation and communication:

"Of all inventions, the alphabet and the printing press alone excepted, those inventions which abridge distance have done most for the civilization of our species. Every improvement of the means of locomotion benefits mankind morally and intellectually, as well as materially, and not only facilitates the interchange of the various productions of nature and art, but tends to remove national and provincial antipathies and to bind together all the branches of the great human family."

Written years ago, the words of Macaulay foreshadow, but give scant conception, of the tremendous influence of the railroad and the telegraph upon every branch and avenue of human activity and endeavor.

On July 4, 1826, the first rail of the first railroad in the United States was laid.

It was the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, and Hon. Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, the last surviving signer of that immortal document, drove the first spike in the impressive ceremony which marked the laying of that first rail of America's railway system.

It is safe to say that no other man has ever participated in two great focal events so momentous in importance, so full of far-reaching, tremendous significance for all mankind; not in our country alone, but to the uttermost parts of the earth and to the end of time.

The first was the birth cry of a new nation, "conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal." To its maintenance were pledged the lives, the fortunes, and the sacred honor of the immortal band of patriots who fixed their names to that sublime declaration of principles and of the colonies they represented, and in eight years of as heroic struggle as history records, that pledge was gloriously and triumphantly redeemed.

Save and except the birth of the Christ child in Bethlehem's manger, no event in all the ages has ever meant so much to humanity. It changed a nation of subjects into sovereigns and lighted on this western continent a beacon light of liberty which has been, and always will be, an example and an inspiration to the oppressed of every nation of the earth. It confirmed to our fathers, to us, and to our children's children unto remotest generations the precious heritage of liberty and equality, and made simple American citizenship a priceless birthright.

The later event, separated from the former by the span of 50 years, made possible the marvelous development and progress of the last half of the nineteenth century—development which exceeded that of any previous ten centuries in the history of the world—and which added an hundred-fold to the value of every American birthright.

From this small beginning, within the memory of many living today, the progress, the development of the railroad has been the story of the onward, resistless march of a mighty nation. The church, the school-house, and the railroad have for three-quarters of a century formed the advance guard of settlement and civilization, and to-day the railroad mileage of the United States is over 200,000 miles, the passengers transported number 650,000,000 per annum, and 1,200,000,000 tons of freight are handled each year.

An army of 1,200,000 strong is employed directly, and almost countless other thousands are furnished employment in the mines, the forests, and the factories furnishing railroads with the millions of dollars' worth of material and equipment annually consumed. Even in this time of stupendous undertakings, the figures stagger comprehension.

What Is Independence?

By HON. CHARLES W. DEMPSTER.

Is it independence which prompts an able-bodied young man, with a good education and pretty, soft, white hands, to refuse to do manual labor, because it is "beneath him," while he borrows money from his friends or sends home to aged parents for help?

Is it independence which drives a refined and educated young woman to ask financial assistance of her gentlemen friends and acquaintances, and finally brings about her ruin, because, as she haughtily expresses it, she is "too independent to work in anybody's kitchen," until something better may present itself?

Alas! Is it true independence bars the road to success? Is it true that independence, so dear to the hearts of our noble forefathers, is driving thousands of our young Americans to ruin? Or, is independence, which is one of the cornerstones upon which our great government is founded, being misunderstood, misused and abused?

Young man! Young woman! It is time to call a halt! If you are indolent and will accept nothing but a "snap," where you are to receive more pay than you are worth to your employer, then say so, and at least be honest with yourself. Do not try to cover up your grievous fault by calling it independence. The world knows better. Remember, that to every true American, independence is more sacred than life itself, for it was purchased upon the battlefields by our fathers, and they paid their noble lives as the price. Therefore, when you call indolence by this sacred name, you insult the memory of the greatest and best men that ever lived.

Independence is the path to success; indolence to ruin!

Charles W. Dempster

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REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT

THEODORE ROOSEVELT
Of New York.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT

CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS
Of Indiana.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF

DUVALL—We are authorized to announce Alonzo J. Duvall a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

In addition to the gold in circulation in this country there is in the treasury vaults of the United States gold and gold bullion to the amount of \$696,000,000, exclusive of the legal gold reserve of \$150,000,000. No other nation in the world can make such a showing. Since 1898 the total of gold certificates has increased from \$37,000,000 to \$519,000,000.

"Mrs. E. T. and Miss Margaret Reid are getting along fine"—words that fell from the pen of the Hon. E. T. Franks, of Owensboro, while writing to a relative in Marion. But mind you, the words were written after eight o'clock Friday morning July 29, 1904. This was also after the St. Louis Convention and at a time that Republican victory seemed brighter than ever. Had this occurred before the convention or did not victory seem so sure the prefix to the new arrival's name might be different.

We are surprised to note that the Illinois Life Insurance Company has seen fit to withdraw from the State of Kentucky. It will be remembered that this company took over The Kentucky Mutual Life about a year ago assuming all that company's policy contracts. Now, if it is true as reported that the Illinois Life has withdrawn solely because the Insurance Department of the State asked permission to examine its books in order to ascertain the financial status of the concern in the interest of its policy holders, then there must be something wrong. This action would lead us to think that the company was financially impaired. Many of our best citizens hold policies in the company and we trust that its withdrawal is due to some legitimate cause rather than the company's financial condition and fear of exposure.

It appears that there must be something the matter with the financiers of Paducah. The city officials or financiers have issued and sold 4 per cent bonds to the extent of \$200,000 when only \$50,000 can be put to use. Paying at the rate of \$6000 per year interest on idle money is a novel proceeding. We understand the officials are now endeavoring to loan the money but it appears that the City Treasurer under the city charter has to deposit all city funds in the city depository.

The labor unions all over the country seem to be in a state of disintegration. "Whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad" seems especially applicable to these organizations. East and west, north and south, what is known as union labor is indirect antagonism to their employers. Strikes and lockouts, dishonest agreements and all the accompaniments of strife and turmoil seem to be a component part of what is now known as "union labor." Meantime the industrial world is quietly changing its status employing labor wherever met with, regardless of the union, but giving a preference to the man without the union card.

MINING AT SALEM.

Personal Paragraphs of Mining Capitalists—Other Mines.

Brice Lewis, of Golconda, was in the city Saturday and was pleased with the rapid developments that have been made here in the past few months.

C. S. Knight, of the Riley mine, spent several days here looking over his vast interests.

Capt. T. H. B. Haase and J. A. Cohenour spent Saturday night in Marion.

Messrs. Foster, of the Farmland Mining Co., will arrive in the city in a few days to push work on their Bennett and Linley properties. The former lies just south west of the world renowned Nancy Hanks and will no doubt prove as rich as this wonderful mine.

