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## SIXTEEN

### Foot Vein of Fluor Spar

### Zinc Ore \$25.00 per Ton Higher Than Year Ago.

### Columbia Has Unusually Rich Showing at New and Old Shafts—The Week's Shipments.

"Kentucky" is the name of a new mine which the Kentucky Fluor Spar Co. has opened near the Yandell mine. It is located on a vein that runs parallel with the Yandell vein. Here a very fine vein of spar was found that has since proved to be a bonanza. To the surprise and elation of the owners, the fissure carrying this heavy body of spar has widened, and the vein is now 16 feet wide. This is far above the average, but is in keeping with the belief held by many mining engineers and capitalists who have visited this district, that the greatest values are yet to be ascertained as greater depth is reached. When it is known that 95 per cent. of the product shipped from here has been taken from shafts less than 100 to 125 feet deep it is not to be wondered that operators are often very much elated at the revelations made when greater depth is attained.

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 29.—Boon prices are still being paid for zinc ore in the Joplin district. High-grade ore sold at \$60 per ton during the past week. The general high price was \$59 per ton with the assay basis price at \$52 to \$56 per ton of 60 per cent zinc. Lead was lower, selling at \$57 in Joplin and as high as \$59 in Webb City. A year ago zinc sold at \$35 per ton which is \$25 per ton less than the present high price. The zinc shipment was 125 tons less and the lead shipment 157 tons less than the previous week, with the value \$24,930 less. The shipment was less than the output thereby increasing the stock on hand at the mines, but there is very little ore out that is unsold, so there is nothing to prevent sufficient competition to insure good prices for ore, though it may be lowered here and there over the district where very close competition for several weeks has raised some bids too high, compared with other bids of corresponding grade.

R. D. Drescher, Superintendent Columbia Mining Co., reports that a very fine vein of lead and spar has been uncovered on the company's property near the Mary Belle.

It is stated that this vein bears directly toward the Ada Florence mines owned by the Louisville-Marion Mining Co.

R. C. Haase, Traveling District Passenger Agent, of the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. R. Haase, at the New Marion Saturday and Sunday. His father, better known here as Capt. Haase, is himself a practical railroad man, having served in that line all the way up from telegraph operator to superintendent until recently when he resigned his position to become interested in this district with the Eagle Fluor Spar Co., who operate the Cullen or Evening Star Mines near Salem.

F. M. Barnard, of the Pittsburg Mining and Manufacturing Co., who is operating spar mines on the Cumberland river in Livingston county, was in the city this week for a short time.

For the week ending Saturday, the local mining companies made shipments (the week's marketings being fluor spar) by way of the Illinois Central as follows:

|                        |              |
|------------------------|--------------|
| 8 cars ground fine     | 397,460 lbs. |
| 47 barrels ground fine | 26,688       |
| 21 cars gravel spar    | 1,352,475    |
| 1 car mixed            | 63,260       |
| 1 car lump             | 32,010       |
| Total                  | 1,891,893    |

Development work at the Tabor mine results in an increased showing in the quantity and quality of the ore.

At the Memphis mines the vein has been opened farther south. Shaft No. 4 is being extended and is producing a good quantity of high grade spar.

Former Senator Deboe, of Kentucky, is in Washington talking with members of Congress and others about the promotion of a mining company in which he is interested.—Courier-Journal, Jan. 31st.

The Blue & Marble mine that was idle up to about 30 days ago, is now carrying, at a depth of 80 feet, a four foot vein of very fine fluor spar. This mine is operated by the Kentucky people.

The Ashbridge mine, a property of the Kentucky Fluor Spar Co., is said to be second to none in the district. This mine frequently produces about 500 tons of fluor-spar per month.

At the Klondike contract work has been done for some time. An increased output is contemplated here, and the underground work has been suspended while preparations are being made for the installation of gasoline motor power.

The Columbia mines, one of the oldest properties in the district is now producing more lead and zinc than ever before, said a member of the company. The work is being pushed here now night and day by two heavy shifts and the output keeps the large milling and concentrating plant running continuously.

Wm. H. Temme, of the Temme Mining Co., returned the first of the week from Evansville. In his absence the mines are under the management of his son, E. W. Temme. Mr. Temme is a member of our Commercial Club and is very much interested in the good roads movement and county development.

The Yandell mine is reported to be in better shape than ever before. The Kentucky people are driving right ahead here in a twelve foot breast of the very finest pure white spar that could be found in any district. It is heavily charged with lead. This mine is probably one of the best dividend payers in the district.

At each the Hodge and Brown properties the Kentucky Fluor Spar Company is mining a fair amount of fluorspar. While the output of each of these mines is possibly on an average with other mines in the district, they are not up to their former standard, the decrease in production being due to less activity in the manner of operation.

Mr. W. S. Clark and Mr. John Moore are operating the Mary Belle mine on contract. Messrs. Clark and Moore are meeting with much success and are removing from 10 to 15 tons of ore per day and propose to market on an average about 10 tons daily. This is a high grade of fluor spar. In the vicinity of this mine three or four prospect shafts have been sunk revealing large quantities of ore near the surface. In one a wonderfully rich vein of lead and spar was uncovered which proved to be about 9 feet wide.

On the Tabb-Wheeler properties the Kentucky people have uncovered the spar every 100 yards. These properties will yield untold quantities of ore, and this work has been done preparatory to a heavy output when the heavy machinery is installed at the old Brown and Ward shaft. Most of the machinery is on the ground, and as soon as it is placed in operation the old shaft will be unwatered and the ore will be removed from the fissure by a number of levels to be run from this shaft.

The Record is indebted to the Marion Coal Company for a load of very fine Peacock coal from their mines near Sullivan. This company has just completed in addition to a tramway, a railroad switch some 1800 feet in length, to their shaft. The principal stock holders in the company are Ex-Senator Wm. J. Deboe, County Attorney Carl Henderson and Sheriff J. W. Lamb. These gentlemen have a splendid property and will shortly increase the output of their mines considerably. The product is said to be the best coal for open grates or steaming purposes.

Concerning the report that he proposes to build an electric railway from Henderson to Owensboro, Ky., Mr. H. W. Richardson, secretary and treasurer of the Henderson City Railway, Keller Building, Louisville, Ky., writes the Manufacturer's Record:

"The projected railway on which I am working is from Evansville, Ind. to Henderson, Ky., 12 miles, and Henderson, Ky. to Owensboro, Ky., 25 miles. The line would connect Evansville, Ind., population 75,000; Henderson, Ky., population 18,000, and Owensboro, Ky., 20,000, and a number of small towns between.

"The country to be traversed is level and very fertile, and is thickly populated for a rural district of this section.

"We have not yet formed a definite plan for the financing of the proposition, but parties directly interested are in a position to furnish more than half of the necessary capital. Have made no arrangement yet as to construction."

The Livingston Banner published at Smithland by Mr. O. C. Lasher, a conservative gentleman, yet a man of ideas, has the following to say relative to an electric railroad to run from Marion to Paducah:

"Just think how easy it will be for the electric car line from Marion to Paducah by way of Smithland to be run without bridging either the Cumberland or Tennessee rivers. Paducah power will run cars to the Tennessee where they will be transferred. Smithland's electric light, water works and power plant will take them up to the Cumberland and from there by Marion power.

Better still, if Benton wants in the game, she might go to work and bring about the sale of the old I. C. railroad bridge across the Tennessee to the electric company, and be directly connected with the best town between the rivers.

If you think anything, say it. Wild schemes are often developed into pleasant and profitable realities by thought and talk. Do your part. The electric line is a good thing—push it along."

Can we not truly say, "push it along."

### Church Social.

Friday night at the Cumberland Presbyterian church from 7 to 10 the Sunday School enjoyed a church social. At 8 o'clock refreshments were served, consisting of hot coffee, ice cream and cake, of which everyone present partook and most heartily enjoyed.

The purpose of the meeting was to promote greater interest in the Sunday School and to bring the pupils in closer contact with each other.

Music was rendered by the choir and very interesting talks on Sunday School work were made by Messrs. Berry Deboe, W. H. Walker and Supt. Wm. Minner.

## TAXABLE

### Wealth of the County

### Closely Crowding the Three Million Dollar Mark.

### Magisterial District No 2 is Considerably the Wealthiest in the Entire County.

It will doubtless be interesting to our readers to know that the total assessed value of the county, as shown by the recent assessment, is \$3,172,315, less exemptions of \$246,500, leaving a balance of \$2,925,815.

It will be seen that Magisterial district No. 2 is the richest, and next to it come numbers 5, 1 and 8 in the order named. The combined assessed wealth of numbers 1 and 2, in which Marion is situated, is \$1,287,605, which is more than one third of the entire assessed value of the county.

We publish below the assessed value of each Magisterial district, together with the exemption:

| District                                  | Assessed    | Exempt    |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Marion No. 1                              | \$446,610   | \$27,000  |
| Marion No. 2                              | 846,995     | 52,750    |
| Dyersburg No. 3                           | 276,865     | 24,750    |
| Union No. 4                               | 216,570     | 20,000    |
| Hurricane No. 5                           | 642,565     | 38,500    |
| Fords Ferry No. 6                         | 184,165     | 19,750    |
| Bell Mines No. 7                          | 234,085     | 23,250    |
| Marion No. 8                              | 330,460     | 40,500    |
| Total assessed value of Crittenden county | \$3,172,315 |           |
| Total exemption                           |             | \$246,500 |
| Minus Exemption                           | \$2,925,815 |           |

According to the report of the railroad commissioners of the State, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. has 2 1/2 miles of track in the county and the taxable value thereon is fixed at \$159,500. They will therefore have to pay for this portion of the road, \$673 into the State sinking fund, and \$638 into the county treasury. On account of the railroad bonds the taxpayers in districts No. 1 and No. 2 have to pay a 20 per cent. railroad tax, or about \$2,000 per year. At this rate the railroad indebtedness will be liquidated in about two more years.

