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100 YEARS OLD.

Salem Baptist Church Celebrates its Centennial.

The Oldest Baptist Church in Western Kentucky.

Early Sunday morning, April 30th, people from all parts of the surrounding country began to gather at the Old Salem church, the only "century plant" in this part of the state. The church and community, proud of the distinction, spared no effort to commemorate the event with appropriate services.

The meeting was called to order by the pastor, Elder U. G. Hughes, and R. A. LaRue was elected clerk.

The choir and congregation joined in singing feelingly, "Oh, think of a Home Over There," after which Elder W. R. Gibbs lead in prayer. The history of the church, prepared by Elder J. S. Henry, was then read by the author in the house and Elder T. A. Conway in the grove. The following brethren then made interesting addresses with reference to the history of the church: Bro. G. U. McGrew called attention to the strict discipline of the fathers, and lamented its neglect to-day. Bro. Wm. Padon touchingly told of his childhood training here; his ancestors all members here, heard his first sermon here, was converted and joined here and learned to give his missions here. Bro. John Farris joined here in 1860 and remembers how the fathers took their families to church in those days. Bro. Henry Cochran told of the great revival 64 years ago; 33 joined the same day. Elder Willis Champion, the pastor for 36 years. Bro. John Alsbrook told of the brotherly love that prevailed in those days, and how they loved the church. Bro. Charlie Clark noticed the church has had only fourteen pastors in the 100 years, and marked the difference of the churches to-day. Elds. Gibbs and Blackburn were glad to have had the honor of preaching to a church that has stood a hundred years. Eld. J. J. Franks told of Elder Willis Champion's visits to his father's home and feelingly sang one of the favorite songs of those days: "Roll on, Roll on Sweet River, and let the Poor Pilgrim go Home." Eld. John Lockhart spoke tenderly of his conversion here and first efforts to preach the gospel. Bros. C. C. Alsbrook and J. N. Woodyard rejoice that they are members to-day of a church with such a history. Bro. Alex Lockhart professed religion here and believes if we had such faith as our fathers had souls would be saved here to-day.

The history of pastors and future outlook of the church, was spoken on by various brethren. Bro. Henry Cochran recollects when Eld. Willis Champion closed his long pastorate and recommended as his successor Elder M. H. Utley. Elders Bennett Barnes and Collin Hodge died while pastors of this church. Bro. Dell Robinson recollects a great revival in which there were near fifty conversions, five of whom afterward made faithful preachers of the gospel; recollects when Elder James Mansfield organized Gum Spring church from Salem.

On motion of Elder T. A. Conway the Ohio River Association is requested to print the "History of the Church," in its next minutes. Adjourned with singing, "A Hundred Years to Come," and "God be With You Till we Meet Again." The meeting closed in handshaking, tears and brotherly love. Benediction by Elder E. B. Blackburn.

R. A. LARUE.

Golconda Hereford Farm.

Breeder of best strains of registered Hereford cattle. 18-month bulls for sale, \$75 up. Address D. G. THOMPSON, Prop., Golconda, Ill.

Grants Franchises.

The city council met in regular session Tuesday night at the court house. The discussion of the telephone franchise was quite animated. The Cumberland's representative arguing that his bid was \$100 better than the Peoples Independent bid of \$275, even if not as high. He failed however, to convince the mayor or any of the members whose minds had not already been made up, and the franchise was awarded to the Peoples Independent Telephone Co.

Permits were granted for many new buildings to go up as rapidly as possible on the burned district.

Ed McAfee was given a permit to erect a brick stable.

E. J. Hayward to build a 2 story brick store room.

James & James were given a permit to erect an office building on Carlisle street, 2 stories and of brick.

Blue & Gugenheim were granted permission to rebuild the post office building, two stories and of cream pressed brick and plate glass front.

S. M. Jenkins was granted a permit to erect a two story office and store building, containing basement, 4 stories and 10 offices on second floor, cream brick and plate glass front.

J. H. Orme was granted a permit to build a two story brick drug store with plate glass front, 24 x 85 feet with brick warehouse in rear, 35x15. Also to build a two story brick and plate glass front, 36 x 100 feet, for Cochran & Pickens Hardware Co., with brick warehouse in rear and across the alley.

All these were new permits and are in addition to those noted in previous issues of the PRESS.

The Marion Bank was given permission to rebuild its building of pressed brick, two stories high.

Meeting at Baptist Church.

The meeting at the Baptist church will begin Sunday, May 16. We have secured the services of Dr. J. B. Moody, of Hot Springs, Ark., to assist. Dr. Moody is a man of God and mighty in the scriptures. He is a recognized man of piety, scholarship; and above all a preacher of the glorious gospel of God's tender mercy and saving grace. God is blessing the world in various places with mighty sermons, and why may we not enjoy His favor? If God's people will all humble themselves, and pray, confessing their sins, and looking alone to God for his grace and power, we can. We ask that prayer go up from every christian heart that the love of God may be shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, and that sinners may be convicted of sin, and with repentance towards God, and faith in Lord Jesus Christ. We ask the prayers of all the brethren throughout our association, that God may bless Marion. All are cordially invited to come to our services.

Yours Respectfully,

T. A. CONWAY.

The Alumnae.

The Alumnae Association of the Marion Graded School met at the new auditorium last Friday night. Most of those in reach were present and letters were read from many absent ones in distant lands regretting their inability to attend.

The services opened by a grand march followed by a song by the school, and then the address of welcome by Prof. Charles Evans.

Songs, quartettes, duets and solos were interspersed with refreshments and toasts and all went to make up one of the most enjoyable meetings the association has ever had, and the attendance was the largest in the history. The new building enlisted great enthusiasm, but the departure soon of Prof. Evans was the cause of much regret by old pupils.

Old Landmark to Disappear.

The Governor Alcorn home in Salem, the oldest house there, now the property of Mr. Robert Boyd, will soon be razed to the ground and a new and handsome two story house take its place.

Mr. Boyd was here Tuesday and bought his lumber from Boston & Paris, and will begin building as soon as he can get materials on hand.

BEAUTIFYING.

A Few Words About Marion's New And Beautiful Homes.

With all of her troubles Marion has much to be proud of, in the way of beautiful homes, which have been completed or improved this year.

One of the most striking improvements to the appearance of the city is the transformation of G. C. Gray's residence. While the old one was comfortable, and "in its day" was quite pretentious, the new one is modern and up-to-date in all its appointments, with long halls, sliding doors, tile hearths, and mantles of oak, with glistening mirrors, it is harmonious in its general effect and has an appearance of refinement which is especially desirable in a home. The color scheme of the exterior is good and linked with the broad veranda, supported by massive columns it presents at once a pleasing panorama to the passer by.

Only a stone's throw away, J. H. Orme has had a number of workmen building over his house. The site is particularly good and great taste has been displayed in the arrangement to get a pleasing effect. The steep roof, dormer windows, circular verandas, and tinted gables all go to make the place one of the most attractive homes in the city. Mr. Orme will have sliding doors, higher ceilings and a most attractive interior besides several bay windows, which add so much to the interior as well as exterior appearance of the house. The delicate tints selected for the coloring are all beautiful.

Further east, on Wilson Avenue, attorney A. C. Moore has not let the thought that he is in the suburbs deter him from keeping pace with the best of them in making his home attractive. Here he has installed double parlors with grille work in each connecting arch, on either side of the fire-board, and the reception hall has a hand carved oak stairway that is a beauty. It is of the finest grained white oak, delicately and beautifully carved and would grace acceptably a house of much greater pretensions. It is the crowning feature of the cosy and elegant home; a dormitory for the boys in the upper story, with dormer windows and nice linen closets are two convenient and sensible features of this home. The mantles and tiling hearths are well selected and set as if molded in their places.

On College street D. Woods, the banker, is just completing a house of 8 rooms, with halls and verandas all convenient and tasty. His house sits on the lot where Mr. Wood's house was, burned last winter, but faces east instead of north and fronts College instead of Belleville street. The house adds much to that section of the city and is in every way an improvement over the old one. Mr. Woods and his estimable family are to be congratulated on the plan and general arrangement of their new home, which will soon be ready for occupancy.

W. G. Carnahan is erecting a new residence on Bellville street, but we have not been able to get the plans, and will mention it later.

Attorney John Moore's new house on Lake View avenue is nearing completion and is an attractive 1 1/2 story cottage, of 6 rooms, halls and verandas, and it adds greatly to the appearance of that section of East Marion.

J. B. Kevil is having a nice cottage erected in the O'Brian addition, for renting purposes.

The Masonic building, 26x80 feet, on corner of Bellville and Main s.e., 3 stories, will be rebuilt exactly as the old house was, except that no windows will be left in Southern exposure. The Masons hope to get into their "home" before fall.

Corn for Sale.

200 bushels of corn for sale. Apply to H. Young, near Hurricane church.

Cuba on Wheels.

The following letter written by the Mayor of Fulton, Ky., and published in the "Leader" of that city, seems to represent the general opinion of all visitors to the Exposition Car, which is en route to the Portland Fair:

"It has been only a few years since the beautiful isle of Cuba was freed from the yoke of Spain. Cruelties untold, heaped for years upon her by the bloodthirsty Spaniards, caused her light-hearted people to bow their heads in grief. Since this great country of ours gave to Cuba her freedom, that land of so many possibilities is beginning to fill up with Americans and they are beginning to show to the world the products of the most fertile land in the world. It would take pages to tell half of Cuba's wonders. Go and visit the Cuban Exposition car on our railroad tracks and see the products and exhibits from the beautiful isle--rightly called 'The Pearl of the Antilles.' It is worth ten times the cost of the five and ten cents admission. Everyone should see 'Cuba on Wheels.'"

J. F. FALL, Mayor.

The car is exhibiting in Marion to-day, Thursday, and Friday, at the I. C. depot. It is very probable that Supt. Evans will arrange for the school children to visit the exhibit in classes, with teachers in charge. The car is open to visitors from 9 o'clock in the morning until 10 at night.

Delightful Reception.

Last Thursday afternoon from 5 to 6:30 the beautiful residence of R. L. Moore was thronged with callers who attended the reception given by Mrs. Moore, her sister, Mrs. J. F. Dodge and Mrs. A. H. Cardin, of View.

One hundred invitations were sent in Marion and outside the city, and altho the weather was unfavorable many of those hidden accepted. Mrs. O. M. James and Mrs. R. W. Wilson were matrons of honor. Misses Ebba Pickens and Frances Gray presided at the punch bowls. Mrs. E. H. James had charge of the register, and each guest inscribed her name on it. Mrs. S. M. Jenkins rendered several solos on the Italian harp, and Mrs. James Travis and Misses Lilly and Pearl Doss pleased the guests with sweet solos and duets, and this feature was especially attractive.