The Pittsburg Mining and Manufacturing Company are contemplating erecting a large mill at their Elba Hodge mines this fall. This company is one of the pioneers in this district and have done a great work towards development.

Messrs. Lewis and Garrard have opened a very fine vein of carbonate and fluor spar on their Bobout property which they recently bought of George Corn. This mine lies just between the Corn mines owned by the Givens Mining Company and the Keyes carbonate mine.

THE ANNUAL CAMP MEETING.

Now in Session at Hampton—Large Crowd Sunday—Water Spout.

The annual camp meeting is now in full session at the Bigham shed near Hampton. This meeting began on Thursday of last week. Evangelists Miss Bertie Crow and J. J. Smith, who as reported in the Record last week held a few services here, are conducting the meeting. This is not the first time the meeting there has been conducted by them. They conducted the meetings there several years ago and have been recalled time and again.

Last Saturday and Sunday especially, large crowds attended the services and much interest was shown in the meeting. This year there seems to be an absence of the disorderly element on the grounds. It is true that there are several stands and penny picture galleries but the business of such is being conducted along orderly lines, besides, revenue from these go a long way toward defraying the expenses of the meeting, and, too, where there are such crowds together, were it not for the refreshing, cool drinks served by the stands the people would suffer. Next Saturday and Sunday will be the concluding days of the meeting and it is expected that those days will be the biggest days of the meeting.

We trust there will be no water spout to contend with as last Sunday. On that day in the afternoon about four o'clock, just after the crowd had been dismissed a cloud that had been gathering in the west and north suddenly swung round to the southward and seemed to burst as it gathered over the vicinity of Hampton. Many people who had started home got soaking wet before they could reach shelter. Within 30 minutes the creek near the camp shed rose so rapidly and to such a height that carriages and horses on the camp ground were endangered, one or two buggies being washed away. After the downpour had closed Richard Bebout, of this county, accompanied by Miss Katie Dunn, of Birdsville, being on the opposite side of the creek from the shed attempted to cross over on a log. When about midway both fell into the water which was about ten feet deep and very swift. In a twinkling they were carried about ten steps by the current, dipped half a dozen times and probably both would have been drowned had it not been for the bystanders rushing to the rescue.

With the Churches.

Next Sunday evening the union services will be conducted at the 1st Presbyterian church by Rev. T. A. Conway.

Sunday evening union services were conducted at the C. P. church by Rev. S. J. Martin. Text, Luke 23:41-43. The thought on which the sermon was given was: The sinner's plea is heard and answered. The leading points in the sermon were, on the cross one thief reviled the Savior while the other prayed to be remembered by Him when in His kingdom. The plea answered.

Sunday at 11 o'clock Rev. J. F. Price preached to a good crowd at the C. P. church. Text, Luke 23:43. His subject was: The intermediate state, or the condition of the soul between death and the resurrection. He discussed the different theories of the intermediate state of the soul first, declared second that the soul was conscious immediately after death, third, the righteous soul immediately went to heaven and fourth, the wicked soul went direct to hell. His idea was that the judgment day has reference to a time when there will be a confirmation of the judgment already passed by God.

At the M. E. church Sunday Rev. T. V. Joiner read 1st lesson 12th chapter of Daniel, 2nd lesson 5th chapter of John. Text, Acts 24:15. Subject: Resurrection of the human body. Discussed from the standpoint of Objection and Order. It was shown that the resurrection of the body was not contrary to science, that if it were a mystery there are many accepted mysteries that cannot be discarded, then why this? It was also shown that if contrary to experience it is none the less true and the proof is shown in the deeds and acts of Christ. It was stated the resurrection would be universal and that the righteous should appear in the likeness and glory of Christ while the unrighteous should arise in shame and commotion.

Dwelling Burned.

Wednesday at 11 o'clock the dwelling of Oil Crider, who resided 1 1-2 miles south of Gladston, this county, burned to the ground. Only a few things were saved. Loss, about \$1000, covered by insurance. It is reported that Mr. Crider did not have enough clothes left to wear to town.

The origin of the fire is not known.

Marriage License.

Edward D. Hinchey to Miss Minnie L. Fortner.

J. W. Carson to Miss Mattie J. Marten.

COX SPRINGS

Scene of Big Barbecue Saturday—Salem Notes—Useful Tail.

We have a prosperous little town which seems to be the rallying point in Livingston county. Several new buildings have gone up in the last few months. Salem has many advantages now to what she had a few years ago. We have five daily mails. They are carried in hacks, so conveyances can be had to most any part of Livingston and Crittenden counties. The south-east part of Livingston and Crittenden fail to find words to express thanks to Uncle Sam for the new daily mail route from Salem to Crayneville. Our county officials, too, are looking to the interest of the south-eastern part of Livingston. There is being an iron bridge erected across Dry Creek.

We welcome the mining capitalists who have already come into our midst, and expect others to come in and push the great mining enterprise by opening up the great mouths of the earth.

On Saturday, July 30th, a great concourse of people from Crittenden and Livingston counties met between the Cullen and Nancy Hanks mines near Cox Springs. Hogs, sheep and goats were nicely barbecued and a sumptuous dinner served. Jim Harris, Jack Stephens and Hayden Threlkeld were the managers. After dinner came the speaking. Candidates for Sheriff spoke first, then County Attorney, and when the call was made for Jailer, there was an appearance of a cyclone riding over bushes and the cracking of sticks, so many came from different parts of this vast multitude—14 in number. This is not like the race to which Paul referred. In that race they all ran and at the end of the race was a prize. But boys, there will be no prize for 13. Then those for Assessor came and County Superintendent of Schools. It is understood that this barbecue was for the benefit of the candidates subject to the Democratic party, though there were a great many Republicans on the ground. It seemed that they had nothing to do but to feast upon the fat of the land and to drink cold, ice lemonade, looking in the near future for the dawn of day.

The question has been solved how to take a log chain to the shop without carrying it or hauling it in a wagon. This discovery has been made: Tie the log chain to a horse's tail. Saturday, at Salem, Uncle Billie Hayden passed through the streets on his pony with a log chain about 40 feet long tied to his

pony's tail. But how about the snags that are common where log chains are used and should the chain hang on a snag would the rider be suspended in air?

HOW MUCH CASH

Is Your Life Worth to Your Family or Estate Each Year.

THINK A MOMENT AND READ

The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company's statement of premiums and dividends of Policy No. 77,610, on the life of John T. Cochran, issued July 8, 1874, at age of 40. Amount \$1,000. Annual premium \$30.84.