## FOUL PLAY

### In Watson Tragedy is Feared by His Friends and Relatives.

The minor details surrounding the lamentable tragedy in which Shem Watson met death a week ago last Sunday differ more or less from the reports of the deed as sent to various papers for publication. There is a report current that the immediate relatives and friends of the deceased fear foul play. A communication has been sent us which states that we were doubtless misinformed in the matter. We desire to deal fairly with the public in matters of this sort, and we give the substance of the letter as follows:

"I boarded at the home of Mr. Shem Watson, who resided near where I am teaching school, and I must say that he always acted kindly and friendly toward me. It is needless for me to say that the tragedy of his death Sunday, January 22nd, was a shock to me.

"I had been boarding at his home about a week. Sunday morning he came to my room and built a fire, asking me when I would be ready for breakfast. His son, Dock, and his nephew, Ben Watson, were

in the room, and later he called at the door and asked them if they had 'hayed' the horses.

"The old gentleman went out, and later, when I was called for dinner, I missed him and asked where he was. His son, Sim, told me that he had stepped out somewhere.

"After dinner I went to my room and was later called by his daughter, Ella, who said: 'They hollered down yonder. I'm afraid Pa is dead. He has been troubled with his heart a good deal.'

"I went to the scene. It was in a thicket 400 or 500 yards from the house, and on the adjoining farm of a Mr. Allen, near Ditney church. The old fellow was unconscious and his clothing was covered in blood. As to whether the deed was done by his own hand, I do not know.

"Upon investigation it was found that he had been stabbed fifty yards beyond where he was discovered. There a single-bladed Barlow knife was found. The blade and part of the handle were smeared with blood. This and the old gentleman's hat were found near a spatter of blood on the ground.

"His son, Sim, and son-in-law, Leslie Little, were the first to the prostrated form. He was carried to the house and I went to Lola for Dr. Davis. When I returned there were many of the injured man's friends at his home. Everything possible was done to save his worthy life, but without avail.

"Friends continued to come to the grief-stricken home until the yard between the house and stable was crowded.

"Widow, cast your burden on Him who has given us His promise that if we will ask Him He will turn us not away, but will give of His everlasting fulness. He has said:

"There is not an hour that He is not with us.

No, not one; no, not one.

No night so dark but His love can cheer us.

No, not one; no, not one.

"Children, give your hearts to God, and live so you will meet the one in peace that will make all things right in the end.

"C. E. THOMAS."

### Entertained at Luncheon.

Friday, January 27th, at 12:30 at the Maxwell residence on Main street, Mrs. Carrie Maxwell entertained some of her friends at luncheon. Covers were laid for twelve guests, and five courses were served. The color scheme was white and yellow, and these colors also predominated in the courses. The tables were laid with handsome doliies and were resplendent with silver and cut glass. The plate of each guest was designated by a plate card of crescent shape and decorated with rose buds.

The luncheon was a splendid one and after lingering a while in the afternoon, the guests departed feeling that they had been highly entertained by the amiable hostess.

Those present were: Mesdames J. W. Blue, J. H. Orme, R. W. Wilson, H. H. Sayre, T. H. Cochran, C. S. Nunn, E. H. James, S. T. Dupuy, R. W. Woods, G. M. Crider, Misses Della Barnes and Nelle Walker.

### Insurance Case Affirmed.

The case of J. H. Thomason vs. Continental Insurance Co., tried at the March term of Crittenden Circuit Court, was affirmed by the Court of Appeals last Tuesday, the whole court sitting. Judge Poynter delivered a dissenting opinion in which Judge Barker concurred. The points passed upon are unknown at this writing. A. C. Moore and Jones & James represented Thomason and J. A. and Jno. A. Moore, the insurance company.

## W. A. WOODALL

### Announces as a Candidate For the Office of Sheriff.

In this issue of THE RECORD appears the announcement of Wm. Anderson Woodall as a candidate for sheriff subject to the action of the Republican party.

Mr. Woodall belongs to the Roosevelt type of men. He has a wife and seven children, and is fifty years of age. He is a native of this county, a life-long Republican, and has voted for his party's nominees for 29 years, never scratching a ticket. Mr. Woodall belongs to a family that contributes from 25 to 30 votes to the Republican cause in every election. His home is three miles east of Crayneville and on the side of the county that is considered a Republican stronghold, and Mr. Woodall asks that his claim be duly considered on the basis that his section should have a proper recognition as well as on his personal record.

Several years ago Mr. Woodall served as constable, and rode under Sheriff Jno. T. Franks and also Jno. T. Pickens as deputy. There is no doubt that he is qualified to fill the office.

In 1892 he asked to be the party nominee for sheriff and lost by only four votes, that being the year that Jno. T. Franks was nominated and elected, who on account of a change in the law could serve only two years at that time, and was re-elected for the three year term that followed. Again in 1897 Mr. Woodall asked for the place, when Jno. T. Pickens was nominated and elected.

This aspirant says he is climbing up in years and he feels that his party should help him now if ever. He is a gentleman of good character and bears a clean record morally, religiously and politically. He is a member of Piney Creek Baptist church, and last year was unanimously elected its moderator for the fifth time. He has been a member of the Ohio Valley Association of Baptists during its existence of twenty-six years, and for the three years previous served his church in the older organization known as the Little River Association.

Mr. Woodall's claim will doubtless be given due consideration at the hands of the people, and if named for sheriff we are for him.

## HEIFER CASE

### Defeats Senator Gus Richardson—Another Recipient at Paducah.

State Senator Gus Richardson, to whom the members of the board of the Hopkinsville insane asylum gave two heifers belonging to the state, and for which certain indictments were returned by the Christian county grand jury, was overwhelmingly defeated for re-nomination and indorsement. Senator Richardson's defeat is but further evidence that the Democrats of Kentucky are heartily displeased with the gang now in office and are engaged in the weeding out process. The board at Hopkinsville had no moral or legal right to give away the people's property, and it was in bad taste for a senator to accept such a gift. This all calls to mind that another heifer from the asylum was given to an ex-office holder in Paducah. Let the next grand jury also investigate this matter.—Register.

### Borrowed.

About January 15th, one liver-colored pointer dog about eight months old. White spot on neck. Will pay liberal reward for his return.

CARL HENDERSON.



# IMMIGRATION

## To the Sunny South

Will be Encouraged by Frank P. Sargent.

The Tide will Drift Southward. Where Great Undeveloped Enterprises and Good Lands Abound.

We commented, some time ago, on the movement to turn the tide of European immigration from the over-crowded cities of the North to the undeveloped fields and industries of the South. This would be to the advantage of all interested. It would benefit the North, which is suffering from the congestion of a large immigrant population in its great cities; to the South by furnishing it with more labor to develop its resources. It would be equally advantageous to the American laborer by protecting him from the competition with an excess of cheap and unskilled labor, which has a tendency to depress wages; while the immigrant who is looking for work and frequently cannot find it in the North, and in despair returns home, would find plenty to do on the Southern farms and plantations.

But while the project is so generally advantageous to all, we scarcely expected to see it received with such unanimous favor. The United States Bureau of Immigration is prepared to give its ardent support, and will do all it can legally do to turn the newly arrived immigrants towards the South. Commissioner-General of Immigration Sargent would, indeed, go much further if the law allowed it. In discussing the matter with the representatives of the Southern railroads who went before him, he expressed regret that the Federal government had not provided by law for the better distribution of aliens in this country, as its failure had resulted in the building up and maintenance of foreign colonies in the United States, which ought to be broken up.

It was only by proper distribution that the evil could be corrected. He added that the practical question was, what shall be done with the hundreds of thousands of immigrants to avoid dangers that now threaten us? He called attention to the congestion of population in New York, Chicago and other cities; the enormous expenditure for the support of indigent aliens; the records of the lesser criminal and police courts; the alien inmates of hospitals, jails and reformatory institutions; the crowded habitations of foreigners in the cities; the struggle for bare existence by which the "sweatshop" system has passed from one alien race to another; the introduction into this country of the Mafia, the vendetta, the "Black Hand" and anarchist societies, and, on the other hand, the millions of untilled acres and the unsatisfied demand for agricultural and other manual labor. All these evils, he thought, could be cured by a diversion of a part of this foreign immigration into the agricultural sections of the South.

The Southern press, officials and people generally have expressed themselves friendly to the movement, and as anxious to welcome the newcomers—this showing a marked change of sentiment from the old belief that the settlement of European immigrants in this section would do great harm by disorganizing the negro laborer.

Even more pronounced is the press of the North, which is giving the project a send-off that cannot fail to help it. These papers declare that the tide of foreign population to the South, by bringing about the development of this section, will benefit the country as a whole, while it will hasten a satisfactory settlement of the race question.

The Chicago Post (Rep.) thinks

the movement destined to be a success because it is in the hands of such eminently practical men.