Misses Dell Barnes, Leaffa Wilborn and Kitty Gray served refreshments of ice cream and cake in the dining room.

The guests tarried until late in the afternoon and will all remember this function with much pleasure as the hostesses have an enviable reputation as entertainers.

Mrs. Clark Dead.

Mrs. Maggie Clark, wife of John Clark, of the Hurricane country, died Friday afternoon at 6 o'clock of consumption. She had been a sufferer for several months and had been confined to her bed for some time. She was 26 years of age and left besides her husband two little girls.

Mrs. Clark was a daughter of Jack Stallion and was a christian woman, belonging to the Hurricane church. She was buried Saturday afternoon at the Hamilton graveyard, Eld. W. R. Gibbs officiating.

Union Services.

The Union services at the Auditorium in the new addition to the Graded School Building Sunday morning was largely attended. The Rev. J. B. Seay, of Corydon, who conducted the service, delivering a sermon of great strength on the "Wonders of Nature and How Science and Study had Uncovered Many of her Mysteries." He was closely followed in his large audience which evinced the interest they took in the speaker and his subject.

The singing was excellent also.

Wanted.

Lumber, seasoned oak and poplar, 2 and 2 1/2 inches thick. Apply to BOSTON & PARIS, Mariou, Ky.

FARMERS' CLUB

Of Livingston County, to Meet at Salem, May 18, 1905.

The Livingston County Farmers Club is called to meet at Salem, May 18, 1905. We have a good program and it is expected that all who feel an interest in the welfare of our county will be present and take part with us in the discussions and let us learn from each other what we can about the great agricultural interest of our county.

G. N. MCGREW, Pres.
J. W. HUDSON, Secy.

PROGRAMME.

The relative value of clover, bluegrass, timothy and orchard grass for our county, W. E. Chipps, J. R. Summers, R. F. Blakely.

Will it pay to tile our flat lands and should we encourage some one to put up a plant for making tile in this county, J. R. Farris, J. B. Trail.

Would it be advisable to offer premiums at our institute this fall for live stock, W. F. Robinson, David Adams.

Report of committee on county fair.

Best methods of resuscitating or recuperating worn-out lands in Livingston county, Geo. P. Rogers, William Fort, Robert Moreland, P. A. Clarke.

DAVID ADAMS, Committee.
GEO. P. ROGERS.

Charley Jenkins Dead.

Charley Jenkins, the elder brother of Mrs. Ben. S. Fenwick, of this city, died Sunday of consumption at the apartments of his brother Courtney W. Jenkins at DeKoven, Ky. He had for many years been an employe of the L. C. R. R., at Grand Junction, Tenn., and it was there he contracted the dread disease. He went first to the hospital at Jackson, and used every effort to ward off the approach of the lung trouble, but all to no avail. A few weeks ago, feeling a change would benefit him, he came to DeKoven to visit his brother Courtney, and while there he unexpectedly relapsed and died as stated above on last Sunday. The remains were taken to West Point, the home of his mother, for burial. His brother Courtney, who accompanied the remains, passed through here Monday on the noon train.

Notice to Drafted Men.

We are informed that it will soon become a law to pay back to all men drafted in the war of 1861-65, where they paid for a substitute, the money paid out by them. I will be prepared to file all such claims. Have had fifteen years experience in the claim business. Give me a call.

T. A. HARPENDING.

May 6, 1905.

Deeds Recorded.

James J. Thomas and wife to F. Harris, part of old mill Tolu, \$290.
Geo. W. Perry and wife to Orme, lot in Marion, \$275.
J. F. Loyd and wife to Orme, lot in Marion, \$1,516.
U. C. Martin, of Ark., to Morrow, lot in Crittenden co., \$1,000.
W. H. Shewbert and wife to Shettleworth, land \$400.
C. A. Daughtrey and wife to H. Shewbert, land, \$500.
William Barnett and wife to Barnett, division of land.
James A. Hunt and wife to Hunt, land, \$300.
J. S. Barnett to W. A. Barnett, 1335 acres, \$135.
J. I. Hicks to Collins W. Hicks, tracts of land, \$1,867.50.

Not a "Cumberland" Franchise.

The telephone franchise was Monday to the highest bidder, was bid on by the Cumberland Telephone Co. who dropped out when \$190 was reached; after that C. S. Nunn, the Independent people were the bidders and it was run up to and finally knocked off to the Independent company.

This is considered quite a victory for the home company and friends are congratulating them on it.

\$33 to Pacific Coast.

Tickets will be on sale from Chicago via the Chicago, Union Pacific and North-Western Line, during autumn months at this low rate, responding low rates from points. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman Tour sleeping cars, through without charge to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, only \$7 for double berth. Full particulars on application to B. Kniskerns P. T. M., C. & N. Ry., Chicago.

Marriage License.

Wm. N. Strong and Miss Jennie Morse.
John T. Brown and Miss Maud Guess.

Walter J. Chambers and Miss Minnie May Bateman.

Card of Thanks.

To the good people of Marion and especially of our neighborhood, most sincerely thank all who so earnestly and kindly helped us in our hours of trouble in the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother. J. S. JAMES AND CHILDREN.

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and Read by Elder J. S. Henry, April 30, 1905, at Their Centennial Meeting.

pretentious body of christ- whom we worship to-day, ized into a church June the in the dwelling and home w Sellers. The ministers posed the presbytery were Daniel Brown, Abel Teague am Buckley. The church ized with sixty members from the country forty miles the most of them brought from their old homes in id North Carolina. Their ear in the old record as

n Stille, Fredie Fulkerson, ochran, John Phelps, Martin Matthew Sellers, Adam Sharp, a black man; Elizabeth Goings, Goings, Punch, a black man; Black man; Sarah Lamkins, abeth Terry, Lucy, a black wo- Polly Smith, Sallie Hodge, Ray, Pat, Goings, Elizabeth n, Sally Padon, Elizabeth Rut- ally Champion, Darkis Smith, beth Whitten, Margaret Sparks, Ratter, Ruben Goings, Elisha ary, John Pickens, George Plinn, as Watson, Jonithan Joiner, as Terry, James Rutker, Willis nion, sr., Lewis Barlow, Robert Matthew Sparks, Charles, a an; Nancy Cochran, Phoebe y, Dicey Proctor, Jane Rounce- Henrietta Russell, Jane Man- Hannah, a black woman; Dicey, w woman; Rachel Fletcher, th Joiner, Nancy Terry, Sally Minty Dillard, Colemans, Elizabeth Champion, Aaron

say that we meet here to-day to ate the centennial year of Old church, we are all ready to say a long time for a church to ex- at it is only by comparison that a form the real idea of its age. ten Salem church was organized, partice of the vast empire ly- orth of the Ohio river, was an den territory by civilization, was thirteen years after, that great state of Illinois was admit- to statehood.

1805, Kentucky history tells of Indians, killing and scalping a buff in Livingston county, at 's ferry, opposite where Golcon- w stands.

year this church was organized, first newspaper ever printed in ucky, the "Farmers Library," published in Louisville, then a ll village.

fourteen years after it was organ- the first steamboat that ever d the waters of the Ohio river, sed down stream. Indeed at it's anization, steam as propelling er in navigation had never been ided.

thirteen years before this organi- on, Kentucky the second state itted to a union with the colo- became a state.

he early fathers and mothers were vated band of christians. Some hose who were regular worshippers members of this church lived in vicinity of where Princeton now ds. In these ancient days noth- was through of them going y or thirty miles to attend their h meetings, or forty of fifty to visit a sister church. In

Eddy Grove church in the ern part of Caldwell county sent equest to the Salem church to send e of her members to assist in e troubles that were disturbing ir peace. Brethren were asked to and they went. In 1827, Muddy

now in the north-east portion of new Caldwell county, a black ches to send some of the's mbers to assist them in some busi- and they did so.

of this church were appointed to at- tend a union meeting at New Bethel church in Lyon county and they did so. This fraternal fellowship be- tween these christians had much to do in strengthening their faith and establishing them in the doctrines of Christ.

But little was ever said among them about money; indeed it seemed to be a scarce commodity in their bounds. We glean this from a little incident that occurred in the January meeting of 1809. Their treasurer informed them that their treasury was empty. They seemed to be in trouble at the announcement, but the deacons were urged to attend to that part of their business, and to report at the next meeting, which they did and all hearts were made glad by the report that they had raised one dollar and thirteen cents.

The leading characteristic of all their meetings was their deep spirit- uality. They loved God supremely and each other devotedly, and when they came together they had seasons of rejoicing. At one meeting, they would appoint for the next to be a day of fasting and prayer. Their communion meeting began on Friday morning by fasting, praying and hav- ing the Word of Life proclaimed un- til Sunday morning. How well pre- pared they were to partake of the emblems representing the broken body and shed blood of the Lord.

There is another characteristic in which they excelled their brethren of to-day. It was their strict adherence to God's word in discipline. At every coming together of the church, their rule was to call for the peace of the church, when the slightest division was reported. In May, 1807, some brother reported there was the ap- pearance of nonfellowship between Aaron Goings and Bro. Benjamin, a colored man. From this report they were cited for trial. The colored man convinced his brethren that he had been treated badly. Peace was re- stored by the church requiring the white man to make proper acknowl- edgement to his colored brother.

This little incident shows that through all the ages, the Baptists have been democratic in church gov- ernment, having a church governed by the people, and for the people; a church in which every member meets every other member on a common level, and whether we are equal in the common walks of life or not. In the church every member is the equal of every other member. This grand old doctrine has stood the test of the ages and has distinguished the Bap- tists since the harbinger of Jesus Christ stood on the banks of the Jordan, and will characterize them while Baptist blood flows through its crim- son channels.

At the March meeting of 1807, they arraigned a black brother, Punch, and excluded him for deception, not lying, but deception. In the same year they arraigned a brother for ex- hibiting anger on the streets of Sa- lem. In 1821 they cited two breth- ren for trial simply because they disagreed, while in our day this seems to be the principle cement that binds them in a common brotherhood, in some of our churches, but with the early christians they held God's word above every thing, and placed their every trust in His promises. The injunction of Paul with them was enough, when he said, "I beseech you, brethren, in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you, but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and the same judgment." I Cor. 1: 10.

These early brethren like those of to-day did not have one eternal sun- shine; dark days beclouded their skies. In their early times news would come to these pioneer worship-

ers of prowling bands of Indians seen in the vicinity of the homes of Matthews Sellers, Frederick Fulkerson and John Pickens and at their place of worship they would join most fervently in prayer. They lis- tened most attentively to the word of God, but near at hand, ready for an emergency, was their long rifles. Their motto seemed to have been that of the immortal Cromwell, "Trust in God, but keep your powder dry."