ORDINARY LIFE PLAN

Year	Dividends	Net Pay'ts
1874	\$—	\$30.84
1875	6.17	24.67
1876	6.53	24.31
1877	6.96	23.88
1878	7.41	23.43
1879	7.87	22.97
1880	8.35	22.49
1881	8.84	22.00
1882	8.37	22.47
1883	7.32	23.52
1884	7.82	23.02
1885	8.33	22.51
1886	8.75	22.09
1887	9.00	21.84
1888	9.49	21.35
1889	9.76	21.08
1890	10.04	20.80
1891	10.33	20.51
1892	10.63	20.21
1893	10.94	19.90
1894	11.25	19.59
1895	10.64	20.20
1896	10.96	19.88
1897	11.29	19.55
1898	11.63	19.21
1899	11.98	18.86
1900	10.15	20.69
1901	10.49	20.35
1902	10.81	20.08
1903	11.14	19.70
	\$273.25	\$651.95

Total 30 full premiums \$925.20
Total dividends 273.25

Net cost \$651.95
Policy matured by death June 20, 1904, and settlement was made as follows:

Amount of policy \$1,000.00
Post Mortem dividend '04 11.12

Cash \$1,011.12
The average yearly cost was \$21.73. Other companies are invited to show a corresponding record.

If any company asks you to agree to forego dividends for many years, and to forfeit all right to them in case of death or lapse—don't.

Call and be convinced.
R. D. BROWNING, Agent.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

R. J. Morris, Dentist, Marion.
 Fred Myers, of Tolu, was here Monday.
 Jesse Farris, of Salem, was here Tuesday.
 F. W. Billart is visiting in Oakland City, Ind.
 Delmer Babb, of Piney, was in town Monday.
 Mrs. E. S. Love returned from Salem Tuesday.
 J. J. May, of Carrsville, was in town this week.
 W. H. Wallace, of Iron Hill, was here Tuesday.
 J. M. Guess and wife, of Tolu, were here Tuesday.
 H. N. Lamb, of Iron Hill, called at this office Tuesday.
 Miss Lillie Cook, of Paducah, returned home Monday.
 J. W. Paris, the Tolu miller, called to see us Monday.
 W. T. Crawford and wife visited relatives at Tolu Sunday.
 J. W. Custer, of Fredonia, was a caller at this office Monday.
 W. H. Ordway, of Crayneville, called at this office Monday.
 Miss Claudia May Chittenden visited Miss Bertie Chittenden last week.
 Miss Ida Belout, left Monday for Paducah where she will teach this season.
 John D. Hinchie, of Gladstone, was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday.
 Dr. C. G. Moreland, of Ford's Ferry, was in town Saturday on business.
 Mrs. M. E. Croft and children are guests of friends and relatives in Salem.
 Miss Clara Hurley, of Hurricane, was the guest of Mrs. J. A. Farmer last week.
 Mrs. W. T. Oakley and Miss Doll Jacobs returned Monday from White Plains.
 Chas. Evans and mother attended the big barbecue and speaking at Salem Saturday.
 Miss Lovie Trayler left Thursday for Caldwell county to visit relatives and friends.
 Mrs. M. B. Higginson, of Blackburn, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Ringo.
 W. B. Butler and wife attended the barbecue at the Cullen mines near Salem Saturday.
 Mrs. Dora Bell and children, of Dalton, was the guest of Miss Dora Morgan last week.
 Mrs. R. F. Haynes and little daughter, Gwendoline, are spending the week at Dawson.
 Mrs. W. A. Ringo was the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Higginson, Saturday and Sunday.
 The fly season is still on. Special prices on screens.
 BOSTON & PARIS.
 Misses Florence and Cora Lewis and Dora Elder, of Sisco Chapel, were pleasant callers Tuesday.
 Miss Della Kevil returned Monday from Christian county where she has been visiting relatives.
 Mrs. E. M. Eaton, of Salem, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Love, the first of the week.
 Miss Vera McCord has returned home after spending six weeks in Paducah. She was the guest of Mrs. Robert Deboe.
 Mrs. John Pickens and daughter, Miss Elva, accompanied by Miss Lena Holtsclaw, left today to visit near Sugar Grove.
 Mrs. J. H. Tonkins and little daughter, Marjorie, are spending the week at Wheatcroft, the guests of Mrs. Wheatcroft.
 Chas. J. Haury, of the Trigg Co. Lead Zinc and Fluor Spar Co. was in Trigg county this week looking after his mineral interests there.
 Rev. J. F. Price presented us with some of the finest peaches we have seen this year. They were raised in his orchard at this place.

C. B. Hina moved his family from Tolu to the Belt place near the brick yard.
 Miss Malinda Metz, of Caseyville, is in the city the guest of her brother, Ed Metz.
 Thos. W. Champion and Miss Daisy Towery attended the Hampton camp meeting Sunday.
 Misses Fen Wathen, of Ford's Ferry, and Clara Nunn, of Rodney, were guests of Miss Sadie Rankin last week.
 Noble Hill is attending the Fair and Mrs. Geo. M. Crider and Miss Willborn are distributing the mail this week.
 Mit Yandell, who has traveled extensively in the west and north, was in the city Friday. He is visiting his parents at Frances.
WANTED—A good horse to take care of, feed well, for its use. Riding or driving. Light work. Apply at Record office. 4t
 R. R. Tudor, C. E. Towery, M. W. Guess, G. G. Tudor and G. E. Towery, all of Shady Grove, were here Saturday and subscribed for the Record.
FOR SALE—A few choice lots in O'Brien addition. Prices reasonable, terms to suit purchaser. 4t
 C. E. WELDON
 Rev. B. Frank Jacobs, of this city, and who is pastor for several churches near Erin, Tenn., was in the city this week visiting friends and relatives.
 Misses Rebecca Williams and Mary Northern who have been visiting Mrs. E. C. Moore at the New Marion, returned to their home at Providence Wednesday.
 Rev. R. H. Higgins and little daughter, Edna, of Hubbardsville, returning from visiting relatives near Hampton, were guests of Mrs. J. A. Farmer Monday.
 Ernest Williams, of Anneton, Mo., arrived in the city Monday to visit friends and relatives here. He reports that the corn and wheat crop in Missouri is very fine.
 Master Gordon Haynes, of DeLand, Fla., arrived here Monday to be the guest of relatives until October 1st, when he will return to Louisville, where he has been for some time.
 Farmers, bring your eggs and butter to me. Will pay highest market price. M. COOPER.
 R. M. Moore and son, Herbert, of Atoka, I. T., are in the city visiting friends and relatives. He is an attorney at Atoka and is the oldest son of Judge J. A. Moore, of this city.
 Monday J. A. Farmer and Judge Towery made a very satisfactory survey of the Geo. Horning place north of Crittenden Springs for mineral men who have recently leased the place.
 We will gladly furnish estimate on material for all kinds of buildings, large or small.
 BOSTON & PARIS.
 Selling meats to you on a cash basis enables me to give you a bargain dinner. Let me send you a juicy roast at 8c per lb. or a tender steak at 10c. D. E. GILLILAND
 Monday Rev. W. T. Oakley returned from White Plains where he had been engaged in a successful eight days' meeting. He was assisted in the work by Rev. B. F. Jacobs of this city.
 W. E. Loovern, of Fairmont, Jefferson county, Ky., is here visiting friends and relatives. He was reared in this county and this is the first time he has been here in 23 years.
 Among those who went from here to the Hampton camp meeting Sunday were: Misses Mabel Guess and Willie Croft, and Messrs. Bruce Babb, Presley Guess, Robt. Guess and A. J. Chittenden.
BARGAIN—Farm containing 100 acres 2 1/2 miles north of Hampton, Livingston county, for sale. Good farm, lays well and on public road, Price \$700, cash \$400, balance on terms to suit purchaser. Call and see us or write to THE RECORD, Marion, Ky. 4t