"Of two-fold importance," says the Post, "is the movement recently launched in Washington for the purpose of diverting to Southern agricultural and industrial communities the stream of immigration that now is directed to the larger centers of population in the North. Besides serving in a measure to solve the serious problem of foreign colonization in cities, it should give to the South's industrial revival an added impetus sufficient to overcome any retardant influences that may develop. The proposition differs from most social and economic schemes in the fact that its consummation is in the hands of practical railroad business men instead of dreamers and visionaries. The benefit of such an arrangement to the immigrants would be incalculable. Many of them would find in the South climate and soil conditions not widely different from those of their native countries. They also would feel an independence and encouragement toward useful citizenship that in the very nature of things can not be given them in the great cities. The proposition is one that merits the fullest encouragement."

The Philadelphia Ledger is just as emphatic in its views, and announces that it will support any legislation necessary to bring before the newly arrived immigrants the advantages of the South for their settlement. The Ledger says:

"The Department of Commerce and Labor at Washington has undertaken a work, under the direction of Frank P. Sargent, Commissioner of Labor, for the distribution of immigrants through the South, which promises the most beneficial results to the immigrants and the whole country. Commissioner Sargent, at the meeting held the other day to discuss the project with the passenger agents of the various Southern railroads, outlined a plan which requires an enactment of congress creating an information bureau at the chief port of entry, or several bureaus at the important ports. The officials of these bureaus are to collect all possible information about the various sections of the South which offer opportunities in agriculture and other industries for enterprising workers. These bureaus, working in co-operation with the railroads, with the employers of labor and with boards of trade and State immigration societies, are to attempt by moral suasion to distribute worthy immigrants in the parts of the country where their labor is needed, and thus prevent them from remaining in the great cities, where they gravitate into the slums and haunts of crime, or at least overburden the labor market."

The movement, the Ledger declares, is not only an industrial undertaking, but probably the most valuable of all charity endeavors of recent years, for it promises to correct the present evil conditions in city life, due to the congestion of populations in the slums.

The Providence Journal, speaking for New England, promises equal support to any legislation that may be necessary to carry this project into effect. "There is a real scarcity of labor in the South," says the Journal, "not only on the plantations but in the manufacturing towns, and it is a scarcity that can never be fully and satisfactorily supplied by the negroes. If the thousands of aliens who now huddle in poverty in the cities of the North and East can be diverted thither very desirable economic results can be attained. Experiments on a small scale have already shown that Italian farmers, for example, are splendidly adapted for work in the cotton fields; other aliens could doubtless be employed with equal success in other Southern industries, to their own advantage, to the better development of Southern resources and to the ultimate increase of the national wealth."

It may be reasonably expected, therefore, that a considerable proportion of the foreign immigrants landing upon our shores will in

future be turned towards the South, assuring a better supply of labor and leaving us no longer so largely dependent on unreliable negro labor. It is probable that the South and Southwest will receive the full quantum of white immigration promised by the railroads last year, but which did not wholly materialize.

At the same time, however, that we are bidding for this white immigration from Europe, let us not lose sight of similar immigration from the North and West. There could be no more valuable addition to our population than the thousands of Northern and Western farmers who would like to move South because of its climate and the cheaper lands this section offers them.—New Orleans Times-Democrat Editorial, Dec. 22, 1904.

### Obituary.

One more page of Heaven's ledger has been squared by the death angel visiting our neighborhood and taking from us Mrs. Eli Flanary, who was born in Crittenden county, Ky., September 11, 1848, and died November 24, 1904, and was buried at Mt. Zion. She was the daughter of Uncle Jack and Aunt Martha Hill, was twice married, first to Alonzo Nunn, lastly to Eli Flanary, who still survives her.

She professed faith in Christ at an early date and joined the Methodist church at Mt. Zion where she lived till God saw fit to take her to her heavenly home.

She was the mother of only one child, who is the wife of Frank Daniels, now living in Missouri.

We are sometimes caused to stop and wonder why God calls his most useful servants away when it seems to us that they are so much needed in his vineyard here. Sister Flanary was not rich in this world's goods but she had treasure in Heaven. She was a good neighbor, a kind and loving wife and affectionate mother and a devoted Christian. She will long be remembered and missed in the neighborhood in which she lived and died. Peace be to her name and memory while she sleeps the years away. God's blessings rest upon the bereaved ones.

A FRIEND.

### Domestic Troubles.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you but cure. 25c at R. F. HAYNES' drug store.

### Wanted.

MEN AND WOMEN in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old-established house of solid financial standing. Salary to men \$21 weekly, to women \$12 to \$18 weekly with Expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address, Blew Bros. & Co., Dept. B, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

### Estray Notice.

Taken up as a stray by B. L. Sullenger, living about four miles southwest of Sheridan in Crittenden county, Ky., about the 25th day of November, 1904, one dehorned red cow with a white face and white under her belly. No ear marks. Supposed to be about five years old and appraised by me at fourteen dollars this Jan. 2, 1905.

27-R P. C. MOORE, J. P. C. C.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the public that one Abraham J. Perry is not our agent nor is he authorized to sell timber nor to collect money therefor, nor to act for us in any capacity whatever as agent or otherwise either in Livingston or Crittenden counties or elsewhere.

LOUKS & O'BRIEN, By Thos. O'Brien and J. H. Louks Grand Rapids, Mich.

When in the city do not fail to call on Woodridge & Metz to have your barber work done.

### A Growing Evil.

The four damage suits tried in the Lyon Circuit Court at its recent December term, two against the Illinois Central Railroad Company and one each against the Hillman Land & Iron Company and the city of Eddyville, consumed much of the valuable time of the court that might have been used and which was needed for the proper adjudication of other matters.

Without expressing any opinion as to the justice or injustice of above named suits, we honestly and frankly admit and declare that in our opinion, that litigation for damages has been overdone and we earnestly hope that suits without merit may hereafter meet with general rebuke. It has become too common in our court to ask for damages against railroads and other corporations doing business in our midst, and juries frequently assess damages against large corporations, when, if the damage asked for was against an individual, none would be obtainable. Our laws are quite favorable to laborers and employees, and properly administered by the judges and juries of the country, these employees would have ample protection without unnecessary hardship being placed on the corporations for accidents for which they are in no way responsible.

In some instances, corporations exercise arbitrary powers, but after all that, they have rights and these rights should be protected as individual rights are protected.

### BLOOMING ROSE.

Mark Malcom, of Tilene, was here last week.

Grey Robinson went to Salem Thursday.

Mrs. W. Hugh Watson, of near Carversville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Malcom.

James R. Curnel went to Marion Saturday.

W. B. Little is delivering corn to Tolu parties.

Will Beach, of Carversville, was here Wednesday.

J. and E. Belt were in Lola Thursday.

Dr. Fowler and Mrs. J. M. McConell spent Thursday in Lola.

Rev. C. R. Kennon, of Claylick, was here a few days last week.

### Wonderful Nerve.

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental cuts, wounds, bruises, burns, scalds, sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c at R. F. HAYNES, druggist.

### LOLA.

Yancy Rice moved to our town last Saturday.

W. H. Vick, of the Slocum vicinity, died Wednesday morning of paralysis. His remains were interred at Bethel church cemetery.

Dr. M. M. Fowler and family visited at R. S. Kennedy's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lilly Flanary, of Sheridan, is visiting the family of Dr. Davis.

For good flour and meal go to W. F. Paris.

Will Hall, of near Salem, passed through here last Saturday enroute home from a visit to his parents at Coulterville, Ill.

Allen Wright, of Marion, Ill., is visiting his brother, C. C. Wright, and other relatives here.

Bran at 80c per hundred at the Lola mills.

**KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS**  
WITH **Dr. King's New Discovery**  
FOR CONSUMPTION, COUGHS and COLD  
Price 50c & \$1.00 Free Trial.  
Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

### Saved from Terrible Death.

The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt, of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skillful physicians and every remedy used, failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at R. F. HAYNES' drug store.

### Subscriptions Paid.

|                                |     |    |    |
|--------------------------------|-----|----|----|
| J. W. Agos, Marion,            | '05 | 8  | 2  |
| J. H. Agos, Jr., "             | "   | 2  | 19 |
| A. I. Baker, "                 | "   | 8  | 12 |
| G. W. Blackburn, "             | "   | 8  | 12 |
| Miss May Bibb, "               | "   | 7  | 16 |
| R. H. Butler, "                | "   | 2  | 29 |
| Rev. T. C. Carter, "           | '06 | 1  | 3  |
| Jerry Daughtrey, "             | '05 | 7  | 12 |
| J. N. Boston, "                | "   | 7  | 15 |
| H. S. Driver, "                | "   | 7  | 15 |
| J. W. Ensch, "                 | "   | 8  | 2  |
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| Mrs. Sarah Gill, "             | "   | 4  | 15 |
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TELEPHONE COMBINE

Includes the Cumberland and East Tennessee Companies.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 30.—The Pittsburg Press publishes a column story in effect that a combination of the forty-three leading telephone companies of the United States and Canada has already been effected and will be formally announced next month at the annual meeting of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. of New York, to be held in Boston.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company is said to have engineered the deal and secured interests of forty-two other companies which will be combined in a new concern, capitalized at \$250,000,000, to establish a transcontinental system to enable subscribers to talk from New York to San Francisco and from Texas to Canada, it being virtually a telephone trust.

The Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co. and the East Tennessee Telephone Co. are among those named in the combine.

Letter from Phillipsburg, Kansas.

Mr. Editor:—As I am an old Kentuckian and a subscriber of your valuable paper, I will try and scribble down a few lines about the state of Kansas.