But these things did not constitute the leading features of their early troubles: dissensions within their own ranks began to broil. The doctrines of Calvinism and Arminianism stirred them from center to circumfer- ence, and with these to contend with, it was not until 1808 they decided to join the United Baptist Associa- tion of Old Red River. This body at that time was composed principally of Tennessee churches. Here they remained until 1813 when they, with some other Kentucky and a few Ten- nessee churches organized the Little River Association.

When this church first joined the Old Red River Association, in send- ing their messengers and through them, for fear they were misunder- stood this resolution was presented to that body: "We believe in the doc- trine of particular election of grace. We believe that God's elect shall be called, converted, regenerated, and sanctified by God's Holy Spirit."

The spirit of mission and anti-mis- sion ran high for more than a decade, both in church and association, until finally one J. H. Parker, then clerk of the church, passed this resolution: Resolved, That this church denounce all fellowship for missionary churches and we will have nothing to do with them in any respect, and, if any member of this church shall prove of that cast, he or she or they are to have a letter of dismission, the letter stating the reason for which they were dismissed.

This resolution was the bone of contention for months, the anti-mis- sion brethren led by J. H. Parker, and the mission faction by Elder Willis Champion, jr., to whom more than to any other man, living or dead, this church, this community, this whole country owe a debt of gratitude for being religiously what they are to-day; "he being dead yet speaketh." He and others carried these differ- ences to the association. The anti- mission party had been exasperated by concessions to their demands until at last these things ceased to be a vir- tue, the mission party at last began to weary of their doom-meeting. It now needed only a suitable occasion to array these parties against each other in open contest, and such an occasion presented itself soon. In the Little River Association, in 1833, Elder J. W. Massfield offered this motion: "I move, Bro. Moderator, that the question be taken up whether this association will support the principles of the United Baptist, or will they usurp dominion over the consciences of men." The vote being taken resulted in twenty-six majority in favor of the United Baptist. The moderator, William Buckley, imme- diately arose and said: "I resign my office as moderator of Little River Association." Thus ended the bitter strife of years in these early churches.

So far as the records go to show, Salem church has had three houses of worship, the first was built in 1808 on land belonging to Mr. William Champion, on the waters of Sandy creek, about three-fourths of a mile from where we meet to-day. This rude old log house served every pur- pose of these pioneer Baptists until 1822, when times and an increasing attendance demanded a larger and better house. This new house was built on Mr. Drury Champion's land, and was superb for its day. It was frame, the studding were split out of trees and the weather-boarding was

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long clapboards as they were split out. This served them until 1827, when it was decided to build a shed running the whole length of the house in order to accommodate the large crowds that gathered for miles around to hear the word of God pro- claimed. This house we worship in to-day.

We see by these records the deeds and virtues of the men and women who held up the standard for God and fought for right in the long ago in this part of the dark and bloody ground, they have made a name that will live in history. Old Salem church is the mother, and the grand- mother, and the great-grandmother, of nearly all the churches that com- pose the Ohio River Association to- day. Union church went out from her in 1810. Deer Creek in 1820. Crooked Creek in 1835. Friendship in 1841. Dunn Spring or Shady Grove as it was then called in 1844. Caldwell Springs in 1844. Good Hope in 1842. Dyers Hill in 1846, and a considerable portion of Pinck- neyville in 1852.

When we consider the influence that has radiated from this center for God and His truth. It makes us, who worship with this people to-day, feel like we stood on Holy Ground. God's Message, through all the years that have come and gone, has gone out from this consecrated spot, it has entered and permeated every nook and corner of this county and adjoining counties, until this whole country is Baptist, a country where in this country it is, that Baptist influence is not felt. Indeed Kentucky is Bap- tist ground, it belongs to them by right of discovery and possession. Mr. Collins, in his History of Ken- tucky, says of them, page 416: "The Baptists were the pioneers of religion in Kentucky, they came with the earliest permanent settlers. In 1776 William Hickman, sr., commenced here his labors in the gospel minis- try. He was the first to proclaim the unspeakable riches of Christ in the valley of Kentucky."

The same writer says, "In 1783, the first Baptist church and the first worshipping assembly of any order, was organized on south Elkhorn, five miles south of Lexington, by Elder Lewis Craig." These early times, were the times that tried the souls of men. Before houses of worship were built, these worshippers would assem- ble in the deep forest, each man with his gun, sentinels would be placed around to guard against sudden sur- prise by Indians, while the minister with a log or a stump for pulpit, and the heavens for his sounding board, he would dispense the word of life and salvation.

Baptists have always glorified God on every frontier of this world. Long before civilization smoothed the way, you find the Baptist. It is signifi- cant of them everywhere, indeed the first we ever heard of them, is record- ed in the 3rd chapter of Matthew and 1st verse, "In those days came John the Baptist preaching in the

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All persons having claims against the estate of Henry D. Myers, dec'd, will present them to me, properly proven, on or before June 1st, 1905, or be forever barred.
J. R. POSTLETHWAIT, Adm'r.
May 1, 1905.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

Kebler Wins.
Frankfort, Ky., May 5.-The court of appeals overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of H. D. Keebler against the Illinois Central to- day.
Keebler was given a judgment for \$1100 in the McCracken circuit court at Paducah and affirmed by the court of appeals, and the attorneys filed a motion for rehearing and now the railroad company must pay the judgment.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Stops Fall-out. Restores Gray Hair to its youthful color. Sells everywhere & by mail. 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

HISTORY OLD SALEM.

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wilderness of Judea."

In the one hundred years of Old Salem's history, they have had the service of fifteen pastors, so far as the record shows. It has always been a church with a ministerial membership and when it sometimes appears they had no pastor, they would use their own preachers. At one time they asked Willis Champion, sr., the father of Willis Champion, jr., and are so referred to in the church book, to become their assistant pastor. But the first regular pastor Salem church ever had was Elder Daniel Brown, who had it would seem only a few years of service with them. He was one of the early settlers of Caldwell county and a native of South Carolina. He preached the introductory sermon before the old Red River Association in 1807, and in a few years emigrated to Alabama.

Elder Abel Teague was the second pastor, and served for a few years, and at the time was a member of this church. But little was known of this good man, only he was a man of great zeal and abundant in labor for the Master in his day. He preached the introductory sermon for Little River Association in 1837.

Elder William Buckley was the third pastor and served the church from 1823 to 1825. He was a man of experience, says Spencer's church history, and of fine preaching ability. Elder James W. Mansfield, was the fourth pastor and served the church from 1825 until 1837. In answering the call said, "I agree to serve you as occasional pastor, or as often as convenient." Dr. Spencer in his history says of him: "He was one of the most laborious, useful and highly esteemed ministers that ever lived in western Kentucky." He was a Virginian by birth, was thirteen times elected moderator of Little River Association and preached the introductory sermon six times.

Elder Willis Champion, of him but little need be said, as he was far better known to those who hear, than to the writer, who never met him. His long and useful career with this church began in 1837, and closed in 1873, thus serving this church as pastor thirty-six years. He was born in Edgecomb county, N. C., and was brought to Livingston county, when he was out four years old, where he spent almost all of his long and useful life, except a few months residence in Illinois a short time before his death in 1876. Dr. Spencer says of him, "He was a man of undoubted piety, and his zeal was according to knowledge. He was five times elected moderator of Little River Association, and four times elected to preach the introductory sermon. During his long ministry he baptized 840 persons, but his personal popularity was evinced in that he married during his ministry 440 couples.

Elder M. H. Utley was the sixth pastor, serving the church from 1874 to 1878, and one year after, from 1883 until 1883.

Elder Bennett Barnes became their seventh pastor and served them from 1878 until 1881.

Elder J. S. Miller was elected their eighth pastor, and served one year, from 1881 to 1882.

Elder J. E. Rowland became their pastor in 1883 and served until 1885.

Elder W. R. Gibbs was elected their pastor in 1885, and served them until 1888, and besides this he served some months on other occasions.

Elder Collin Hodge, in the closing days of his useful life, accepted the pastorate of the church, in 1899, and served until his death, which occurred in 1899, and in this house, he preached his last sermon.

Elder E. B. Blackburn served as pastor one year.

Elder J. J. Franks commenced his service as pastor of this church in 1892, and continued until 1896. Again was chosen in 1897 and served until 1900.

Elder John Lockhart became the fourteenth pastor of this church in 1901, serving one year.

Elder U. G. Hughes, the fifteenth pastor, commenced his service with these brethren, January 25, 1902, and is the present incumbent. May his labors be abundant in the Lord,

STAR.

After a rest will come again. We have been having fine rains. Drummers are thick.

A large acreage of corn has been planted.

Miss Emma Baker is on the sick list.

Farmers are making things move up this spring.

What few oats were sown in this community are growing fine.

The prospect for a wheat crop are just splendid.

Rev. John King of Blackford is pastor of the church here the present year.

There is some complaint that the tobacco plants will be late.

The Washington people are heard from about every week. Some say they are well pleased with the country while others are very much dissatisfied.

Rev. J. W. Vaughn filled his regular appointment at Piney creek Sunday.

The Butler creek put on its Sunday's Thursday night.

M. E. Thomason made a trip into Caldwell county last week.

Hauling ties and other timber is the order of the day in this community.

Farmers on the creek are getting behind with their work.

J. A. McCormie made a visit to Dycusburg recently.

J. B. Bradley is in delicate health with lung trouble, but is now improving and we hope Jim will be out in a few days.

Rev. J. R. Clark preached at the residence of Mrs. Sallie Paris Sunday evening.

The hay crop in this community is going to be the biggest in years and there is also a fine prospect for fruits of all kinds.

Sept. J. B. Paris and family attended preaching at Mrs. Paris' Sunday.

So we will close by saying a great many of our farmers are not through planting corn. It has been raining too much.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Very Best.

"I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says Geo. L. Chubb, a merchant of Harlan, Mich. There is no question about its being the best, as it will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale by Woods & Orme, druggists.

Wrong Divorce.

Omaha, Neb., May 4.—To her unspeakable surprise and chagrin, Mrs. Charles L. Russell discovered this morning that the decree of divorce granted her in the district court here several months ago was from her infant son, Henry Jenkins Russell, instead of from her husband, George Henry Russell, as she had certainly supposed.

According to the decree she was divorced from the son and given the custody of the husband. In filling out the decree the name of the son was written where that of the husband should have been written, and that of the husband appeared where that of the son should have appeared.

Mrs. Russell appeared before Judge Sutton, who granted the decree, and she was informed that there was no way by which he could rectify the error and that in order to get a divorce from her husband it would be necessary for her to file a new suit in court.

The Tennessee Central.