J. A. Guess went to Evansville Thursday.
 The Zion workers left for Sturgis Thursday morning.
 J. W. Blue and children returned from St. Louis Saturday.
 Miss Addie Franks is visiting friends in Salem this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Willborn, of Fords Ferry, were in town Monday.
 Attorney Thos. W. Champion attended court at Morganfield this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson are at Crittenden Springs for a few weeks.
 E. P. Stewart, the new jeweler, was in Evansville this week on business.
 J. D. Elder, of the Pierce-Elder Hardware Co., of Salem, was here Wednesday.
 Col. D. C. Roberts was over the Ohio river in the fluor spar country most of the week.
 D. E. Gilliland has purchased the meat market of Tom White on Carlisle or Bank street.
 W. Hugh Watson, who had a position with this paper, began his school at Barnett's Monday.
 Will Summers, lately of the West, and who is visiting relatives near Salem was in town Wednesday.
 Misses Nar and Virgie Nunn, of Frankfort, arrived to-day to visit friends and relatives for two or three weeks.
 The Marion second base ball nine was defeated by the Kelsey second nine Wednesday, on the grounds of the latter.
 Manager Black, of one of the largest lead mining companies in Illinois, visited Marion on Tuesday and Wednesday.
 W. S. Duvall, of near Repton, has for sale 100 gallons of fine home grown sorghum molasses at forty cents per gallon.
 Will Clement, of Evansville, was in the city the first of this week. Will has a position with the I. C. railroad company.
 F. W. Barnard, of the Pittsburg Mining & Manufacturing Co., of Smithland, Ky., and Golconda, Ill., is in the city.
 J. W. Tabor, J. J. Agee, J. F. Maberry, Bob Williams and S. S. Adams, of Mexico, were in town on business Tuesday and Wednesday.
 Having purchased the White Meat Shop I am ready to furnish you with high-grade meats. Roast at 8c and steak at 10c.
 D. E. GILLILAND
 G. E. Boston returned Monday from Greenwood, Miss., where he has been several weeks engaged in carpenter work. Some time ago Mr. Boston left here and went to Union City, Tenn., where he underwent an operation and treatment on his eyes. Being unable to continue his work at Greenwood on account of his eyes he came home.
 Messrs. T. H. Cochran, Geo. M. Crider, W. B. Yandell, of this city, and J. M. Freeman, of Crayneville, pitched their tents at Hill Spring this week for their annual camp. These gentlemen spend from four to six weeks at that place each summer with their families, and we are told that the efficacy of the water is such that they do not get sick from one summer to the next.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moore, of Madisonville, attended the J. A. Moore family reunion here Sunday and remained over Monday returning home Tuesday. Mr. Moore is a Marion boy and we are glad to note that he is an energetic, affable and successful business young man. He is a member of the hardware firm Bourland & Moore, of Madisonville.
 Percy Jones, of Drakesboro, was the guest of friends here from Friday till Monday. In his honor Misses Mamie Hubbard, Ina Price, Mildred Haynes and Verna Pickens, and Messrs. Jamie Kevil, Trice Bennett, and Leslie Melton, gave a picnic at Crittenden Springs Saturday evening.

LAWYERS WIN

They Put the Doctors to the Bad in Short Order.

THE MARION-PRINCETON GAME

Tuesday the local lawyers and doctors crossed bats on the diamond here. A good crowd was in attendance and great interest was shown in the game as it was the most novel of the season. The result:

Lawyers—	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
O. M. James 1b	6 1 3 4 0 1
J. W. Blue cf	5 1 1 0 0 0
C. Henderson 4b	5 0 0 1 0 0
Jno. Moore ss	4 1 0 0 0 0
W. Clark p	4 2 3 0 21 0
T. Champion lf	5 2 1 1 0 0
A. C. Moore rf	1 0 0 0 0 0
C. S. Nunn 2b	3 3 1 3 1 4
O. Hurley c	0 0 0 18 3 2
J. D. Gregory rf	1 0 0 0 0 0
Total	34 20 9 27 26 7

Doctors—	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
F. W. Nunn p	3 2 3 0 10 0
† R. J. Morris 1b	5 1 2 8 1 3
T. A. Frazer 3b	4 1 0 2 1 3
E. E. Newcomb cf	3 2 0 0 0 0
J. Clark 2b	5 0 2 2 1 3
R. F. Haynes ss	5 0 0 0 0 0
† G. E. Shively rf	4 1 1 1 0 1
T. Daughtrey lf	3 0 0 0 0 0
O. Hurley c	0 0 0 13 5 2
Total	32 7 8 26 18 12

† Pitched part of game.
 • Henderson out, hit by batted ball.

SUMMARY
 Three base hit—W. Clark.
 Two base hit—Morris.
 Bases on balls—Off Clark 5, off Nunn 4, off Shively 3.
 Left on bases—Lawyers 6, Doctors 4.
 First base on errors—Lawyers 4, Doctors 1.
 Struck out—By Clark 18, by Nunn 9, by Shively 2, by Morris 1.
 Hit by pitched ball—W. Clark, A. C. Moore, Daughtrey.
 Stolen bases—Lawyers 8, Doctors 11.
 Umpires—Lamb and McNeely.

"There wasn't nothin' to it," Marion just simply played rings around them on Wednesday of last week and won by 7 to 2.

The game was a great one and was played before a good crowd that rooted from first to last. Our team was considerably crippled, but got Dr. Morris and Shirley Ramsey to fill in and everybody played ball up to the handle.