Kansas is 400 miles long and 200 miles wide and the soil is very fertile black loam.

Little by little, climatic conditions have in central and western Kansas changed. Where once there was only an uncertain rain fall in the spring and fall, there is now sufficient moisture to make forage crops certain, and wheat and barley a good crop at least two years out of three. In central Kansas, moisture now lasts well through the summer, so that corn is a reasonable certain crop. But as corn has advanced westward, wheat has receded before it until now the wheat belt is practically in western Kansas. Probably three-fourths of the great Kansas wheat crop this past year was grown west of the center of the State, some of the best of it growing far out toward the Colorado line, and it is this region that is now attracting immigration.

It is only this year that a dozen or more of these counties have been pronounced wheat counties. For a number of years the semi-arid region has been trying to claim them, but little by little these crops have become more pronounced, until this year eleven of these counties, heretofore supposed semi-arid counties, produced more than a million bushels of wheat each, and a number produced even more. It is in these counties that the cheap lands are to be found, and in them the settler of today has a far greater chance of success, if he proceeds along the proper lines than had the home-seeker who settled in central Kansas a quarter of a century ago. There are still several thousand acres of public domain in these western counties and some of it is excellent farming land. The reason why this land is so cheap and good and rich is because there is so much more land than there are people to farm it. When vacant lands begin to be scarce in counties containing from 800 to 1500 population, the lands will rapidly advance in value.

Twenty years ago the counties 50 to 100 miles east were in the same stage of development as these western wheat counties are now, yet some of the land runs as high as \$50 to \$60 an acre. Land in Phillips county has doubled value the last six years. There are quite a number of Kentucky people out here and they are all doing well and are well satisfied. Some have grown to be quite wealthy.

We have good churches, good schools and good people. What we need out West is more good people.

Say, Dr. John Reynolds, your letter in THE RECORD some time ago was good. Let us hear from you again.

J. B. Mosier.

Ah, There, Daisy.

Miss Daisy Fitzhugh Ayers, the Washington correspondent of the Courier-Journal, speaks of the aesthetic apartments of Captain Calhoun at the Hotel Cecil. But, Daisy, did you ever visit the Cap's apartments before he copped out that \$71,000? We beat you to it, Daisy. We saw his "departments" in the court house at Frankfort. We saw a boy in "them there" departments dying from a wound inflicted by the accidental discharge of a musket because the discipline under the aforesaid Cap. was loose, and it mattered not whether guns were empty or loaded, because the Cap. had his eye on that contract at the time and paid little attention to what the soldiers were doing. Daisy, we saw the Cap. completely "play out" while running an alleged business college at Lexington. We saw the Cap. suddenly branch out as a "lawyer," when he didn't know Blackstone from the bell cord of a festive Beck. Daisy, dear, you ought to investigate these things before spreading your "bull con" for the edification of your Kentucky victims. We know all about these cheap screws on which you are smearing the salve, and we want you, Daisy, to go away back and assume a reclining posture. Good-bye, Fitz.—Paducah Sun.

Hunt Site Selected.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 26.—By a vote of 45 to 33, the house passed the bill providing for the purchase by the capitol commission, of the Hunt site for a new capitol.

The bill sets aside \$40,000 of the original capitol appropriation and does not contain an emergency clause. The bill was adopted by the Democrats, all the Republicans voting no.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac for 1905 is now ready, being the finest edition ever issued. This splendid and costly book of 200 pages is a complete study of astronomy and storm and weather for 1905. It is too well known to need comment. See it and you will so decide. The price, postpaid to any address, is 50c. per copy. The Rev. Irl R. Hicks' scientific, religious and family journal, WORD AND WORKS, now abreast with the best magazines, is 65c. a year. Both WORD AND WORKS and the Almanac \$1.00 per year. No better investment possible for any person or family. Try it and see. Send to WORD AND WORKS PUBL. CO., 2201 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

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Lost—Pocket time book of Hodgen mine, by Tom Meridith, foreman. Lost between Hodgen mine and Marion by way of Crayneville. Return to Ky. Fluor Spar Co., Marion Ky. 26 3-4

Teachers' Training Class

BY REV. JAS. P. PRICE

Wed.—Christ's further labors in Judea, John 3:22.  
Thur.—John the Baptist's last labors, John 3:23-24.  
Fri.—John's last testimony to Christ, John 3:25-35.  
Sat.—Imprisonment of John the Baptist, Matt. 14:2-5; Mark 6:17-20; Luke 3:19, 20.  
Sun.—Christ leaves Judea, John 14:1-3.  
Mon.—Christ's house in Samaria, John 4:4-43a.  
Tues.—Christ goes to Galilee, Matt. 4:12; Mark 1:14ab; Luke 4:14a; John 4:43, 44.  
Wed.—Beginning of the Galilean ministry, Matt. 4:17; Mark 1:14b, 15; Luke 4:14b, 15; John 4:45.

OUTLINE OF LESSON.

- I. The teacher.
  1. Physically weary.
  2. Physically thirsty.
  3. Physically hungry.
- II. Spiritually watching for opportunities.
  1. Ready to help.
  2. The pupil.
    1. Her nationality.
    2. Her religion.
    3. Her character.
- III. The lesson.
  1. The approach, v. 7.
  2. The wall of separation, v. 9.
  3. Salvation offered in symbol, v. 10.
  4. Spiritual blindness, vs. 11, 12.
  5. Contrast between earthly and spiritual blessings, vs. 13, 14.

LIVING THE LESSON.

1. Jesus was willing to help any one, even the unfortunate; I will try to help some one, whatever may be that one's moral condition.
2. Jesus used his opportunities; I will try to use my opportunities.

QUESTIONS FOR RESEARCH.

1. Where was Enon?
2. What question arose with some of John's disciples and the Jews?
3. What did John the Baptist say about his work and Christ's?
4. What facts confirm this statement?
5. Why was this called "Jacob's well"?
6. Where was it?
7. What is the present condition?
8. What journey was Jesus taking at this time?
9. Why did he go through Samaria?
10. What did Jesus mean by "the gift of God" in v. 10?
11. In what sense is religion a "living water"?
12. Why is water a favorite symbol of salvation in the Bible?
13. Where was the Samaritan's place of worship?
14. Did they have any building for worship?
15. What remarkable incident occurred in connection with Mt. Gerizim?

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1905.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

##### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

COCHRAN—We are authorized to announce Thomas H. Cochran a candidate to represent the district composed of Crittenden and Livingston counties in the Kentucky legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

##### FOR COUNTY JUDGE

DEBOE—We are authorized to announce A. A. Deboe a candidate for the office of judge of the Crittenden county court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

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##### 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.

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

HICKLIN—We are authorized to announce William Sherman Hicklin a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

CONGER—We are authorized to announce J. Frank Conger a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

WOODALL—We are authorized to announce W. A. Woodall a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

##### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

HENDERSON—We are authorized to announce Carl Henderson a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

##### FOR COUNTY CLERK.

WELDON—We are authorized to announce C. E. Weldon a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

##### FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

LARUE—We are authorized to announce R. A. LaRue a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

PARIS—We are authorized to announce John B. Paris a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

##### FOR ASSESSOR

DAVIDSON—We are authorized to announce Joseph Anthony Davidson a candidate for the office of assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

CHANDLER—We are authorized to announce Joseph Logan Chandler a candidate for the office of assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

ORDWAY—We are authorized to announce William H. Ordway a candidate for the office of assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

##### FOR JAILER

TRAVIS—We are authorized to announce Albert H. Travis a candidate for the office of jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Election 1905.

GILBERT—We are authorized to announce Patrick C. Gilbert a candidate for the office of jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

MORGAN—We are authorized to announce John P. Morgan a candidate for the office of jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

##### A CALL

For the Republican County Committee to meet at the court house Monday, Feb. 13th, 1905, (it being county court day) for the purpose of deciding the time and plan for nominating candidates for the county offices to be voted for at the November election, 1905. All the committee and all Republicans of the county are requested to be present. J. FRANK CONGER, Ch'm.

Another twelve months and the taxable wealth in this county will be over three million dollars.

From 1903 to 1904 the net taxable wealth of the county increased \$133,000 and last year it increased over \$156,000. May the county continue to prosper and the increase ratio become greater.

As long as the Kentucky Goebellites have hopes of hanging Taylor for the crime of having been elected governor of the State, they will hide all the knowledge they have gained concerning the individual shot.—Globe Democrat.

The loss by fire in this country is estimated to be between one hundred and twenty-five and one hundred and fifty millions of dollars per year. Of the three years just past, 1904 leads by far. So great has been the loss that several large fire insurance companies have about decided to go out of business.

According to press reports, the Car of all the Russias, is on the verge of a collapse. But one is not to wonder at this after the Port Arthur disaster. Then, too, there remains the fact that according to the powers, China is not to be dissolved, so His Highness gets no slice of that pie. This, together with Father Gapon's recent capers has brought about the state of the Czar's health.

It has been suggested that the Czar's belief in the open-door policy will be confined to the rear exit of his palace.

It is reported that General Stoessel, of Port Arthur fame, is to be welcomed back to his native Russia by a court martial—a kind of way fame has of treating her devotees.

President Roosevelt made the statement before the Union League Club of Philadelphia, that while there must be no hurry there must be no halt in making the highways of commerce open to all alike.