There is a strong probability of the Tennessee Central Railroad coming into Kentucky by the way of Hopkinsville, Princeton, Marion and on to Paducah, and should such develop into a reality the people of Smithland should make an earnest effort to have it come by here. If we fail to get a branch of the I. C. Railroad built to this place, then we should labor for the Tennessee Central.—Livingston Democrat.

SHRINES IN MOROCCO.

Why Some People Look Upon Them With Suspicion.

A traveler says that Christians in Morocco look with suspicion on the shrines of Mohammedan saints in that country. He tells the following story: "Once upon a time a boy was traveling through the country, and as night came on he found himself near a white-washed tomb. Knocking at the door of the shrine, he asked for a meal and a bed. When the next day dawned he was about to continue his journey, but the keeper of the shrine besought him to remain in order to help him keep the shrine and collect the offerings of the faithful. The youth said that he must first consult his parents, and the elder man bade him take his ass and seek advice of his parents and return. The boy took the ass and rode away, but he had not accomplished half the journey before the ass fell sick and died. Then the boy knew not what to do nor where to turn. But when he had considered the circumstances of his case a brilliant idea flashed into his mind.

"Having dug a pit and cast the ass therein, he piled great stones over it, whitening them with lime, and set a white flag above, saying to all who passed by, 'This is the tomb of St. So-and-so.' Then worshippers came from every side, alms were poured in and offerings showered upon him. The keeper of the former shrine lost his customers and came to visit the new saint. He when the crowd had gone approached the young shrine keeper. 'I ask thee by Allah,' said the old man, 'who is this saint of thine and what manner of thing is buried here?' 'I will not deceive thee, but will tell thee the truth,' returned the youth. 'My saint who is buried here is none other than thy beast, even the carcass of thine own ass. And now, pray, who is thy saint and who in truth is buried in the shrine thou keepest?' 'I will not deceive thee, but will tell thee the truth,' replied the old man. 'My saint is the father of thy saint.'"

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

We all make too much of our difficulties.

Few mysteries are as inexplicable as the one of how some people live.

When a man brags about himself it is a sign other people don't brag about him.

A mistake many men make is being a cat and imagining themselves popular with the mice.

A man discovers that his wife is getting old looking ten years before he makes the discovery about himself.

If some people would work hard and earn \$10,000 some one would walk up and, taking it away from them, tell them they had no business with that much money.

The trouble is that, when a man is told he looks ten years younger than he is, even that leaves him ten or twenty years older than he wants to be.—Atchison Globe.

Kitchens in the Tropics.

The kitchens of tropical countries, such as are to be found in our Spanish-American lands, are like cells from the thickness of the stone walls—often two or three feet deep—and the projecting, ornamental veranda, which gives a grateful shade and which looks out on a court. The cell resemblance is enhanced by the iron bars at the windows and the heavy double doors, which look as if they could resist a siege. The walls are whitewashed, and the floors are of tiles. The dining room is often separated from this room by a long staircase. Outside the kitchen in the court will stand table and closets to supplement the scant furniture of the small, hot apartment with a furnace-like fire.

Making an Old Pen as Good as New.

"My pen is spoiled, and I have no other," said the bookkeeper. The machinist happened to be in the office, and he took the pen and held it over the gas jet for thirty seconds. "You can make an old pen as good as new," he said, "by holding it over a flame like this for half a minute and afterward dipping it in cold water." He dipped the hot pen in cold water as he spoke, and it sizzled slightly. "Now try it," he said. The bookkeeper tried the pen and exclaimed joyously, "By George, it's as good as new again."

Two Expressive Quotations.

Some sentences are like autographs; you feel that they must have been written by these people; no one else could have written them.

Such is this, by Talleyrand: "To succeed in the world it is much more necessary to possess the penetration to discover who is a fool than to discover who is a clever man."

And Napoleon's character is drawn full length in this sentences remark of his: "I command or I am silent."

Love of Gain.

To cure us of our immoderate love of gain we should seriously consider how many goods there are that money will not purchase, and these the best, and how many evils there are that money will not remedy, and these the worst.—Colton.

Wishes He Was.

Mrs. Peck (contemptuously)—What are you anyhow, a man or a mouse? Henry Peck (bitterly)—A man, my dear. If I were a mouse I'd have you on top of that table yelling for help right now!—Exchange.

Seeing and Believing.

"You don't agree, then, that 'seeing is believing'?" "Not much! I see some people every day that I never could believe."—Philadelphia Ledger.

IN RAGTOWN

J. W. GOODLOE

Has come down to a tent to carry on his wholesale business and - - - -

Has come down in Prices so as to clear out his Everything found in a First-Class Grocery, even a stone from

Barrington Hall and Breakfast Bell Coffee. Breakfast Bacon—sweet as a nut. Asparagus Tips, fit for an American Queen, which is the best one going. Sweet Potatoes, Apples, Evaporated Fruits, New Vegetables and Fruits from the four corners of the globe, all under one tent

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WHAT THEY SAY OF US.

Charlotte, N. C., May 3, 1905.—Mr. S. M. Jenkins: I just learned today of the great conflagration that visited your dear little city some weeks ago. It seems from the information I got from one of the Princeton papers published just after the fire; but the date was gone so I do not know just when it was, but that explains to me now why we did not receive a copy of the Press for some weeks.

Hope it was not as bad as was represented in the paper, and that all parties will soon be on their feet once more, and the dear old town blossom anew, as it so well deserves.

You have our sympathy and I enclose subscription to Feb. 1, 1905.

Your friend,

H. F. RAY.

Bowling Green, Ky., May 3, 1905.—Mr. S. M. Jenkins: Dear Sir: A very welcome visitor failed to put in an appearance last week. The visitor is the Press.

Has it experienced another fire, or has it a case of mumps?

Don't withhold it on account of any thing less than the smallpox. Will you please send me one of last week's issue.

Yours very respectfully,

F. E. DAVIS.

Toppenish, Wash., April 30, 1905.—Mr. S. M. Jenkins: I enclose renewal for the Press. Please change the same from Yakimo to Toppenish, Wash., my present address. I always seem lost without the old county paper.

Wishing you much success, I am,

Yours respectfully,

G. G. JACOBS.

While a bilious attack is decidedly unpleasant it is quickly over when Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are used. For sale by Woods & Orme, druggists.

The Man in Gray.

As its offering of respect to the Confederate Veteran's Reunion, the Henderson Route is distributing a beautiful three-color print entitled, "The Man in Gray," which is receiving widespread admiration throughout the South.

The picture, which is printed from an extra fine etching, reproduced from an original drawing by Mr. Robert M. Hase, the celebrated artist of the Louisville Courier-Journal, is 16x22 inches and is printed on fine, enameled paper, sufficiently heavy for use unframed, but equally suitable for framing.

It is executed in the three cardinal colors of the Confederacy—gray, blue and red, on a white background and has been rightly termed by critics "a gem."

They are enclosed in strawboard mailing tubes for safe transmission by mail, thus avoiding any possibility of breakage and insuring safe delivery.

Send five red stamps to L. J. Irwin, Louisville, Ky., for this beautiful reproduction, and after you receive it, whether you are from the North or out of the South, you will be an enthusiastic admirer of the "Hero of the Gray."

Always Remember the Full

Laxative Bromo Qu

Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in

E. H. Grove on Box. 25c.

Don't Waste.

Let nothing be wasted or lost. Using well or wasting the fragments of time, of opportunity, the books and corners of life, makes all the difference between success and failure. This is especially true of spiritual work. Often the best results are gained from the use of fragments of our business or daily life, the byproducts of living. Nature says, "Gather up the fragments." In nature's household there is no waste. The decay of rocks forms the soil of plants. The decay of plants forms the mold in which future plants will grow. The water dissipated in the air becomes clouds and rain.—Woman's Life.

Near the Danger Line.

In an account of a recent London tragedy a slip is made by a contemporary. It explains that "three doctors are in attendance, but the woman is not yet dead." Not long ago a daily nearly got into a libel action by saying that a patient was "no longer in danger, though Dr. X. is still visiting him."—London Globe.

Generous.

Mrs. Quiverful—Tommy, did you give your little brother the best part of that apple, as I told you? Tommy Q.—Yessum; I gave him the seeds. He can plant 'em and have a whole orchard.—Cleveland Leader.

To give pain is tyranny; to make happy, the true empire of beauty.—Steele.

Who Knows?

My faith begins where your religion ends. In service to mankind. This single thread Is given to guide us through the maze of life, You stand at one end, I the other; you

With eye fixed only on God, begin With lofty faith, and seeking but to know

And do His will who guides the universe;

You find the slender and mysterious thread

Leads down to earth, with God's divine command,

To help your fellow-men; but this to me

Is something singularly vague. I see alone

The fellow-man, the suffering fellow-man,

Yet, with a cup of water in my hand,

For all who thirst, who know that I one day

Following faithfully the slender thread,

May reach its other end and kneel at last

With you in heaven, at the feet of God?

Won a Name of Fame.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills, have been made famous by their certain yet harmless and gentle action upon the bowels and liver. They have no equal for biliousness, constipation, etc. They do not weaken the stomach, gripe, or make you feel sick. Once used always preferred. They strengthen. Sold by Woods & Orme, druggists.

A Good Ruling.

Chicago, May 5.—The Supreme Court today handed down an order regarding the payment of George Hincheliff, who is a brick manufacturer and certain Chicago manufacturers agreed to undersell the price of bricks. The price of bricks, and non-union laborers, was the combination, it is said, had been brought by the loss of a \$50,000 plant and destruction of his entire plant.

A Tried and True

One Minute Cough Cure is not an atom of any other cough and it has been cured of croup and whooping cough that it has proven itself a true friend to the human race. Mrs. Gertrude, of Indianapolis, says: "I was straining so weakened my down in weight from pounds. After trying all remedies to no avail, One Minute Cough Cure entirely cured by Woods & Orme."

Preacher Arrested for

Louisville Times: The Rev. G. Sutherland, pastor of a Christian church, of New Ind., was arrested today shortly by Sheriff Morris of Floyd. Dr. Sutherland is accused murder of his wife, who was hanging by a halter strap transom at the parsonage in over Grove suburb last November. Suicide was the first theory father of Mrs. Sutherland, who declined to accept this explanation and it was through his indictment was found against preacher.

Time Tried and Merit Pro

One Minute Cough Cure is on time when it comes to coughs, croup, whooping cough. It is perfectly harmless, pleasant and is the children's favorite cough syrup. Sold by Woods & Orme.

T. J. WRINK

THE SINGER MAN

Has his office at Dorr's Undertaking Establishment. All kinds

Repairs, Needles Sewing Machine Requisites.

Don't buy any "off brands," stand by the old reliable

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DYCUSBURG.