The features of the game were two great double plays by Gilbert, catching almost impossible flies with base runners so far away they could not get back, and the playing of Claud Guess at third base. Guess made a great double unassisted by gathering in a liner and jumping on third. Gilbert also made a double play unassisted. Thomas caught a good game and Nesbit put up a star game at short. The score:

Marion—	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Lamb, 1b.	- 4 0 0 0 8 0 0
Nesbit, ss.	- 4 1 1 3 1 0
Ramsey, 2b.	- 4 0 2 0 0 0
Morris, lf.	- 3 1 1 1 0 0
Driskill, p.	- 4 1 2 0 2 0
Thomas, c.	- 3 1 1 8 1 1
Guess, 3b.	- 4 0 3 4 5 0
Clark, rf.	- 3 1 0 0 0 0
Gilbert, cf.	- 3 2 2 3 1 0
Total	- 32 7 12 27 10 1

Princeton—	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Cooksey, lf.	- 4 0 1 1 0 1
B. Pettit, rf.	- 3 0 1 0 0 0
G. Morris, c.	- 4 1 2 9 2 0
G. Pettit, 2b.	- 3 0 1 2 0 1
Hadden, 3b.	- 4 0 1 3 0 1
H. Moore, p.	- 3 0 1 2 2 0
Greer, 1b.	- 3 0 0 6 0 1
D. Pettit, cf.	- 3 1 1 0 0 0
Stevens, ss.	- 3 0 2 1 0 1
Total	- 30 2 10 24 4 5

Base on balls—Off Driskill 4; off Moore 1.
 Stolen bases—Nesbit; Ramsey 3; Morris 2; Thomas; Clark; Gilbert 4; B. Pettit; Stevens 3.
 Struck out—By Driskill 5; by Moore 8.
 Double plays—Gilbert to Lamb; Gilbert unassisted, Guess unassisted.
 Two base hits—Moore.
 Time—1 hour, 45 minutes.
 Umpire—Chas. Moore.

A Family Reunion.
 Last Sunday the children and grandchildren of Judge Jas. A. Moore met at his home on Main street and held a family reunion.
 R. M. Moore, an attorney of Atoka, Indian Territory who is the oldest son of Judge Moore, accompanied by his son, Herbert, arrived in the city last Friday morning. As he had not notified his relatives of his coming, it was a very pleasant surprise to them to see him and his being here was doubtless the occasion of the family reunion. Edward, another of the Judge's sons who is in the hardware business in Madisonville then being the only absent member of the family he was telephoned for and he and his wife and child arrived at noon Sunday. All were soon gathered at the Judge's home where a splendid dinner was served and an enjoyable day spent. In the afternoon many songs were sung, the Moore choir entirely composed of good singers, being led by Miss Carrie, who has few equals in this part of the state.
 Edward Moore and family returned home Tuesday but R. M. or "Bob" as he is known here, will spend a few weeks greeting his old friends before he returns to the Territory, this being his first visit home in twelve years.

Rich Roast Beef—There is nothing more satisfying than high grade juicy beef. Call at the new Meat Market, Roast at 8c and steak at 10c per pound.
 D. E. GILLILAND
 Tom Northern, who has been visiting Mrs. E. C. Moore, has returned home.
 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.

Recorded Deeds.
 C. E. Weldon and Lula M. Weldon to Josie M. Gorman 1 town lot in Tolu, \$375.
 P. S. Maxwell to W. A. Blackburn and C. E. Weldon, 16 9-10 acres.
 C. E. Weldon and Margaret F. Weldon to W. B. Sullenger 35 acres, \$1225.
 W. C. O'Bryan to David B. Kevil 1 triangular lot of ground in O'Bryan's addition, \$1000.
 L. F. and C. C. White to J. M. McChesney 1 lot, \$125.
 W. C. O'Bryan to Sam G. Givens, 148 acres, \$800.
 B. L. and Ida Shaw to Geo. H. Foster and J. B. Hubbard, 180 acres, 1500.
 Mrs. Margaret L. Wright to W. C. Lynn 42 acres, \$800.
Mules and Horses Wanted!
 We will be at Ordway Bros. & Guess livery stable Monday, August 8th, to buy good mules and horses. Highest market price paid. Bring in your stock.
 LAYNE & LEVEL
 Miss Muriel Freeman is the guest of Miss Rebecca Williams, of Providence, this week.
 Mrs. D. Woods has returned from Decatur, Ill., where she was the guest of her son, Everett.
 Miss Alice Hearin, of Blackburn, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carl Henderson, has moved to the city and will live at the residence of Mrs. Henderson.
 Mrs. Clarence Black visited her parents at Kuttawa the first of the week.
Notice.
 All persons having claims against the state of Nathan R. Black, Jr., will present same properly proven on or before August 30, 1904, or be forever barred.
 MARY J. BLACK.

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NOW ON SALE.

Best Located Lots in Town at Reasonable Prices.

The Blackburn-Weldon addition to Marion lies 343 feet south of Depot street or Wilson avenue, 827 feet west of Main Street and its northeast corner is only 363 yards from the court house square. Best located lots that are for sale in town. Call and see plat at County Clerk's Office.

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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, I 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
Smith, Mrs Poll A 21-2a near M H Weldon, tax '03 and costs 2.90
Young, Obe S, 1 lot in Marion, tax 02-03 and cost 5.45
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
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
Harris, Jas F, 10 a near J H Thomason, 03 tax and costs 4.80
Henry, Snd N, 1 lot in Marion, 03 tax and costs 11.65
Hill, Robt N, 120 a near A Woodall, 03 tax and costs 14.10
Hill, E Porter, 30 a near T J Yandell, 03 tax and costs 8.80
Howerton, Rachel C, 150 a near Wm Duvall, 03 tax and costs 11.45
Morgan, Mrs Decia, 1 lot in Marion, '03 tax and cost 6.75
Moss, Wm S, 175 a near G W Cruce, 03 tax and costs 27.75
McCaslin, Jas F, 68 a near H P Jacobs, 03 tax and cost 9.05
Rowland, Jas J, 37 a near T R Rowland, 03 tax and costs 7.75
Shinnal, 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
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
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, 114 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 Tabor, 03 tax and cost 5.05
Nichols, Wm R, 191-2 a near Mary Bennett, 03 tax & cost 5.55
Barnes, Sue W 21-2 lots in Dyeusburg, 03 tax and cost 3.45
Brown, Jas W, 3 lots in Dyeusburg, 03 tax and cost 8.40
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
Daniels, Chas G, 335 a near Wm Barnett, 03 tax and cost 36.05
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
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
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
Station, Noah E, 26 a near M F Enoch, 03 tax and cost 4.80
Truitt, Henry C, 60 a near Mrs M C Ryan, 03 tax and cost 7.50