Judge Lewis McQuinn, attorney for the defense in the Hargis-Callahan cases, doubtless contemplates establishing a school to train newspaper reporters. He has already informed them how they should report in the above case.

We look forward with pleasure to the good-roads convention to be held here in the spring. There will be something to eat, something to drink if only water—the best to be had. Chairman C. S. Nunn and his committee, a department of the Commercial Club, will have the matter in hand and the day will be the beginning of better roads in Crittenden county.

In the matter of the good-roads movement an investigation will reveal the fact that there is plenty of hauling to be done now but the roads are not to be relied on. Mining companies are tying up their money in the output of their mines on account of lack of transportation. Their customers are forced to wait for the flux or the metallic ore and the farmers and teamsters can now only feed their teams while they should be making good money.

The Hague conference, although its powers of arbitration are limited, is a step towards that universal peace which so many have long hoped for. The origin of this unique court is due to the Car of Russia, and the idea, though an excellent one, was viewed with distrust by the Powers, many believing it, but a truce whereby disarmament could be brought about and then the white bear could easily pounce upon his prey unawares. The nineteenth century ablaze with mighty movements, has nothing more brilliant than this. But will there be a universal peace? This arbitration court is a step in that direction. A still further step was made when Secretary of State John Hay secured favorable replies from the Powers in regard to settling by arbitration all international disputes except those where national honor was in question.

It was a nice point of law that County Attorney Carl Henderson raised before the tax supervisors when he claimed that valuable mining leases were taxable, and had it not been so intended by the makers of the Kentucky statutes, the leases would not have to be listed for the purpose of taxation. The tax supervisors agreed with the county attorney and placed taxable values on the leases of several mining companies. This action will meet with a vigorous protest on the part of the companies affected by it. The point will be opposed on a technical basis and will probably be decided in a higher court. Let the point be settled as it may, to Mr. Henderson is due the credit for bringing it up at this stage and it is also due to him to say that he is not antagonistic to the mining interests, being interested in mining property himself, and being a member of the Commercial Club whose desire is to bring about the fullest possible development of the district, but his action was prompted solely by a desire to perform his duty in filling the office to which he was elected and to which he again aspires.

##### HOW LONG. HOW LONG?

County Judge James Hargis a few weeks ago was found guilty by a Clark county jury of a conspiracy to murder James Marum. This week a Fayette county grand jury returns an indictment against him for conspiracy to murder James Cockrill. How much longer must the Democratic party of Kentucky bear the odium of such a man's leadership as a member of its State committee? How much longer, when he is on trial on such charges, is the fact of his membership of that committee to be cited in court as an evidence of his standing and character?—Courier Journal

The way the State Democratic committee holds on to the personage of James Hargis would lead us to believe that the party leaders regard his services as being indispensable for some reason. He may know too much of their schemes and personal records, and, besides, his advice may be desired in the matter of "Callhouning," etc. At any rate, should he be deposed we might find out some more interesting facts regarding why the State should have to pay \$48,000 for architect and superintendent in charge in the matter of erecting a new capitol when as good service could have been secured for \$24,000; why a certain printing concern should have received \$28,000 for \$3,000 worth of printing and binding, and also something more about that old, but ever interesting question, the Carl Callhoun fee of \$71,000.

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## New Millinery Store.

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I have for sale a most desirable tract of land located within two miles of Marion. It is a farm containing 100 acres, 85 of which are in good state of cultivation, balance in timber. Of this land 45 acres are in creek bottom and will produce over 50 bushels of corn per acre. Farm has great quantities of stock water, good cistern, good stock barn, young orchard containing 150 fruit trees, residence of six rooms and basement. Splendid mineral prospects. Price reasonable and terms to suit purchaser. For further information call on or write

JAS. E. CHITTENDEN, Marion, Ky.

##### Uncle John Gilbert Visits Us.

"Uncle" John Gilbert, of near Mattoon, was the guest of friends in the city this week. While in town he called at Tim Ryan's office. The good old man is 80 years old and has a remarkable memory for a man of his age. He sat down and talked about the war times when the two wings of the Democratic party headed by Douglas and Breckenridge ran for President against Lincoln. He said the last Democrat he voted for was Breckenridge. He said when secession arose and the Kentucky congressman representing this district resigned his position to go with the South to fight against the constitution that he (Gilbert) declared himself for the North. With tears in his eyes Mr. Gilbert said it was a trying moment for him, that his kinsmen were going with the South but he could not go with them for he never thought that he could forbear the thought that he would be striking the monument left him by a grandfather who fought in the Revolution—the constitution he helped make. "That constitution," said Mr. Gilbert, "Lincoln said he would stand by it and therefore I was for Lincoln."

Is your property insured against loss by fire and tornadoes? If not write to Bourland & Haynes, at Marion, Ky., and find out what it will cost you.

Sam Stenbridge is still suffering from rheumatism.

Mrs. E. B. Blackburn has been suffering from a slight attack of pneumonia.

D. C. Porter has secured an office on the second floor in the Marion Bank building.

Miss Belle Barnes entertained the Euchre Club Tuesday evening at her home on Salem street.

Dr. T. A. Frazer is sick of rheumatism at his home on Depot street. He suffered a very severe attack last night.

Shades of Venus and of any other authenticated ancestry of the ever watchful Cupid! Are none but engaged girls eligible to employment in the office of the Paduwa Telephone Co., or is there, unknown to the suitors, a sort of glamor radiating from the switch-board investing the operator with the gauzy of charms? Evidently there is something out of the ordinary in connection with it, for twenty-six girls have been married from there within a year. Let him speak who can.—Morganfield Sun.

##### Marriage License.

F. A. King to Miss Vida M. Travis.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

R. J. Morris, Dentist, Marion.  
That Kokomo fence! Isn't she a wonder?

W. D. Wallace, of Sturgis, was here this week.

J. W. Paris, of Tolu, was here the first of the week.

Mrs. H. M. Cook is suffering from nervous prostration.

Miss Bertie Wigginton, of Kelsey, is a guest of Mrs. R. F. Dorr.

One door east of James & James office. WOOLDRIDGE & METZ.

Joe R. Daughtrey, of Uniontown, was in the city Sunday.

Keep your eye on Kokomo woven wire fence. COCHRAN & PICKENS.

J. B. Pierce, from Salem, registered at the New Marion Saturday.

J. R. Markham, a leading farmer of near Sullivan, was in the city Saturday.

James Travis or Lawrence Crider can tell you of the merits of Kokomo fence.

Mrs. Sarah J. Crider, who has been sick for some time, is reported to be better.

Mrs. T. H. Davis, of Russellville, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. McAfee.

Rev. Jas. F. Price will preach Sunday and Sunday night at the C. P. church.

J. L. Wyatt, of the Fredonia Milling Co., was in town Wednesday on business.

Mrs. H. C. Rice, of Fredonia, was a guest of Mrs. E. C. Moore the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Hurley, of Tolu, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Joel A. Farmer.

Mrs. Mollie Murphy left Sunday for Greenville to join her husband who has a position there.

Will you be in town this week? Don't fail to look at the Kokomo fence. COCHRAN & PICKENS.

Mrs. Will Guess, of Salem, after spending several days with Mrs. T. C. Guess, returned home Monday.

Born, to the wife of Elbert Hill, of Tribune, Feb. 1st, a fine girl. Father and mother are both doing well.

We want to purchase a large quantity of nice hickory logs 6 and 12 feet long. Apply for prices. BOSTON & PARIS, Marion, Ky.

We have received an article from Tribune entitled "Why I Cannot Afford to Drink" which will appear in our next issue.

We have moved our barber shop across the street. We have more room and better lights. Call and see us. WOOLDRIDGE & METZ.

City Marshal H. B. Hughes, of Fredonia, was here Wednesday.

Car of nails and wire just received. COCHRAN & PICKENS.

Tom Conyer, of Levas, has moved to this city where he will continue the carpenter trade.

Miss Myrtle Todd, daughter of Esq. Will Todd, near Shady Grove, entered school here Monday.

First door East James & James' across street from old stand. The barbers. WOOLDRIDGE & METZ.

Our stock of field seeds is complete, consisting of clover, red top, timothy, orchard grass, blue grass and oats. COCHRAN & PICKENS.

Nunn & Tucker have secured for their undertaking department, a new automatic device for lowering caskets in the grave.

John T. Franks, of Denver, Col., who has been confined to his room for some time with la grippe, is able to be out again.

A Paducah paper reports smallpox at Smithland. The case is said to be confined to one family and is under control.

We represent reliable companies and will appreciate a share of your business. BOULAND & HAYNES, General Insurance Agents.

John O'Donnell, of Evansville, secured the plumbing contract for the heating plant of the Marion Graded School at \$1925.

We buy seed in car lots and of course can save you money on what you want in this line. COCHRAN & PICKENS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cardin, of View, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore, of this city, and will remain here several weeks.

Frank Neikirk, age 56 years, a well-known man of Livingston, died Saturday at Smithland after a two days' illness with pneumonia.

In keeping with a promise made John Wilson, we can only say that the one thing of all things that makes him feel proud—it is not a girl.

Mr. Samuel Siegel has an international reputation as a mandolin player. His music charms and thrills. At the opera house next Saturday night, February 4th.

Wm. Crowell, formerly of the Evansville Paint and Varnish Co., was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Crowell contemplates entering the hardware business at Blackford again.