Mr. Clyde Smith, who has been the
guest of his aunt, Mrs. Ida Wells,
returned to his home Saturday.

Messrs. Emmett and Herbert
Graves and Robert Scott were guests
of Mrs. S. L. Shelby of Salem Wed-
nesday.

Louis Clifton, of Marion was here
Monday.

Eugene Brown was in Smithland
one day last week.

Thomas Brasher and family return-
ed from Milburn, I. T. Saturday.

Our people enjoyed a moving pic-
ture entertainment at the hall Mon-
day and Tuesday evenings.

Mr. Sherdy Debo, of Kelsey, was in
town Sunday.

Miss Hester Crouch has been the
guest of Miss Mamie Dycus several
days.

Mrs. Jane Ralston of the Caldwell
Springs, passed through en route to
Paducah and Mayfield Tuesday, on a
visit to her sons.

Emmett Graves returned to his
home in Paducah Wednesday.

Billie Smith and family of Living-
ston passed through en route to Clay
Saturday.

Bernie Dooks, of Kuttawa, was in
town Wednesday.

Mrs. Moreland, of Koon, visited
friends here recently.

Mrs. T. H. McReynolds gave sev-
eral of her friends a nice surprise
dinner Wednesday.

Mr. James Brasher and wife were
in town recently.

Mr. Gus Graves was in Kuttawa
Wednesday.

Mesdames Marshall and Clifton,
and Misses Nell Clifton and Myrtle
Yancey were guests of Mrs. William
Smith of Livingston county last
week.

A number of members of our Ma-
sonic lodge went to Kuttawa last
week to meet the Grand Master.

Misses Nonnie Sauvage and Ber-
tie Dooks of Iuka are the guests of
Mrs. Ed. Lowery at this place.

Miss Nell Clifton went to Paducah
Sunday.

Mr. Louie Martin and family of
near Salem visited the family of J.
C. Griffin last week.

Walter Lowery of Iuka is in town
this week.

Wm. Humphreys and family, of
Frances, visited relatives here Sun-
day.

Father Otendahl was in town last
week to see the members of his
church.

New Millinery Store.

Misses Ruth Martin and Mamie
Haynes have opened a new doll mil-
linery store at their homes on Salem
street.

To supply every citizen of this town
with wire screens and doors at lowest
prices.
BOSTON & PARIS.

\$50 REWARD

"All you hodd carriers, don't let the sun go down
on you on this job, for there will be trouble here.
So take a fool's advice and go away from here as
quick as you can."

I will pay Fifty Dollars Reward for information
which will convict the writer or writers of the above
note, or I will pay a reward of Fifty Dollars for in-
formation leading to the conviction of any person
or persons who molest these men or any of them in
the quiet discharge of their duties.

E. J. HAYWARD.

TOLU

On Saturday last Hurricane creek
was higher by head water than was
ever known by the oldest citizens on
the creek.

The Colorado potato bugs are play-
ing havoc with the potatoes in this
country.

Mrs. Thomas Babb and Miss Ma-
linda Guill, of Salem, visited Mrs.
McAmis of this place recently.

Mr. J. Taylor is treating his resi-
dence to a fresh coat of paint. S. A.
Marks is the painter.

Mrs. Susan Dossist made flying trip
to Elizabethtown and return a few
days ago.

C. W. Taylor, W. L. Funkhouser
and Miss Naoma Minner returned
from Evansville Sunday morning.

Miss Ina Yates of Sheridan is vis-
iting Misses Ruth Stephenson and
Fanniss Johnson, of this place.

Farmers using Deering or McCor-
mick machines can find repairs at
Wheeler & Hoover's in Tolu.

Esq. L. A. LaRue was in Tolu to-
day, and says he wants a little salt in
his bread, and consequently he is no
candidate for magistrate.

George Kosminski, of Marion, was
here Friday shaking hands with his
friends.

James Wright, who went to Ev-
ansville some months since to attend
a business college, returned Friday
and is in very delicate health.

J. C. Wolf, formerly a very enter-
prising merchant of this place, but
now of Evansville, was here Saturday
mixing with his many friends.

Geo. Funkhouser returned from
Sikeston, Mo., recently.

Mrs. C. B. Hina returned Satur-
day to her home in Marion after a
week's visit to relatives here.

The river is rising at a rapid rate
and on account of so much rain there
is no telling where it will stop.

Morris Paris went to Marion to
get his housekeeping outfit.

D. W. Stone, Tolu's hustling mer-
chant, has just received a nice line
of Star brand shoes. There are no
shoes made that give better satisfac-
tion than these. They took the blue
ribbon at the St. Louis World's Fair
in 1904.

Say, Mr. Editor, our folks get
mighty tired waiting for the good old
Press when its arrival is delayed un-
til Saturday. If you want to keep
things sweet can't you hurry it up a
little? Now, Mr. Editor, please don't
call us chronic grumblers. This is
the first time we have complained,
you know.

CHAPEL HILL.

Mr. Wm. Fowler of Marion was in
this beat Saturday.

We had a fruit tree agent last week
being the first one in several years.

Horace Williamson, from View,
was in our vicinity last week.

The corn planting is on a stand-
still in this community, owing to the
wet weather.

Wheat is very promising in this
neighborhood and some fields are head-
ing out.

We will have plenty of fruit in our
section, so far as I can learn.

Mr. W. G. Condit and family,
of near Dean's chapel, were visiting
J. C. Minner's family recently.

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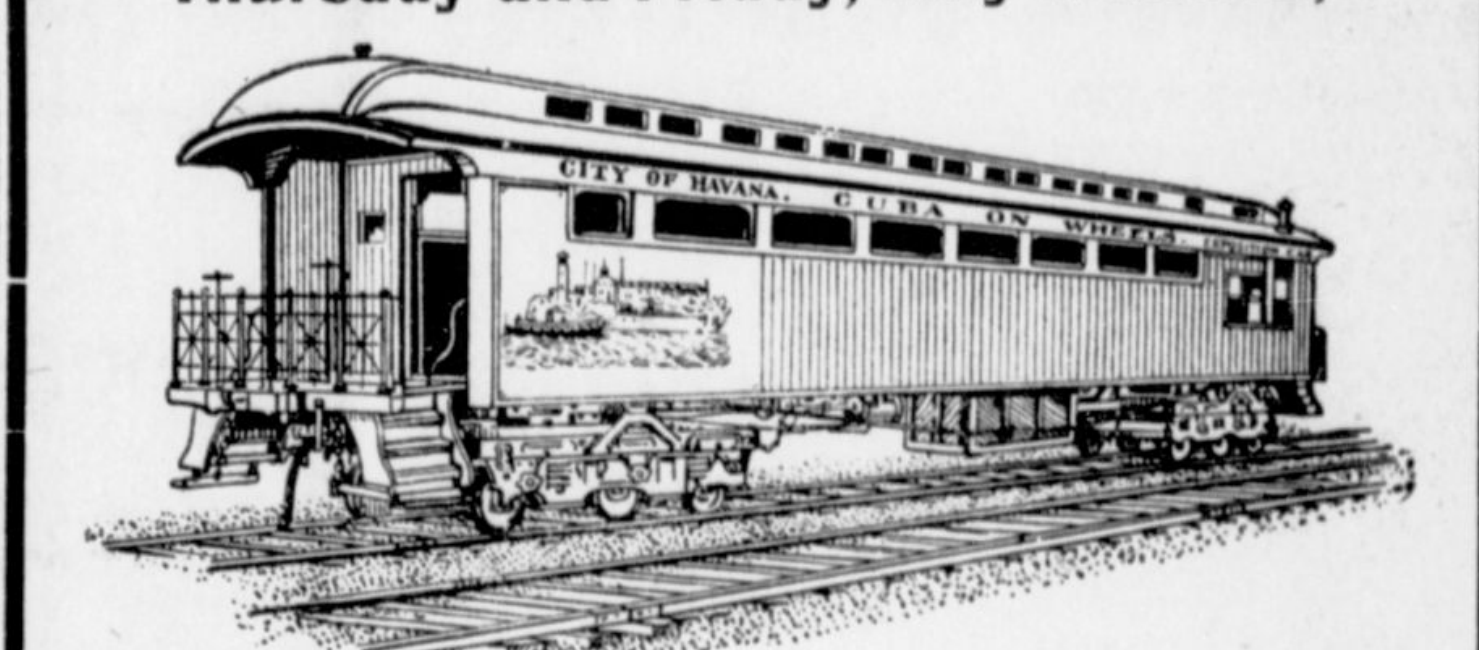
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Thursday and Friday, May 11 and 12,**



Representing the Bureau of Immigration and Department of Agriculture of
Cuba. En route from St. Louis Fair to Portland Fair. "It is a splendid represen-
tation of Cuba. You can spend a whole day in the car and then not see all there
is in it."—Atlanta, Ga. Journal. "One of the chief attractions of our Spring Festi-
val was the Cuba on Wheels Car."—Chattanooga News. "Cuba on Wheels is at-
tracting great attention and the car is visited daily by a large number of people.
Tourists who have seen it are talking of extending their trip to Cuba."—Florida
Times, Jacksonville. "The displays are not only instructive but highly entertain-
ing."—Nashville Banner. "It is a choice bit of foreign land in which Americans
should be much interested."—The State, Columbia, S. C. "It is equal to a trip to
the island."—Peoria, Ill. Star. "Distinctly an educational exhibit."—Chicr Journal.
"The resources of Cuba are clearly shown."—St. Louis Star. "An exhibition in it-
self."—Kansas City World. "An exhibit Hot Springs considers herself fortunate in
obtaining."—Sentinel-Record. Of special interest are the relics of "THE MAINE"
wreck—(property of the United States Government.)

Open 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Admission 10 Cents.

Still in Business

Since the fire our feed store
has been located in the old
Walker blacksmith shop near
the mill, and we are prepared
to furnish you
Hay, Corn, Bran, Etc.,

**Telephone us when in need
of anything in our line.**

Farmers, get our prices be-
fore selling your Hay and
Corn : : : : :
**M. O. ESKEW,
JACK STEMBRIDGE.**

Quite a nice little crowd met at
Charlie Clement's on last Sunday
night and had a singing.

Mr. P. M. Ward's second school
will be out in this month. He is a
cripple but gets there all the same
teaching schools.

Mr. Harry Long and family from
Ind., have moved into the Horace
Williamson houses.

Mr. H. O. Hill says he aint very
much of a Baptist, but while he was
crossing the creek his horse stumbled
and turned a somersault with him
and when he came out he was im-
mersed without a doubt.

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week.

Amplias Watson, of Pleasant Grove
spent Saturday in town shopping.