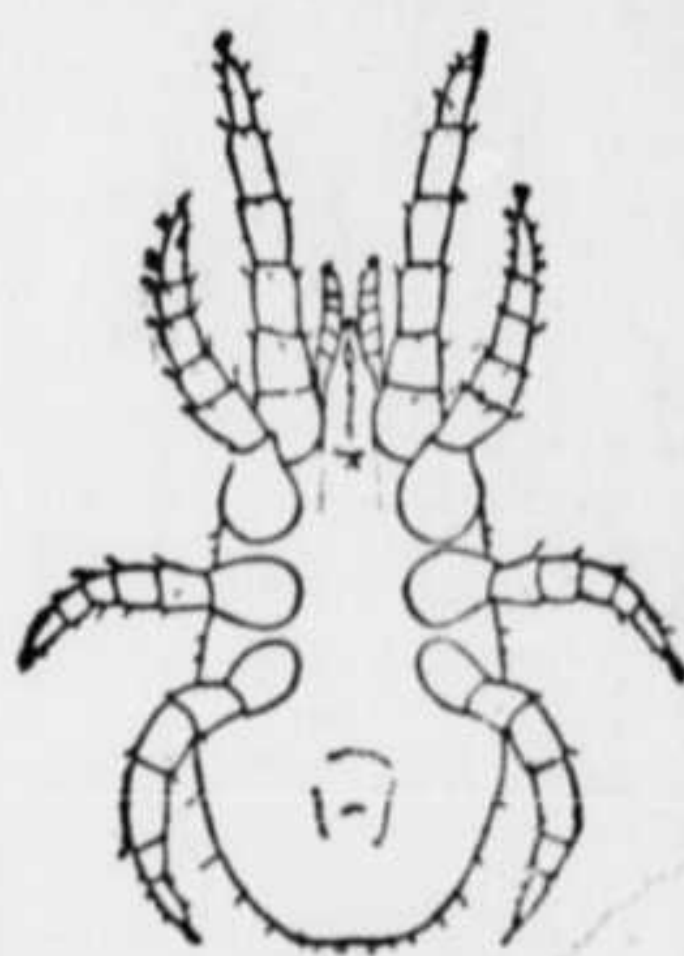
Young, Hutchison, agt Mrs Belt lot in Tolu, 03 tax & cost 4.70
Foley, Jesse D, 190 a near J E Sullenger, 03 tax and cost 11.65
Belt, Mrs Sarah E, 15 a near Jno A Robertson, 03 tax and cost 2.50
Crowell, Jno R, lot in Weston, 03 tax and cost 4.30
Fowler, Mrs Florence, 59 a near F Fowler, 03 tax and cost 11.65
Holman, Wm T 427 a near R L Rankin, 03 tax and cost 26.65
Hughes, Roe, agt Mrs Lamb, lot in Weston, 03 tax and cost 2.75
Moore, Jas B B, 40 a near Mrs mott, 03 tax and cost 5.10
Watson, Frank E, 50 a near Wm Orr, 03 tax and cost 11.45
Winders, Nancy J, 51 a near B Barger, 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
Crider, John D, 85 a near M Gahagan, 03 tax and cost 19.75
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
Sullivan, Mary J 120 a near Matthew 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 Nums Sw 03 tax and cost 21.30
Reiter, Mrs Carrie L, 28 a near S Newcom, 03 tax & cost 2.60
Nunn, S and F, 22 a near Smith Newcom, 03 tax and cost 2.45
Barnes, Arbell, 44 a near Jno Clayton, 03 tax and cost 4.00
Brown, Geo T, 80 a near Robb Wood, 03 tax and cost 13.35
Clark, D F, 75 a near Frank Wood, 02-03, tax and cost 9.20
Corley, Jno H, 2 a near Frank Travis, 03 tax and cost 7.10
Davis, Jno K, 120 a near L 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
Hubbard, Jas M, 50 a near J N Towery, 02-03 tax and cost 7.25
Johnson, Sopha 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, 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 6.05
Pickens, Wm T, 136 a near J F Canada, 03 tax and cost 9.85
Riggs, Mary A, 140 a near Fred Gosner, 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
Lee, Harriet, col, lot in Marion, 02-03 tax and cost 5.45
Rollins, Neal, col, 1 a near Sol Worthem, 03 tax and cost 4.70
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
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, Rural, 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
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
Meeks, Jas, 43 a near Bradford, 03 tax and cost 9.50
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
Brown, Mrs S D, lot in Dyeusburg, 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
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, Doc, col, 25 a near N Maynard, 03 tax and cost 3.25
Staton, W L, lot in Tolu, 03 tax and cost 4.45
Mansfield, Eliza, col, land near Dyeusburg, 03 tax & cost 3.45
J. W. LAMB, S. C. C.
This July 12, 1904.



WORST OF CHICKEN PESTS.

Known as Poultry Mite or Tick and Endowed with Vicious and Destructive Habits.

One of the worst pests with which the poultry raiser has to contend is the mite, which has the power of increasing marvelously fast, and is as vicious in its attacks as a blood-sucker. The sitting hen and the newly hatched chicks suffer most from this pest, and call for great vigilance on the part of the poultry raiser to protect them from its attacks. It is not difficult to keep the pens and chicks free from mites if proper attention is given, and litter is not allowed to ac-



YOUNG MITE.
(Ventral View. Magnified 20 Diameters.)

cumulate in the houses and yards. Then, by spraying everything now and then with a good insecticide, the mite will find it hard work living and finally give it up.

The chicken mite is commonly considered a form of insect life, although it is not, properly speaking, an insect. It is sometimes called the chicken tick or poultry tick. It would probably be better to apply the term tick to this parasite and reserve the word mite for the true itch mite of chickens, the *Sarcoptes mutans* Robin and Lanquettin. The mite has an average length of one-twenty-fifth of an inch and its width is about four-fifths of its length. It has eight legs, by means of which it can move very rapidly from place to place. In color it is light gray, with small dark spots showing through the



ADULT MALE
(Dorsal View. Magnified 50 Diameters.)

skin. About one in 50 or 100 shows a distinctly red color, varying from a light to a dark red. This red color is due to engorgement with blood. The common white louse of the hen, *Menopon pillium* Nitsch, is longer than the mite and of a yellowish-white color. By the aid of figures 1 and 2 one can easily identify the chicken mite, even with the naked eye. Much aid will be given, however, by a hand magnifier.

The mites are of peculiar and stealthy habits of life, rather unlike that which one naturally expects from a parasite. Indeed, they are only semi-parasitic, and, as a rule, remain upon the fowls only long enough to secure a meal. They are very active in their movements and seem to be ever on the lookout for a victim. On account of their vigorous and vicious habits they may be styled the wolves of the insect parasites of fowls. The mites hide in crevices and under objects in the hen house during the day time, while the chickens are outside, and lie in wait for their return. They lay their eggs and the young are hatched in these hiding places. A barrel affords an excellent hiding and breeding place, as the mites lodge between the staves and under the hoops. In the nest they are to be found under the straw or other nesting material. It is a noteworthy fact that a place which shows only a few mites on the surface may contain vast numbers in the crevices or under objects. Often they become so plentiful that they overflow the hiding places and appear in hordes upon the exposed surfaces. The description and figures of the mites are taken from a bulletin of the veterinary department of the Iowa Agricultural college.—Detroit Free Press.