The Marion Orchestra will be ready for business by July 1st. It is made up as follows: Sheriff J. W. Lamb, leader 1st violin; Jas. L. Travis, 2nd violin; Robt. Fisk, flute; Maurice Sutherland, cornet; E. P. Stewart, clarinet; Oll Tucker, bass violin; Will Clark, sliding trombone.

Kokomo is the name of the best wrapped fence made.

COCHRAN & PICKENS.

The Siegel-Meyer-Dainty Company comes to Marion under a guarantee to be first class in every respect. At the opera house next Saturday night, February 4th.

COCHRAN & PICKENS have rented the room adjoining their hardware store and will fill it full of goods. Their large trade compelled them to have more room in which to accommodate it.

A bouncing, rollicking boy arrived at the home of T. E. Hearin last week. And now Tom has a multiplicity of duties. Besides attending to his grocery store he has to sing lullabies to his new heir.

Newspapers speak highly of the ability of Miss Louise Dainty as a reader. Her personality is charming and her natural grace is pleasing. She is with the Siegel-Meyer-Dainty Company, which will be at the opera house next Saturday night, February 4th.

"It's an ill wind that blows no one good" is an old saying, and the truthfulness of it was demonstrated last Sunday, for notwithstanding a snow storm that was raging in all its fury, a sweet little girl baby arrived at the home of Rev. J. E. McAfee, of this city.

Mr. Hyman Meyer is a master of mirth-provoking mimicry, music and wit. He can imitate anything from a chicken singing a solo to a complete company of operatic stars at dress rehearsal. His burlesque on Italian grand opera will surprise you. At the opera house next Saturday night, February 4th.

Jas. L. Travis has accepted a position as salesman with the hardware firm, Cochran & Pickens, and R. D. Moore resumes his former position at the Kentucky Flour Spar Company's concentrating plant. Upon Mr. Moore's departure for St. Louis some time ago, the place was filled by Mr. Travis.

Mrs. W. E. Osborn, of Evansville, and whose husband travels for Ragon Bros., was in the city Saturday relative to securing a place to reside. Since Mr. and Mrs. Osborn have decided to become citizens of Marion, we extend to them a cordial welcome and trust that they may soon find a desirable residence.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Jas. A. Deboe and Miss Helen Barbee, both of Clinton, which will take place in the afternoon of February 11th, at Clinton. Mr. Deboe is a native of this county and is well-known here. He left here a few years ago and settled at Clinton where he was later appointed postmaster, serving until about two years ago.

## THEATRICAL

The Original Edison (?) Moving Pictures at the Opera House last Friday night were, to use a little slang, very much "on the pig," and, luckily, only a few were in attendance. The managers were sorely disappointed, because it is their earnest endeavor to secure only the best, and, by the way, they have been very fortunate, but this attraction (detraction would be more appropriate) was grossly misrepresented to them.

A good sized audience received a rare treat Tuesday night when C. E. Callahan's beautiful Tennessee comedy drama, "A Romance of Coon Hollow," was presented, and all present expressed themselves as being delighted with the play. It was pronounced the best play of its kind that has visited Marion this season—that is, if it has a kind.

In a number of respects it was in a class to itself, one being that the hero was not a perfect saint and so without fault as in most plays, but on the contrary, he committed sufficient errors to keep the audience guessing how the play would end. Kitty Cameron handled the role of "Georgia" in such a sweet, simple manner that she won the admiration of the entire audience, and she was supported by a troop of genuine artists who presented this heart-touching story in a manner so realistic that the audience was spellbound to such an extent that very little enthusiasm was displayed when applause was richly deserved. This company presented everything they advertised as far as the opera house facilities would permit, and we predict that if they ever again visit Marion they will be greeted with a packed house.

Saturday night, February 4th, The Siegel-Meyer-Dainty Company will appear in music, humor and readings. Mr. Samuel Siegel, who is distinguished as America's mandolin virtuoso, Mr. Hyman Meyer, the well-known wit, mimic and musician, and Miss Louise Dainty, a delightfully original reader whose name is said to be singularly appropriate, compose the company, and the company is under the direction of the Central Lyceum Bureau, Indianapolis, Ind., which is convincing that the entertainment will be well worth attending.

"Si Stebbins," the 20th century success, introducing the famous Yankee comedian, Dan Darleigh, is booked for March 8th. This superb attraction is the fashion plate of rural comedies, and introduces many high class specialties. It carries a splendid brass band and concert orchestra, and gives a novel street parade.

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## BITS OF BY-PLAY.

What we need in this age is quick thinkers. Women think quicker than men, hence we need more good women.—Livingston Banner.

Who said the editor was a backward old bachelor?

Considering the size of the city there are probably few I. C. railway stations where more freight is handled or where a depot agent is kept busier than at the I. C. station here in Marion. Lou Johnson, the railroad and express agent, is very prompt in his attention to duty and finds time to be thrifty and to push his business. In the passenger waiting room he has a black board where he lets crayon advertise for him. At present the following can be seen there in a plain hand:

"Buy an accident ticket and if you get killed, your wife will get \$5,000 and have no trouble in getting another husband—money attracts where beauty fails—try one."

No smoking allowed.

We are out for business—if you cannot express your opinion, send it by freight.

The disease called love effects different people in different ways, and sometimes persons afflicted with this malady do things both amusing and horrifying. To illustrate: There is a young man in Marion who is so smitten with the charms of a bunch of Livingston county calico that he dreams of her both day and night, and he keeps his fellow-lodgers at the boarding house continually in hot water by blindly upsetting buckets of water and conducting himself generally like a pig in a parlor—that's amusing. But when he goes rushing into the dining room and overturns a boiler of scalding hot coffee, spilling the contents all over the female occupants of the room, to say nothing of himself, the cook and the carpet—why, that's just simply horrifying. We don't care to be personal, but for further information call at Wool-

dridge & Metz' barber shop and interview chair No. 2.

The Marion (Kas.) Record, of which Gov. Hoch is owner, has not been led by prosperity to cast aside the ladder that led to it, as the following paragraph from its most recent issue bears witness:

"Just because the proprietor of this paper is now drawing the Governor's salary, we trust our subscribers will not cease to send in remittances. It takes money to run the 'Old Thing' and we'd hate awfully to have to draw on the 'maintenance fund' to help us out. Reinit, dear old subscriber, reinit."

We believe Sturgis has the sweetest lot of old maids and the finest looking set of old bachelors of any town in old Kentucky. Just why they don't get married is more than we can tell.—Sturgis Cor. to Morgantown Sun.

## List For a Laff.

That is what the "Singin' Skule Regiment" was written for, and it has entirely fulfilled its mission as will be attested when it is presented in Marion shortly under the auspices of the ladies of the M. E. church. The papers of Henderson pronounce it one of the funniest and cleverest amateur entertainment ever seen there, and this is the verdict that comes from all over the State and from all of the larger cities of the entire south. Messrs. Bertram and Willard, the authors, are very funny comedians, and when they get mixed up with about thirty of our most talented local people, as they will upon that occasion, there is going to be some fun. Watch for the exact date, which will be announced shortly.

Richard McGregor, for the last fourteen years connected with newspapers in Kentucky, is now associate editor of the Greenwood (Miss.) Commonw alth, formerly Governor Vardaman's paper.—American Press.

Richard McGregor is a native of this county and has many friends here who will be glad to learn that he is continually advancing in his chosen profession.



## The Glad Dawn of Universal Peace Is Drawing Near

By BENJAMIN F. TRUEBLOOD,  
President of the American Peace Society.



THE year just closed has been full of events which give strong ground for belief that the era of universal peace is just upon us. Since the 1st of January last, no less than 22 treaties of obligatory arbitration have been signed. In the group of nations which have thus pledged themselves to one another to submit certain important classes of controversies to The Hague court for a period of five years are included nearly all the important powers of the world—the United States, Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Austria, the Netherlands, Belgium, Switzerland, Denmark, Spain, Portugal, Norway and Sweden and Russia.

More encouraging than the treaties themselves is the strong pacific spirit among both rulers and peoples which has produced them. The recent reference of the North sea Dogger bank incident to an international commission of inquiry as provided in The Hague convention is of the utmost moment as a prophecy of the new era of practical peace which is just before us. Even ten years ago such a thing would have been impossible, and by this time the Russians and Britons would have been slaughtering each other by the thousand.

The year has been full of important meetings of an international order, which bears witness that the nations, led by the growing sentiment of their peoples, are moving straight on the road to general peace. Chief among these gatherings have been the Washington national arbitration conference in January last, the Mohonk arbitration conference in June, the large national peace congresses held in France, Great Britain and Italy, the interparliamentary union conference at St. Louis in September, held under the auspices and at the expense of our government, and the great international peace congress held at Boston in October, at which the government of one of the greatest nations on earth openly identified itself with the peace movement through the presence and address of its chief cabinet officer, Secretary Hay.

The crowning event of the year has been the call issued by our government for a new inter-governmental conference at The Hague, to carry forward the great work inaugurated at The Hague conference of 1899.

Not the least significant fact of the year, to my mind, has been the general attitude of the civilized world upon the sanguinary and disastrous war between Russia and Japan. The painful lesson of this struggle has been taken to heart by the civilized peoples as has never been the case at the time of any previous war between two great powers.

These striking facts of the year are sufficient to convince any thoughtful man that the spirit of the Prince of Peace, which has already produced such remarkable results in the ordinary social relations of men, is making its way with extraordinary rapidity into the realm of international affairs. This new year will give us triumphs of this spirit, in practical ways, such as will surprise those skeptics who still persist in believing that violence is the natural order of things among nations.