Robt. Morris is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary Garrett is seriously ill
at this writing.

JOY.

Charles Faulkner, a prominent bu-
siness man of Salem, spent Sunday
here.

Jessie Hurley, the tight rope per-
former, gave an exhibition here Fri-
day.

The stork dropped a 10 lb Demo-
crat for C. W. Myrick and wife on
the 1st.

Percy Roney, the telephone man,
was here last week.

J. B. Simpson, a member of the
firm of Simpson & Elder, of Salem,
was here last Friday looking after his
mining interests.

W. G. Dixon went to Dycusburg
Monday on a request from that town

that he locate there and open a black
smith shop.

So much rain, no work can be done
except repair damages.

Quite a number of our people at-
tended county court at Smithland last
Monday.

Forest Hardy of Hampton paid us
his usual visit last week.

Hughey Davis and Jesse Ramage
paid us a social visit Sunday.

The Livingston county jockey club
No. 1, met here Saturday and organ-
ized, electing Allen Garrett, Prest;
Robt. Coffield Vice Prest; Johnny
Ray Seey, and John Cossey Treas.
The club will meet at Joy on after-
noon of first Saturday in month and
exchange views and horses among
themselves, or with visiting brethren
or visitors. All persons invited to
attend.

**BRINSON B. DAVIS
ARCHITECT**
305-307 "The Masonic,"
Louisville, Kentucky.
If you intend to build you need
the services of a good Architect
and you save by employing one.

READ
And Profit From It !
Bargains at Goodloe's Tent

Parched Coffee	12 1-2c lb
Country Lard	10c lb
Daisy Coffee, Cup and Saucer in each package	45c
Granulated Sugar 15 lbs for \$1.00	
Brown Sugar 20 lbs for \$1.00	
Good Vinegar 20c per gallon	
J. Frank Conger's Sorghum 50c per gallon	

Goodloe's

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Neither will you wonder why so many people deal with us when you see for yourself the Bargains we have for our customers.

Clothing!

Our line of Clothing is Unsurpassed in the County. We carry a Bench Tailored Line and they cost you no more than others not so good.

Shoes AND Oxfords

FOR ONE AND ALL in Kid, Patents, Tan and White. All are New and Up-to-Date.

W. L. DOUGLAS

Shoes and Oxfords
FOR MEN AND BOYS

FULL LINE OF

Summer

Dress Goods and Waistings
Carpets, Rugs and Mattings
Lace Curtains, Shades, Curtain Poles.
"LION BRAND" Shirts and Collars
Up-to-Date Neckwear.

No Trouble
TO
Show Goods

And a Pleasure to Please

Taylor & Cannan.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Henry Rice, of Kelsey, was in the city Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Metz and baby are visiting in Caseyville.

Rabt. D. Drescher returned from Louisville Monday.

Rev. J. B. Seay returned to Corydon Monday morning.

Mrs. B. L. Orme is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Blue.

Presiding Elder Virgil Elgin arrived from Louisville Monday.

Ray Curry, of Sullivan, now has charge of the White Swan Laundry.

Geo. F. Jennings, the contractor, left for Hopkinsville Monday night.

Rev. Jas. F. Price went to Sturgis Monday afternoon and returned Wednesday.

Simp Weldon, of Tolu, was in the city Sunday, visiting his relatives and friends.

Curtis Asher, of Paducah, was in the city Sunday visiting his father, J. G. Asher.

Coleman Haynes, a druggist of Paducah, spent Sunday in this city, with relatives and friends.

Leonard Lowery, of Salem, was in the city Monday and went to Fredonia on the evening train.

SURREY FOR SALE: A second hand surrey in good repair. Call at the PRESS office.

Miss Carrie Oliver, a student in the Graded School, went to Frances Saturday night to visit her parents.

Rev. J. R. McAfee returned from Corydon Tuesday morning.

Pasture with water and shade \$1.50 a month. Pierce & Son.

Frank Dorroh, of Crayneville, was in the city Monday on business.

Cut flowers for sale, roses, lillies and other flowers. -MRS. FINLEY.

LOST: Strayed or stolen, a white and black spotted dog.

S. F. Crider, Gladstone, Ky.

Mrs. Pearl Clifton who has been the guest of friends at Caseyville, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Carrie Thomas having decided to locate in Memphis, wishes to sell her house and lot here.

Strawberry and ice cream supper in the court house yard Wednesday afternoon and evening the 17th.

Mrs. Mary Fleming, of Salem, arrived Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Croft, on Belleville street.

Mrs. Hiee O'Neal has been quite sick at the home of her father, Squire W. H. Asher in East Marion, but is reported much better.

Thos. A. Hughes and wife have gone to house-keeping in the W. R. Gibbs house on East Depot street, the house Chas. Moore vacated.

Miss Ada Harrigg, the new milliner, has a splendid assortment of new and stylish hats. A few French patterns left. At Mrs. Cavenders.

The Ladies Aid Society of the C. P. church want you to attend their strawberry and ice cream supper in the court house yard Wednesday afternoon and evening, the 17th.

Robt. Hodges, jr., will deliver fertilizers in my absence.

W. L. ADAMS.

FOR SALE: A good pair of counter scales, with scoop, cheap for cash. Call at the PRESS office.

Mrs. Denman, of Denman & Love, was in the city Sunday and returned Monday morning to Sturgis.

Congressman James went to Cadiz Sunday where he spoke to the Trigg County Tobacco Growers Association.

E. P. Stewart and wife, who have been visiting in Owensville and Oakland City, Ind., returned home Sunday night.

Rev. J. R. McAfee went to Corydon Sunday and preached there for Rev. J. B. Seay, and returned home Tuesday.

Amplias Weldon, of St. Louis, is expected to visit his mother, Mrs. W. R. Gibbs, this week, at her home near Sheridan.

We have three car loads of fertilizers of all mixtures. One car of the highest grade tobacco grower the market affords. ADAMS BROS.

The Clark & Kevil lots in East Marion were sold Monday by Commissioner J. G. Rochester. Miss Della Kevil was the purchaser at \$600.

Will sell round trip tickets to Louisville on May 21 to 23, inclusive, for \$5.75, good returning until the 25th. Lon Johnson, Agt.

The Dr. E. R. Yost house at Shady Grove was sold under foreclosure by the Farmers Bank. It brought \$270.00. J. M. McOshesney was the purchaser.

Miss Carrie Moore was in the city to attend the Alumni of the Marion Graded School Friday night. She spent several days here with parents and friends and returned to Hopkinsville Sunday.

Adams & Pierce are the first firm to build a permanent building for business since the fire. Their brick machine shop will be two stories high and will be ready for occupancy next week.

Miss Ruby James is spending the month in Webster City, Iowa, the guest of her brother-in-law, L. H. Ford. When she returns she will bring her little niece and nephew, Ada and Lemuel Ford, for a visit.

The Deer Creek Sunday school is now in a prosperous condition. L. A. LaRue is the superintendent and is a conscientious worker. He is receiving the support of the community which is quite gratifying to the pastor.

The 200-foot rubber lined hose which the I. C. R. R. sent to the Marion Electric Light & Ice Co. for the use of the two companies in fighting fire on their premises, or which endangers their property, has arrived and is installed ready for use in an emergency.

NOTICE!

School tax for 1905, Marion Graded School District must be paid on or before May 25, 1905. For convenience of tax-payers I will attend at the store room of Nunn & Tucker, May 23rd, 24th and 25th for the purpose of receiving taxes.

H. A. HAYNES

Treasurer Marion Graded School Dist.

Henry Haynes spent Tuesday in Evansville.

Elijah Hughes, of Sturgis, is the guest of Phil Deboe this week.

Miss Alma Deboe, of Crayneville, was in the city Monday, shopping.

Dr. T. A. Frazer went to Evansville Tuesday on professional business.

Crawford Hughes and Miss Millie Eaton attended the Old Salem Anniversary, Sunday week.

J. T. Dehaven, of Shady Grove, was here Tuesday and renewed his allegiance to the PRESS.

John Lowry, of Fredonia, and Thos. Bugg, of Kelsey, rode over to see the new PRESS office Monday.

Miss Ophelia Alvis, of the Salem milliner, still has a fine assortment of stylish hats. Give her a call.

Alfred Williams, of Wheatcroft, has returned here to finish his school days, after a short sojourn at home.

Still in the lead, the best laundry in the city, the old reliable Kohinoor, at J. B. Ray, the Palace dry good store. NOBLE P. HILL, Agt.

Mrs. O. M. James left Monday for Louisville. Mr. James, who spoke at Cadiz Monday met her at Princeton and accompanied her.

Los Morse, the son of J. H. Morse, deceased, who arrived here Sunday from Claremont, California, was a caller at the PRESS office Tuesday.

Every available carpenter and brickmason is at work, and the knock of the hammer and the call for "more brick" or "more mortar" can be heard on all sides.

The PRESS had a pleasant call on Wednesday from Misses Verna Davis and Lora Dempsey of Bells Mines. Miss Davis is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. G. M. Russell, and Miss Dempsey is visiting relatives here.

Caleb Stone, the venerable father of George W. Stone, who recently moved here from Kelsey, returned Tuesday from a visit to his brother, ex-congressman W. J. Stone, of Lyon county.

FOR SALE: A fine bank safe, cost \$750, will sell cheap quick; 2 deep, 2 feet wide, 3 feet high, side steel doors and walls.

S. M. JENKINS.

The I. C. R. R. is building a side track 300 feet long for the handling of cars of coal at the power house of the Electric Light Co. The recent heavy rains have made it too muddy to complete the work, which was begun a month or more ago.

Circuit Clerk John G. Asher is having his home on Kevil street, recently bought of J. W. Blue, equipped with electric lights. Since the death of Mrs. Asher, he has to often leave his little ones alone, and its a precaution as to safety as well as a convenience. His little daughter is the housekeeper.

Mrs. Ida Morse and her family reached Marion Sunday afternoon from Claremont, Cal. The long journey was hard on her, but she stood the trip fairly well. The children were tolerably well except two of the smaller ones felt some bad effects from the long trip of over 3000 miles. Her brothers met her here and they all went to the "Old Kentucky Home", of her father, J. M. Dean, near Iron Hill. Her many friends are glad to know she is back in Old Crittenden again.

Roll of Honor.