What Organization Has Done.
To thorough organization among farmers are the splendid agricultural colleges, farmers' institutes, rural mail routes, farmers' telephones due. Some of these enterprises may have been started by a small group of men who forewent their great importance, but it was not until the majority of farmers in a state or section united and demanded their rights that anything like satisfactory results were obtained. They have done much, but a great deal remains for their careful attention. They must never relax their vigilance, for if they do retrogression is sure.—Orange Judd Farmer.

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Old Age Pensions

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

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.

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 sacrilegious 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.

REMARKABLE EXPERIENCE.

Two New York Girls Have an Exciting Time in the Statue of Liberty.

To spend the night in the interior of the Statue of Liberty was the prospect which faced two New York girls not long ago. The girls landed on Bedloe's Island about five o'clock in the afternoon and went straight to the top of the statue, says a New York report. There a magnificent sunset kept them in rapt contemplation till darkness began to settle on the waters of the bay. Then the stars were lighted one by one and again the two girls forgot all about time and the necessity of returning. When they finally noticed how late it was and started down, they found the statue closed up and themselves prisoners within it. It is a rather dreary place at any time of day, but particularly forbidding after dark. There were rats, too. The only glimpse of the outside world could be caught through a small window half way up the first flight of stairs. Tip-toeing to reach up to it, the girls saw a sentinel pacing up and down below them, but he looked so glum and carried his gun in such a threatening manner that they did not dare to call him. For more than two hours they debated whether to risk being shot or to stay in the statue all night. Finally the sentry was relieved and the new man looked not quite so menacing, so they plucked up courage to make him aware of their presence. They were released at once, but as the boats to the city had stopped running, there was nothing for it but to remain on the island over night. The post surgeon's wife took them in charge, and the post band turned out to serenade them. Not until 11 o'clock next morning did the girls reach New York again, to the great joy of distracted relatives, who had been at a loss to account for the strange disappearance.

Vastness of Star Canopus.

The conception of the magnitude of the star Canopus, which is regarded as the greatest body in the universe, is difficult indeed, even when Mr. Gore of the Royal Astronomical society furnishes the sun as a step by which the imagination may raise itself. One has some appreciation of the size of the earth with its circumference of 25,000 miles. The sun is more than a million times as large as the earth. The mass of Canopus has been weighed astronomically and found to be 1,000,000 times greater than that of the sun.

Nutrition in Potatoes.

Considering their nutritive value potatoes are about twice as expensive as bread, and milk is even dearer.

Baths Not Needed in Thibet.

The people of Thibet rarely wash, finding it warmer to be dirty.

LOCAL NEWS.

As Gathered by Our Efficient Correspondents.

RODNEY.

Mrs. G. M. Russell, of Marion, visited here Sunday.

Grissom & Daughtery are threshing wheat in the Bells mines vicinity.

Miss Sue Moore, of Marion, was here Sunday.

Our school will begin August 15th instead of August 1st as reported last week.

James Newcom, the traveling optician, is spending a few days at home.

W. S. Hicklin, of Marion, was here Monday.

Joe M. Davis went to Repton Sunday.

Misses Clara and Addie Nunn are making preparations to attend the World's Fair.

C. M. Clift went to Marion Saturday.

Willie Powell, of Mattoon, was here Thursday.

Misses Edith Davis, Clara Nunn and Mabel Wilson have returned from the Institute. They are very enthusiastic in their praise of this session's efforts.

SMITHLAND.

Gilbert Preswell and family of Paducah, came over last week to visit relatives.

Roll Eison, of Illinois, was here Saturday.

The Klondike mine just across the Cumberland river from Vicksburg was reopened on Monday, July 25.

D. M. Schultz, of Hartford, was here Friday.

T. J. Ward and Geo. Colyer, of Pan Handle, was in the city last week.

Rev. Virgil Elder was here Saturday enroute to hold his Quarterly Conference at Thompson's Chapel.

A representative of THE RECORD will be at the Hampton camp meeting Saturday. See him and give him your subscription.

ODESSA.

A great deal of sickness here at present.

Mrs. James McConnell is very ill.

Leonard Woody, of near Repton, will teach the Odessa school. It being his first we wish him success.

Robert Hodges and Will McChesney, of Repton, were here last week to see friends and relatives. All were proud to see them and hope they will be with us again soon.

Several of the young people gathered at the home of Joe McDowell and enjoyed some excellent music and singing.

Miss Della Stenbridge, of Marion, is visiting her cousin, Miss Fronie Stenbridge.

Curby McChesney and brother, of Tradewater, visited their uncle, Lee Elder, Sunday.

HAMPTON.

Prof. E. C. Hardin and wife are visiting relatives here.

J. E. Chittenden, editor of THE RECORD, was with us Sunday.

Richard had better been about some where else or at home at Sheridan Sunday than to be about the camp ground.

One of the twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Gill died Friday afternoon.

A representative of THE RECORD will be at the Hampton camp meeting Saturday. See him and give him your subscription.

Notice.

Any one wanting a nice little farm, call on G. W. Arfack on the Marion and Ford's Ferry road 1 1-2 miles from Marion.

DYCSBURG.

A son of Harve Stinnet died Sunday of spinal meningitis.

Carl Glenn and wife and little daughter, Mrs. Capt. Crouch and Miss Nina Burks, of Paducah, are visiting here.

C. H. Hill and wife went to Marion Sunday.

J. P. Brissey, of Monterey, Ky., will take charge of the Dycsburg bank as cashier.

Miss Nellie Steele spent last week in Marion.

Mr. Pilout, of this county, will teach our school.

Calvin Hopkins and wife, of Ohio county, were guests of the family of Tom Mitchell Saturday night. They were enroute to Hampton to visit relatives.

VIEW.

Quite a number of people from this section attended the barbecue at the Cullen mine Saturday.

W. C. Tyner, of New Salem, was in our midst the last of this week.

School at White Hall began this week.

The family of John Butler visited the family of J. D. Hodge Sunday.

Mrs. W. I. Cruse, of Ardmore, I. T., has returned to her home after a pleasant visit to her father, F. M. Clement.

HEBRON.

The corn crop in this section is fine.

Hay harvest is in progress.

C. A. and F. L. Daughtrey, Elly and Robert Williams left this morning for Missouri.

Our school begins August 8th and will be taught by Miss Emma Terry.

Mrs. R. C. Flanary, who has been right sick, is about as usual.