## Youth's Opportunities

By HON. TIMOTHY WOODRUFF,  
of New York.

an is earnest of purpose. It is not wiser to seek a thing where it abounds, even if competition for its possession is great, rather than to seek it where competition is less, but where it may not exist at all?

And when the opportunity does come one cannot afford to let it slip by, for one never knows which opportunity may be the opportunity of a lifetime. Teachers and men of business should impress upon students and employees the great difficulty in securing a second opportunity after one has been lost. The real secret of success in commercial life lies in a willingness and an effort to do something more than merely perform the routine work demanded of the position.

This is the day of specialties and in New York state the value of a special education in business has been recognized by the highest educational authorities of that state—the board of regents. They have instituted a system of registration whereby the state certifies to the commercial college diplomas.

Among all of the opportunities which this country affords none comes more frequently or with greater promise than those which are within the grasp of the stenographer or the typewriter. Look at the case of George B. Cortelyou. He was the stenographer of one president, then assistant and finally secretary to the assistant, and then a member of the cabinet and chairman of the national republican committee.



## The Theory of Price

By Prof. J. LAWRENCE LAUGHLIN,  
University of Chicago.

of purchasing power is not synonymous with the amount of the media of exchange in circulation, but corresponds rather with salable goods. Very often the media of exchange are created as a consequence of the transactions in goods. Hence they can have no effect on the making of price. All the elements touching the acquisition of an article (labor, material, etc.); the intensity of demand for it from consumers; the influence of monopoly conditions—all these are in constant operation in determining the price which will be settled upon by the seller and the buyer. When these forces have done their work, and a price has been fixed in the markets, the goods thus valued in terms of the standard (gold) are actually exchanged by some medium of exchange, which in these days is seldom the standard commodity.

To me, therefore, the old quantity theory was an improper application of the law of demand and supply, since it treated only the demand for and the supply of "money" (and did not even define this "money") as regulating the general level of prices, while it omitted all consideration of the forces on the goods' side of the price ration.

## The Issue Between the Open and the Closed Shop

By JOHN GRAHAM BROOKS,  
President of the American Social Science Association.



THERE is little use in discussing this subject apart from the temper and purpose of the parties involved. A good many trade unions have used the closed shop principle, and its weapons, both brutally and stupidly, but plenty of employers are using the open shop in a spirit that is probably more dangerous to social welfare than the coarsest ruffianism of the trades unions. Side by side with excesses, we have open and closed shops in which business is conducted with admirable and common satisfaction.

There is not the slightest danger that the closed shop will become universal in this country. Strong and well-disciplined unions do not need it. Weak and struggling trade unions may get a temporary advantage that is at the same time a social advantage. A large group of employers is now making its tilt in the name of "liberty," but industrial organization on both sides has introduced something so like a revolution that we do not know what "liberty" means as applied to a specific industry like garment-making in the overhanging market which low-class labor offers through immigration in a place like New York city. The employers in that industry have won the open shop, but it should be found that petty, warring contractors could not be controlled; that wages should be cut and hours lengthened, is that consistent with "liberty" and "true Americanism?"

If with the closed shop the union win two dollars a day and eight hours, it may well forego some aspects of personal feeling. Or shall we say that the open shop of the sweater with \$1.25 and a 12-hour day is more desirable because the workers are "free?"

In industrial conditions like these, we are not to be comforted by any unctious rhetoric about Americanism and freedom. For any formal limitation on this freedom, there may be conceivably the amplest compensation. In such special industries as I have indicated, social utility and security must test even the biggest phrases.

If, again, the closed shop, brought about without any violence and with the consent of the employer, as in some of the cigar factories, results in a good living wage, with eight hours and improved conditions, while outside the union there rages a destructive competition and many children employed, is it not grotesque to make words like "liberty" and "Americanism" synonymous with that kind of haphazard competition? Liberty is not adequately defined in terms of the employers' pecuniary interest. It also has social connotations which we are only beginning to learn.

## Why Women Should Not Hang

By HON. GEO. F. TUCKER,  
Former Reporter of Decisions of Massachusetts Supreme Court.

they reason in the same way as men do, that they are capable of achieving the same results, and that there is no valid argument against their having the same chances and opportunities. Statutes in many jurisdictions now place women on the same, or nearly the same, basis with men; and the weak assertion of Lord Macaulay (I think it was he) that women are incapable of competing with men, and that it is folly to confer on them equal rights, privileges and opportunities with men, has been abundantly disproved by the achievements of women themselves.

The logical conclusion, in the judgment of many, is that women guilty of murder should suffer the penalty imposed upon men for the commission of that crime. In this we do not agree. In the first place, women are often subject to impulses, more physical perhaps than mental, of which men know nothing, and for which men are not always inclined to make due allowance. Women endure sufferings of a physical nature of which men know nothing, and often the eccentricities of women are the product of their physical condition, and, from the standpoint of justice and right, entirely excusable. Again, women play a part in the generation and perpetuation of the human species, which men do not always appreciate. The writer is unmarried, but he understands that it is a common saying among women that if the wife should give birth to the first child and the husband to the second, there would never be but three children in a family. I wish Theodore Roosevelt could have some practical experience in this matter.

Finally, despite the present equality of the sexes before the law, there are considerations of something more than sentiment involved. There is no reason in the world why women should receive the same punishment as is given to men for the commission of murder. Few women take the lives of others, and, however horrible the circumstances of any particular case, regard for womanhood and for the exacting cares and responsibilities of the sex should secure her exemption from the punishment which the law places upon men.

George F. Tucker

## Power of Little Things

By DR. GEORGE F. HALL.

prophet Zechariah, who said: "Despise not the day of small things." Nor the great apostle Paul's appeal to the Romans: "Mind not high things, but condescend to men of low estate."

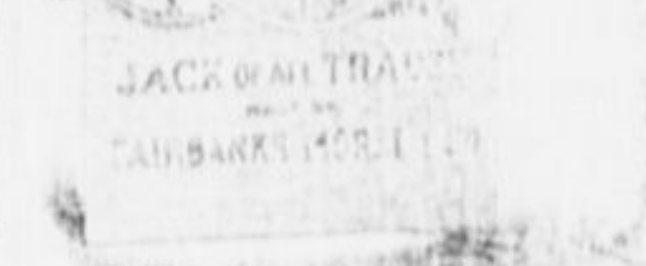
In the development of the human race God has always made much use of little things, like the rod of Moses, the ox goad of Shamgar, the ram's horn of Joshua and the sling of David. The jawbone of an ass was an unusual and apparently insignificant instrument of war, but in the hand of Samson it moved down Philistines like a modern machine gun.

Don't condemn anything because it is little. The pen is mightier than the sword and the ballot is more powerful than the mandate of a monarch. From five loaves and two small fishes Jesus fed a multitude. A widow's mite with God's blessing goes farther than the fortune of a Carnegie without it. It is the purpose behind the gift that counts.

Notwithstanding the fact that most of the world gauges everything by its highest nowadays, it is well for the thoughtful to remember the injunction of the old Hebrew

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Of course they do. It is their way of learning and it is your duty to answer. You may need a dictionary to aid you. It won't answer every question, but there are thousands to which it will give you true, clear and definite answers, not about words only, but about things, the sun, machinery, men, places, stories and the like. Then, too, the children can find their own answers. Some of our greatest men have ascribed their power to study of the dictionary. Of course you want the best dictionary. The most critical prefer the New and Enlarged Edition of

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# The Cash Store!

The first day of our Cleaning up sale will be Saturday, February 4, 1905, and will last as long as our Winter Goods lasts, and during this sale you can get prices on Heavy Winter Goods that was never heard of before. So don't miss the opportunity of buying goods cheap for cash.

## Heavy Dress Goods.

Dress Patterns that were \$5.50 now going at \$4.20  
 " " " " 5.95 " 4.55  
 " " " " 6.00 " 4.80

Ladies and Childrens Jackets go in this sale.

The heavy 50c. Underwear for men, going at 35c.  
 " 25c. " 19c.  
 " 25c-30c. " for boys " 20c.  
 " 25c. union suits for children 20c.

Hoosier Brown Domestic 4 1/2c. per yard

All the Best Calico 4 1/2c. " "

Hope Bleached Domestic 7 c. " "

The Best Bed Ticking 15 c. " "

Come early and get your share, for these goods will go, for we mean to clean up our winter goods.

## New Embroideries

Cheap for cash.

## New Gingham

One lot of 10c. Flannellet Outing and Dark Gingham to close at 7c.

One lot of Plumes for Ladies Hats, the 25c. 40c. and 50c. kind go at 10c. each.

One lot of Mens 50c. and 75c. Shirts for 25c

One lot of Mens and Boys Caps, they will go in this sale, and a number of other goods that we have not mentioned, so come in and get the goods.

## SHOES! SHOES!

Buy the best, the Brown. They fit well and they go cheap for cash.

New Hats for Men and Boys.

## Clothing for Men and Boys.

We have some Winter Suits, Overcoats and Pants that will go in this sale and if you want a Bargain come early for we have no competition when it comes to Quality and Price. BECAUSE WE SELL ONLY FOR CASH.

Yours for Bargains

# McCONNELL & STONE

Marion, Kentucky.

## LOCAL NEWS.

As Gathered by Our Efficient Correspondents.

### IRMA.

Alfred Compton, of Sheridan, was here Sunday.

Misses Allie Highfill, Ocie Sullenger, Lela Brown and Henry Sullenger attended the dance at Alfred Harden's Saturday night.