Since our last issue the following day subscriptions have been paid to the dates given:

B. B. James, Salem, '05 5 3.
W. C. Tyner, " '06 5 4.
C. W. Deharen, B'ford, '05 5 1.
W. Brookshire, N. Yak'a, '6 5 10, late.
H. L. Williams, Levias, '06 1 1.
R. Boyd, Salem, '06 1 1.
J. V. Hayden, Salem, '06 5 3.
T. M. George, Salem, '06 5 3.
B. G. Thurman, city, '05 5 1.
Lee Vick, city, '05 10 15.
L. G. Koltinsky, city, '05 6 20.
James Matthews, city, '06 2 23.
Gus Terry, city, '05 5 5.
H. F. Ray, city, '05 2 1.
G. G. Jacobs, city, '05 10 1.
J. H. Brouster, Salem, '06 1 16.
D. Webster Jones, Tolu, '06 1 1.
Malissa Sunderland, S'm, '06 1 1.
Albert " " '05 1 1.
W. J. Little, Tradewater, '06 1 1.
Mrs. Carrie Threlkeld, T'u, '07 1 1.
Hester Simpson, S. Grove, '06 1 1.
Claude Nelson, Mattoon, '06 1 1.
T. O. Ordway, Kelsey, '06 5 8.
W. D. Johnson, Fredonia, '5 11 16.
Jas. Johnson, Toppenish, '06 5 10.
J. T. Dehaven, S. G've, '06 5 10.
B. F. Horning, Salem, '05 6 1.

Closing Out at Cost

In order to start up with an entirely new and up-to-date stock :

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks and Silverware

all going at wholesale prices

I am prepared to fit your Eyes with the correct Glasses at lower prices than ever before :

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Pure Fresh Drugs, Toilet Articles. Perfumes, Druggist Sundries Blank Books, Stationery, Etc

BICYCLES and Bicycle Repairs

We are prepared to serve you with PURE COCA COLA AND PHOSPHATES.

Prescriptions a Specialty DAY OR NIGHT.

Haynes & Taylor

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At Nunn & Tucker's Furniture Store

Regular term of City Court first Monday in each month.

Louisville, Ky., May 1.—Charles J. Johnston of Lexington has been retained to assist in the prosecution of Lieb Powers, under sentence of death for complicity in the killing of Governor William Goebel. Mr. Bronson will succeed the late Tom Campbell.

Capital Stock.....	\$15,000
Deposits.....	40,000
Surplus and Undivid- ed Profits.....	1,200

S. H. Ramage.



CENTER FURNACE.

Five Years Lease Taken on it by
White, Dixon & Co., Who
Will Open it at Once.

Old Center Furnace, situated in Trigg county near the Lyon county line, three miles from the Rock Castle, between the rivers, is to be opened up again after lying idle for the last twenty-five years.

A deal has just been closed whereby the firm of White, Dixon & Co. have secured a lease on the property, for a term of five years, with the privilege of seven. The property is owned by the Hillman Land and Iron company, the principal stockholders of which are Simmons, of the Simmons Hardware company and other St. Louis capitalists.

The firm of White, Dixon & Co. is composed of W. J. Preston and Ben T. White, of Cadiz, and George W. Dixon of Grand Rivers. Their lease calls for all the timber and ore privileges for a radius of five miles from the furnace, and they are thus given access to many thousands of acres of fine timber and mineral land both in Trigg and Lyon counties.

They will put a sawmill on the ground at once and will this week put a large force of hands at work cutting wood and putting the furnaces in proper condition for the making of iron.

While some of the machinery of the furnace will probably be used yet, much new machinery will be necessary be bought, and in getting the property in shape for operations will require an outlay of money running into the many thousands of dollars.

It will be October or November before they can be ready to begin active operations at the furnace. Something like three hundred hands will be given constant employment.

James P. White, of this city, and George W. Dixon of Grand Rivers, will be in active control of the business.

The store house will have to be repaired, and about forty or fifty cottages for the use of the hands who will work at the furnace will be built this summer and fall.

The reopening of the furnace means much to the material welfare of Trigg county. Many hundreds of thousands of dollars will be spent in its operation, and the deal will no doubt prove a splendid investment to the promoters. The ore on the land is said to be of the finest quality for the making of pig iron, and in quantity the supply is inexhaustible.

Center Furnace was built in the early fifties, over fifty years ago, by the late Daniel Hillman. It was partially destroyed in time of the war, but was rebuilt after the war was over and was kept in active operation until about the year 1880. The property continued in the hands of the Hillmans until four or five years ago when it was bought by the Simmons, interest of St. Louis.

The firm of White, Dixon & Co. have had considerable experience in making iron. For five years they operated Bear Spring Furnace, near Dover, Tenn., and made a great deal of money in the transaction. All are fine business men and they are sure to put the new enterprise on a basis that will prove profitable to the promoters and a great thing to the county.

There is also strong talk of building a railroad through this property, which means a probable extension of the Cadiz railroad. The Simmons people have been discussing this phase of the question, going so far at one time as to have a line surveyed from Grand Rivers through the property, and the fact that they are determined to open up and develop their holdings in this and Lyon counties is a strong indication that the idea of the early building of a railroad through that territory is no idle dream.

The primary intention of the new lessees is to use the river for shipping purposes. The furnace is about two miles back from the Cumberland. --Cadiz Record.

CATASTROPHIC.
Bears the
Signature
of
Chas. H. Hatcher
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Fourth Class P. M.'s Organize.

A county league of the fourth class postmasters was organized at Marion Ky., on May 3d, 1905.

Said league was called to order by T. A. McAmis, of Tolu, Ky., and the following officers were elected:

J. D. Hinchie, President,
J. F. Canada, Sec. and Treas.
T. A. McAmis, Representative.

Said league adjourned to meet July 2, 1905.

We cordially invite every fourth-class postmaster in Crittenden county to join with us at our next meeting.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINMAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Ollie James for Governor.

The many friends of Congressman O. M. James throughout the State, are urging him to make the race for Governor, to succeed Gov. Beckham, but he has not yet given expression as to whether he will or not be a candidate. But it is safe to say that the big congressman would not run from the gubernatorial chair. He is just the size, shape and material to make a chief magistrate of whom the people of Kentucky would be proud. --Livingston Democrat.

How to Ward Off Old Age.

The most successful way of warding off the approach of old age is to maintain a vigorous digestion. This can be done by eating only food suited to your age and occupation, and when any disorder of the stomach appears take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct it. If you have a weak stomach or are troubled with indigestion, you will find these tablets to be just what you need. For sale by Woods & Orme, druggists.

WEEK'S HAPPENINGS.

VERBIAGE CAREFULLY AVOIDED
IN THIS COLUMN.

Important Events, Both Local and Foreign, Will Be Found Briefly Chronicled and Fully Arranged Under the Daily Headings.

Heavy earthquake shocks were felt throughout Switzerland.

Cyclone razed the Catholic and Episcopal churches at Carlyle, Ill. Loss \$125,000.

Ignace Paderewski, who is ill, cancels all American engagements and will return to Switzerland.

Chief Wilkie of the secret service sails for the Philippines to investigate counterfeiting in the islands.

Loss of life as a result of the tornado that devastated Laredo, Tex., and vicinity estimated at 25 persons.

Postmaster General Cortelyou reported to have been offered the presidency of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

Minister Russell, now envoy to Colombia, has been transferred to Venezuela, and Mr. Barrett, now at Panama, goes to Colombia.

Failures of the week: In the United States, 193, same week last year 197; in Canada 17, last year 24.

Mrs. William Jones committed suicide by shooting at her home in Georgetown, O. Demented.

Cardinal Andrea Ajuti, archbishop of Verona, is dead. He was born in Italy in 1849 and was created a cardinal in 1903.

Wisconsin Trust and Security company, receiver for the Bigelow estate, took possession of the Bigelow homestead, Milwaukee.

At Cairo, Ill., a buggy containing Wendell Whittaker and a negro named Latham was struck by a switch engine. Both Whittaker and Latham were killed.

Coroner's verdict in the recent coal mine disaster at Princeton, Ind., in which eight men were killed, holds Roscoe Hedrick, a miner, and the Princeton Coal company responsible.

Burglars visited the department store of Ziesel Brothers, Elkhart, Ind., silks valued at \$1,000 being carried off.

William Tod, 62, a son of Ohio's war governor, is dead at Youngstown, O. He was the head of the William Tod company, engine builders.

Three negroes, Walter Obey, C. Jackson and Charles Miles, were hanged at Pittsburgh for the murder of Ivan Kinsor at Leetsdale, Pa.

Six persons seriously injured at Huntington, W. Va., by a gas explosion that damaged the Mossman building to the extent of \$100,000.

Robert W. Manly, chief deputy in the internal revenue office at Chillicothe, O., was appointed acting collector, vice John C. Entekin, deceased.

Fire at Milwaukee partially destroyed the 5-story building occupied by the Hanson Empire Furniture company and William Rohlfing & Sons, piano dealers. The combined loss is estimated at \$300,000.

Colonel Willard Glazier, 64, author, soldier and explorer, died at Albany, N. Y., of heart disease.

Mrs. Marie Ducl, 45, was found dead in her apartments at New York. Had been murdered and robbed.

Japanese privy council decided that martial law shall be proclaimed throughout the island of Formosa.

One man was killed and 11 others were injured, four fatally, by an explosion of dynamite on the farm of J. G. McElvaine, near Philadelphia.

Andrew Carnegie, wife and daughter, sailed for Europe on the steamer Baltic to spend the summer at Skibo castle, Carnegie's estate in Scotland.

With a hammer William Koobe, a tailor, beat in his wife's skull and then attempted suicide, at Grundy Center, Ia. The woman will die. The man was crazed with morphine.

Schooner H. L. Whitton, bound from South Amboy for Boston, was run down and sunk by the schooner Charles A. Campbell off Olean, Mass. Two of the Whitton's crew were lost.

Louisville Democrats nominated Paul Barth for mayor.

Noah Runyan and wife were burned fatally in a fire at their home near Muncie, Ind.

Dr. Brown Ayres was formally inaugurated as president of the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

Federal officials raided the California agencies of the Honduras and Mexican lotteries. Tickets confiscated.

At Jefferson, O., Hartson Dodge, 50, pleaded guilty to assault on his 13-year-old daughter and was sentenced to the penitentiary for life.

Forrest Eagon, 22, of Quaker City, O., while being put off a train on which he was stealing a ride, missed his footing and was crushed to death.

John Phillips, a farmer residing near Newcomertown, O., committed suicide by sending the contents of a shotgun through his body. Had been drinking.

Big Four freight train No. 98 was wrecked at Indianapolis. Engineer James McClain and brakeman W. C. Duncan were killed.

Geraldine, 3-year-old daughter of S. C. Allen, Washington, D. C., died after eight hours in convulsions caused by eating colored Easter eggs.

While going through a lumber yard at Salisbury, N. C., Thomas Canupa, 14, was shot through the head and instantly killed, presumably by robber.

Laverne M. Crillis, 19, of Trionville, and Archie Clark, 19, of Centerville, students at the state normal school at Edinboro, Pa., were drowned in Conneaut lake.