Miss Bertie Bracey has been real sick.

Bennett Walker and wife, of Marion, were here this week.

IRON HILL.

Corn looks fine.

Hays Hodges, of Bellville, visited his father Sunday.

T. E. Walker and sister, Miss Alice, went to Providence Saturday.

John Stewart and Harley Travis went to Blackford Saturday.

Nick Fox and family and Dempsey Kemp and wife started to Missouri Sunday.

Mon Phillips, of Charleston, Mo., is visiting friends and relatives here.

Misses Carrie McConnell and Mendoza Deboe went to Blackford Saturday.

Everybody is invited to come and help clean off the Allen grave yard Saturday morning.

REPTON.

Hay harvesting is about over.

Miss Ida Dalton, of St. Louis, is visiting here.

Mr. Probasco, of Sturgis, was here last week.

We hear THE CRITTENDEN RECORD highly complimented here.

BELLS MINES.

There are better prospects for corn than there has been for years here.

Wheat is not all threshed.

Tradewater at this place is just about dry.

James Bean, of Webster county, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Irena Hazel, of Marked Tree, Ark., is visiting relatives here.

THE MARKET

Reported by the Louisville Livestock Exchange, Bourbon Stockyard.

Louisville, Aug. 3.—Cattle—The fresh receipts of cattle were very light to-day, 29 head; for the three days 1,653 head. Although but few cattle arrived last night and this morning, there were still plenty of cattle on sale carried over from Monday to more than equal the demand, and there was no life whatever in the trade.

Hogs—Receipts of hogs 1,782; for the three days 4,316. The market opened weak and 10c lower on good hogs, 120-pounds and up selling at \$5.35; choice pigs were steady at \$5.00.

CATTLE

Extra good export steers	\$5 00@5 35
Light shipping steers	4 60@4 85
Choice butcher steers	4 25@4 50
Fair to good butcher steers	3 50@4 50
Com. to med. butcher steers	3 00@3 40
Choice butcher heifers	4 00@4 35
Fair to good butcher heifers	3 00@3 40
Choice feeders	4 00@4 25
Medium to good feeders	3 25@3 50
Com. and rough feeders	2 75@3 00
Fair to good stock steers	3 00@3 25
Stock steers, good to extra	3 50@3 75
Stock heifers, good to extra	2 75@3 00
Stock heifers, com. to med	2 50@2 75
Oxen, good to extra	4 00@4 25
Oxen, common to medium	2 50@3 00
Bulls, extra good	2 75@3 00
Bulls, fair to good	2 25@2 75

HOGS

Choice pack. and brs., 200 to 300	\$5 30@5 35
Medium packers, 165 to 200	5 30@5 35
Choice light ship., 120 to 165	5 30@5 35
Choice pigs, 90 to 120	4 95@5 00
Light pigs, 50 to 90	3 50@4 00
Roughs, 150 to 500	4 50@4 85

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Good to extra shipping sheep	\$3 25@3 50
Fair to good	2 50@3 00
Common to medium	1 25@2 00
Bucks	1 25@2 25
Extra shipping lambs	6 50
Best butcher lambs	4 25@4 50
Fair to good butcher lambs	3 50@4 00
Common tail-end lambs	2 75@3 25
Choice native stock ewes	3 50@4 00

Evansville Sundry Market

(Buying Prices of Loewenthal & Co.)
TALLOW—No. 1, 4c and dull.
FEATHERS—Prime white, 46@48c; prime grey mixed, 40@43c; No. 1, old white, 40c; No. 1, old mixed, 30c; No. 2, old mixed, 20c; dry pickled chicken, 5c; dry pickled turkey, 4c.
POULTRY—Fowls, per pound, 8c; springers, 10c; cocks, per lb., 4c; ducks, per lb., 8@9c.
EGGS—Fresh, per dozen, 12@14c.
WOOL—Clear unwashed, 30@32c; clear tub washed, 26@30c; burry, cottoned and black, less.
ROOTS—Ginseng, dry, \$5.00 to \$5.50; yellow root, 60@70c; May apple root, 4@5c; blood root, 5c; pink root, 12c.
HIDES—Green salted, No. 1, 9c; green salted, No. 2, 8c; green salted calf, No. 1, 10c; green salted calf, No. 2, 8c; green, uncured, 1c per lb. less; dry flint, 11@13c; dry salted, 9@11c; horse hides, No. 1, \$2.75.

NEW SALEM.

Mrs. Robert Mahan is on the sick list.

W. C. Tyner and wife visited at Sturgis this week.

Henry Bronstet is at DeKoven.

The Crittenden Mining Company began operation on the White property August 1st.

The Stearns fire clay mine will start to hauling one day next week.

TOLU.

The wheat threshing season is over.

Camp meeting is the order of the day.

The new bank building is completed at last.

H. J. Meyer will move into his new store next week.

Frank Striker, clerk of steamer John S. Hopkins, after a visit here, has returned to his post.

Forest Harris went to Evansville this week.

A. D. Noe and wife, of Morganfield, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Fresh bread, rolls and pies at Copher's. All made at home. His baker has 20 years' experience.

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CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

BELEVY 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 thereabout, (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 E 11 poles S 32 E 11 S 16 E 12 S 40 E 21 poles, N 82 E 4 poles, N 37 E 24 poles, N 58 E 8 poles, N 49 E 24 poles, N 15 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 54 W 24 poles, thence N 30 W 12 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 20 W 20 poles N 11 W 24 S 31 W 12 S 54 W 20 poles, S 33 W 8 poles, S 94 W 24 S 31 W 12 S 54 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.

J. G. ROCHESTER, COMMISSIONER.

BEAUTY IN NATIONAL PARK.

Wealth of Coloring Greets the Eye of the Visitor to the Yellowstone.

Nature is a most exquisite colorist. Nowhere is her work more lovely than along the crested rims and overflow channels of warm spring pools. Tourists are seldom aware, says Scribner's Monthly, that these harmonious and brilliant tints owe their origin mainly to plant life. They are usually told by so-called guides that the colors are due to mineral matter, which tends to enhance their horror of underground waters. Algae flourish equally well in the waters of all geyser basins and on the terraces of Mammoth hot springs. Water boils on the plateau at 198 degrees Fahrenheit, and rudimentary organisms appear at about 185 degrees Fahrenheit, although no definite line can be drawn beyond which all life ceases.

Wherever these boiling waters cool to the latter temperature, alga growths appear, and by the lowering of the temperature on exposure to air still more highly organized forms gradually come in. It is said that at about 140 degrees the conditions are favorable for the rapid growth of several species. The development of plant life at such excessive temperatures and on a scale of such magnitude seems a marvelous thing. Nowhere else can this be seen as well as in Yellowstone Park.

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