J. P. Sullenger visited his son, S. J. Sullenger, in Livingston county last week.

S. H. Pittillo, of Lola, was here Sunday.

Ernest Goodman, of Fairview, Ill., was here Sunday.

Noel Large left Tuesday for Golconda, Ill.

Sammie Sullenger returned from Paducah, Ky. last Saturday.

Kennie Morse is all smiles—it's a boy.

J. B. Moore and Wm. Harden sold a nice lot of hogs to E. F. Sullenger.

J. M. Hughes offers five dollars to anybody who will find his cat or even its hide.

Corn going at 45c, rabbits at 3c.

For groceries call on S. S. Sullenger.

Dr. I. H. Clement and Jas. C. Harden were here last week.

Twenty-five Huntingburg wagons for sale at a bargain.

S. S. SULLINGER.

John T. Harden sold a fine lot of hogs last week.

Lafe Highfill and F. P. Woodley are hauling tram rails from Tolu to the Big Tenne mines.

Chas. Perry was here Tuesday.

Laid Hardesty, of Hardesty, was here Sunday.

I. R. Large, of Berry Ferry, was here Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Sullenger is on the sick list.

Miss Ethel Funkhouser visited Miss Catherine Tackwell Wednesday.

### IRON HILL.

Aunt Sis Walker is suffering from a severe attack of paralysis.

Miss Edith Parish is visiting relatives at Morganfield.

Miss Lou Pickering, of Mattoon, is visiting at Burt Walker's.

Frank Thomas and wife, of Uniontown, were in the city last Saturday.

Walter McConnell has moved from Marion to his farm here.

Tom Ed Walker was in Fishtrap Saturday.

Just received a car of seed cats. COCHRAN & PICKENS.

### HAMPTON.

M. C. Nelson, who is studying law at Smithland, visited here Saturday and Sunday.

The box party at J. A. Davis' last Saturday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

Silas Howard went to Marion last Sunday.

Joe Sexton, of this place, is suffering with rheumatism.

There will be a musical at J. C. Hardin's Saturday night.

Mr. Guill will leave here soon for Arkansas.

Rev. Higgins delivered a fine sermon at the Methodist church this week.

Hugh Coffield and Will Hardin went to Marion Wednesday.

Dr. J. Frank Crawford went to Birdsville Tuesday.

### PINEY.

Misses Mary and Maggie Towery attended the musicale at Marion Dean's Saturday night.

Misses Dick and Bertie Titherington, of Providence, are visiting their father, Jim Titherington this week.

Gabe Towery, of Iron Hill vicinity, was here Saturday.

Vester Travis, of Blackford, was here last week buying hogs.

Marion Ford, who has been sick, is reported better.

Henry Wilson, John and Willie Ford went to Providence Saturday.

WANTED—a telephone line from here to Blackford.

Misses Elva and Dora Babb and brother, Master Roscoe, visited at Henry Reynolds' Saturday and Sunday.

Clyde Carter, who has been attending Lockyear's Business College at Evansville, has returned home.

Rud Babb and family visited in Wepster county Monday.

Jack Felker and family went to Caldwell county to visit relatives Saturday.

Dave Woods is the champion rabbit hunter. He takes the red man's gun (Oow and arrow) and kills more game than anybody.

And if he fails to get his game, Tom Morrow slips up on it and catches it.

The annual cost of fire insurance is reasonable, the protection absolute. Have your property insured today, it may burn before tomorrow, delays are dangerous.

Write to BOURLAND & HAYNES, General Insurance Agents, Marion, Ky., and investigate rates.

### CHAPEL HILL.

Joe Parr and wife, of Fredonia, visited the family of B. F. Walker, Sunday.

Horace Williamson will move to Mattoon right soon.

Ned Cruce, of Tilene, was here this week.

Adams Bros. & Co. have filled their ice house with 30 loads of fine ice.

Rev. Jno. A. Hunt, of Pleasant Hill, visited at Albert Hughes' Sunday.

Will Adams held the lucky number and got the \$4. set of dishes at Black's last week.

Frank Congo was through here last week buying stock to ship.

Henry Hughes and wife, of Wilson's Chapel, was here Sunday.

### GLENN'S CHAPEL.

Rev. Campbell filled his regular appointment at this place on last Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Glenn, who has been confined to her room for several weeks with rheumatism, is able to be out again.

Miss Birdie Oliver, of Kelsey, attended church at this place last Sunday.

George Kinnis and family will move to Kuttawa in a short time.

John Bingham was here last Tuesday.

Henry Cobb was here Sunday.

Miss Georgia Campbell is on the sick list.

Miss Mary Pritchett left last Sunday for Sturgis to spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Tom Jones visited her sister, Mrs. Black, of Kuttawa, last Sunday.

Little Miss Maylon Jones is spending this week with little Mary Black, of Kuttawa.

Miss Allie Springs visited her sister, Mrs. Dora Kinnis, last Tuesday.

Walter Flanary has charge of the B. B. Bennett saw mill.

### Samuel H. Piles.

Hon. Samuel H. Piles, of Seattle, Washington, who was elected to the United States Senate Jan. 27, was a Kentuckian and a native of Livingston county. He was a schoolmate in boyhood, of Geo. C. Gray, of this city. It is said that as a boy he was not looked upon as being very bright.

Wooldridge & Metz, the barbers. Get a nice hair cut and shave at Wooldridge & Metz's barber shop. Linen and everything clean at Wooldridge & Metz barber shop.

## COUNTER CHARGE

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas Each Sue for Divorce.

Mrs. Lena Thomas and her attorney, Jno. Feland, of Hopkinsville, were in the city Monday. Her husband, Geo. Thomas, formerly of this city, but who is now traveling for the Belknap Hardware Co., of Louisville, and residing at Jonesboro, Ark., has applied for an absolute divorce in the Jonesboro court on the ground of adultery. The defendant enters denial, but has applied for divorce herself on the ground of desertion and suits for alimony and support for child. Hence both sides have been interested in taking depositions here.

Six or seven years ago Mr. Thomas left here and went to Hopkinsville, where he accepted a position as salesman in the hardware store of A. J. Meador. He filled the position creditably and was offered a place by Belknap & Co. at Louisville, which he accepted. He was soon promoted to a position on the road, which he now holds.

It was at Hopkinsville that he met Miss Lena Lacy. He fell in love with her and they were secretly married, and the fact was not known for several months. Everything seemed to run along smoothly until the separation came, and finally the above result.

## Louisville Live Stock Market.

| CATTLE                       |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Extra good export steers     | \$4 75@5 00 |
| Light shipping steers        | 4 00@4 25   |
| Choice butcher steers        | 3 75@4 25   |
| Fair to good butcher steers  | 3 00@3 65   |
| Com. to med. butcher steers  | 2 25@2 75   |
| Choice butcher heifers       | 3 50@3 85   |
| Fair to good butcher heifers | 2 35@3 25   |
| Choice feeders               | 3 50@3 75   |
| Medium to good feeders       | 2 85@3 25   |
| Com. and rough feeders       | 3 00@2 75   |
| Fair to good stock steers    | 1 50@2 25   |
| Stock steers, good to extra  | 2 50@2 75   |
| Stock heifers, good to extra | 1 50@2 25   |
| Stock heifers, com. to med   | 1 75@2 25   |
| Oxen, good to extra          | 3 50@4 00   |
| Oxen, common to medium       | 2 40@3 65   |
| Bulls, extra good            | 2 50@3 00   |
| Bulls, fair to good          | 2 00@2 50   |

| HOGS                              |           |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Choice pack, and bns., 200 to 300 | \$ 4 90   |
| Medium packers, 165 to 200        | 4 40 90   |
| Choice light ship., 120 to 165    | 4 40 70   |
| Choice pigs, 80 to 120            | 4 40 40   |
| Light pigs, 50 to 80              | 4 40 20   |
| Roughs, 150 to 400                | 3 75@4 35 |

Local markets, as quoted by our merchants and produce dealers:  
 Eggs, 20 cts.  
 Butter, 12 1/2 cts.  
 Chix, 6 1/2 cts.  
 Marion Milling Co. paying \$1.10 for Wheat.

## Wonderful Nerve.

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental cuts, wounds, bruises, burns, scalds, sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c at R. F. HAYNES, druggist.

JAS. F. CANADA

WM. H. ORDWAY

When Looking for Something in the General Merchandise Line call on

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CRAYNEVILLE, KY.

They sell at Low Prices: Dry Goods, Clothing, Notions, Hats, Caps and Shoes. Good Fresh Groceries of all kinds. Hardware and Medicines. Come and investigate our prices.

—NEW—

## Millinery Store!

I am preparing to open a Millinery Store here when the spring season comes. I will visit the markets and secure a complete line of Millinery Goods for spring trade. I will have an experienced trimmer and will be able to show you all the latest and up-to-date styles.

At the Old Marion Hotel Stand.

Mrs. Lola Davidson.

# EDUCATION!

Marion Graded School Began its Spring Term

Monday, Jan. 23, 1905.

To those interested in education in Crittenden and adjoining counties, Marion Graded School can serve your best interests.

## Something New Inaugurated

Marion Normal proposes to prepare teachers and prospective teachers for best of county certificates; to give better methods of teaching, and to prepare for State certificates.

Classes in Normal Training

Organized February 27th.

\$5,000 worth of improvements to greet you. Rates cheap. Write or call on

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Marion, Ky.