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Manufactures and Dealers in all kinds of

Dressed Lumber, Doors, Sash, Shingles, Laths, Mouldings, Paints, Oils and Window Glass.

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Write us your Wants.

Sturgis, - - - - - Kentucky.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

Save Your Values

By Using the Elspass Mill for Ore Reduction



No slimes, more lineal feet of screen surface than any other Mill. Less horse power to operate.

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Fairbanks Standard Scales

500 Modifications

Water Works and Electric Light Plants furnished and installed.

Elspass Four-Roller Quartz Mill

Fairbanks, Morse & Co., Louisville, Ky.

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This lesson occurs on the same night of the last lesson. After that being discourse recorded in John, chapter 14-16, he uttered this touching prayer. This is truly the Lord's prayer. It is a type of his intercessory prayers offered continually for us before the Father. He is truly our advocate.

OUTLINE OF LESSON.

- Christ's prayer for his followers.
- I. He prays for their preservation.
 - 1 Not by taking them out of the world. They had a work to do, Matt. 21: 28; 1 Cor. 3: 9.
 - 2 By keeping them from the world, Matt. 6: 13.
- II. He prays for their sanctification.
 - 1 The necessity for it—they are sent into the world to save the world.
 - 2 Means—the truth, God's word.
- III. He prays for their unity.
 - 1 Who? All believers to be one.
 - 2 How? Even as the Father and Son are one.
 - 3 Why? That the world may believe.
- IV. He prays for their glorification, v. 24.

LIVING THE LESSON.

- 1 Christ prays that I may be kept from the evil. God's grace is all-sufficient for one. Do I try to abstain from all appearance of evil?
- 2 Christ was not of this world. Do I realize that I am not of this world, vs. 14, 16, therefore will I "set my affections on things above" instead of "loving the world."
- 3 Christ prayed for his friends; do I pray for my friends?
- 4 Do I have that spirit of unity by which I can love all Christians; or do I have more church unity than I have Christianity?

QUESTIONS.

- 1 What were the circumstances of this prayer?
- 2 What events preceded it on that night?
- 3 What events followed it on that night?
- 4 What is the difference in purpose of this prayer and that which we commonly call the Lord's prayer?
- 5 What was Christ's special prayer for himself?
- 6 What is eternal life?
- 7 At this time what was the disciple's belief about Christ?
- 8 Do you think Christ still prays for Christians?

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- 9 Why do you think so?
- 10 Do you think he still prays for sinners?
- 11 Give reasons for your opinion.
- 12 What word of the bible declares that he continues to pray for us?
- 13 What official position does he occupy in relation to Christians?
- 14 Why the need of this?
- 15 Why does the world hate a true follower of Christ?
- 16 Is this necessarily so?
- 17 What is meant by being "in the world" yet "not of the world."
- 18 Does the unity of this chapter denote church unity or merely Christian co-operation?
- 19 How is this unity illustrated and emphasized?
- 20 What is the great purpose of this unity?
- 21 What close identity exists between Christ and his people and between them and God?

Hot Weather Piles

Persons afflicted with piles should be careful at this season of the year. Hot weather and bad drinking water contribute to the conditions which make piles more painful and dangerous. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stops the pain, draws out the soreness and cures. Get the genuine, bearing the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. Sold by Woods & Orme.

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FREDONIA AND KELSEY.

Lonnie Dixon and wife have moved here from Princeton.

Tom and Luther Guess shipped a car load of lumber to Evansville last week.

S. G. Lee and family of Pineknayville, were here shopping Monday.

Ira Bennett and wife attended the Alumnae meeting of Marion graded school Friday night.

Ray & Lowery are having new improvements made to their business house here.

Uncle Caleb Stone, of Marion, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Rice, who have been at Crittenden Springs for several days, re-

turned home Sunday.

We have a complete stock of glassware, queensware, and staple and fancy groceries.

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Most of the patent medicine testimonials are probably genuine. The following notice recently appeared in the Atchison, Kan., Globe: "Joe Tack, a well known engineer, running on the Missouri Pacific between Wichita and Kiowa, lately appeared in a big one, with a picture, and when he was in this office to-day, we asked him about it. He says he had terrible pains in his stomach, and thought he had cancer. His druggist recommended Kodol and he says it cured him. He recommended it to others, who were also cured." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and cures all stomach troubles. Just as surely as the sun shines your stomach can be brought back to its originally pure condition and life sweetened by this lasting and truly the greatest digestant known. Sold by Woods & Orme.

HEBRON.

Rev R. T. McConnell preached to a good crowd at this place Sunday.

Mr. John B. Martin has gone to Missouri to look at the country.

Several of our people went to Marion Monday.

Miss Mable Woodside, of Mayfield, is visiting friends in this section.

Misses Ora Hale and Ruth Cook went to Cave-in-Rock Monday.

Mr. John G. Goodwin, formerly of Cave-in-Rock, but lately of Paducah, died in the Marine hospital Thursday. The deceased had many warm friends in this section who will be pained to hear of his death.

Mr. Newt Bracey is fixing to build an addition to his residence.

Mrs. John Easley is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Daughtrey of Marion.

Jesse Alvis has the finest field of wheat in this section.

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To supply every citizen of the town with wire screens and doors at lowest prices. BOSTON & PARIS.

IRON HILL.

Uriah Terry and wife who have been visiting E. L. Horning's family, have returned to their home near Mound.

Luther Givens and Marshall McConnell visited relatives at Dalton last week.

R. S. Paris, and family of Annis-ton, Mo., are spending a few days with Mrs. Paris' mother, Mrs. Sallie Woods, near here.

Mrs. Ida Moss and family, who have been living at Claremont, Col., for nearly two years, have returned to this community to make it their home.

Edwin Walker, an ex-citizen of this community, who now lives at Blackford, sends the news to his relatives here of the arrival of a baby boy at his residence.

G. N. Fox celebrated the 66th anniversary of his birth last Sunday. A number of his friends and relatives were present.

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HAMPTON.

There has been the greatest rainfall here in the past seven days that was ever known before at this season of the year.

Hon. M. O. Nelson of Smithland, was here Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a number of our people went to Paducah last week.

Miss Nellie Radcliff of this place is quite sick with heart trouble.

Dr. Masoncup, of Lola was here last week.

H. C. Coffield and mother are in Eddyville this week.

H. E. Worten, J. C. Rutter and C. S. Cross were elected school trustees Saturday; and there are all dandy's.

Clyde Herndon and R. B. Wood-yard spent Sunday at Duley's bluffs.

Our baseball team played against Lola, Joy, Goodhope and several other teams Saturday and the score was 26 to 1 in favor of Hampton. Now, boys, how is this? We will meet the Illinois boys Saturday, May 13, at Salem. Now come, boys, you said you would.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Peterson*
BRAVE DECATUR.

The Story of His Pledge Attack on a Tripolitan Vessel.

Gardner W. Allen in his book, "Our Navy and the Barbary Corsairs," retells the old story of how Commodore Stephen Decatur, then a lieutenant in the United States navy, attacked a Tripolitan vessel. The incident occurred in 1804, when Preble was lying off Tripoli. Young Decatur had been told that the captain of this vessel had treacherously murdered his brother, John Decatur, after he had surrendered to him. Mr. Allen writes: "He ran alongside and at once boarded with Mardonough and the remnant of his crew. Decatur singled out the captain, a man of great size and strength, and attacked him furiously. The Tripolitan made a thrust with his boarding pike, and in attempting to parry the blow Decatur's cutlass was broken off at the hilt, leaving him 'for the moment unarmed. Another thrust of the pike wounded him in the arm. Decatur seized the weapon, wrenched it away and grappled with his antagonist. After a short struggle they fell to the deck, with Decatur on top.

"Meanwhile the two crews were fighting furiously about their leaders, and a Tripolitan aimed a blow at Decatur's head with his scimitar, when a seaman named Daniel Frazier, having both arms disabled by wounds, interposed his head and received the blow, which laid open the scalp. The Tripolitan captain, being more powerful than Decatur, soon turned him underneath and, holding him down with his left hand, drew a knife and was about to plunge it into his breast.

"Decatur seized the uplifted arm with his left hand, while he managed to get his right into his pocket, where he had a pistol. Giving it the proper direction, he fired through the pocket. The giant relaxed his hold and fell dead. Having lost seventeen killed, including their leader, the seven surviving Tripolitans, four of whom were wounded, soon gave up the fight."

OFFICIALS ARRESTED.

Charged With Extorting Money in Performance of Their Duty.

Pottsville, Pa., April 26.—The Taxpayers' association of Schuylkill county created a sensation here by causing the arrest of members of the school board, the entire borough police force and a justice of the peace, all of Shenandoah, charging them with extorting money in the performance of their duties. All waived a hearing and entered bail. Specific charges are made against school directors Joseph Bierstein, Jacob Noll and David Fiest, charging them with demanding \$300 from a widow for the appointment of her daughter to a school, and with having demanded and taken \$225 from Miss Hand for an appointment to the same position. Justice of the Peace W. H. Shoemaker is charged with felony and with conspiring with policemen to run up illegal bills of costs for cases settled at his office. Chief of Police John Frye and four patrolmen are charged with conspiracy and malfeasance in office.

Bradstreet on Trade.

New York, April 29.—Bradstreet's says: Irregularity still characterizes distributive trade, while industry is active and outdoor construction is of unprecedented volume. The weather has been rather too cool for the best of crop preparation or germination. Labor is well employed, and with the one conspicuous exception of Chicago, where the teamsters' strike affects trade and shipments, disputes are below the average for May 1. Prices of many staples have been weak and unsettled, and cereals, cotton, some kinds of pig iron, copper and country produce have moved lower. Railway earnings are good, and bank clearings this week heavily exceed a year ago. Collections generally are rather tardy, especially at the south. Crop conditions, though the season is backward, promise well as regards the cereals. A heavy wheat yield is in prospect.

Carnegie's Latest.

New York, April 28.—A gift of \$10,000,000 by Andrew Carnegie to provide annuities for college professors who are not able to continue in active service was announced by Frank A. Vanderlip, vice president of the National City bank of New York. Professors of the United States, Canada and Newfoundland will share in the distribution in the income of the fund. The United States Steel corporation 5 per cent first mortgage bonds for \$10,000,000 have been transferred to a board of trustees, and steps will be taken at once to organize a corporation to receive the donation.

Bank President's Confession.

Milwaukee, April 25.—Federal officials arrested Frank G. Bigelow, the deposed president of the First National bank of Milwaukee, on the charge of embezzlement. The arrest followed Bigelow's confession to the board of directors of the bank that he was a defaulter to the extent of \$1,450,000. Following Mr. Bigelow's confession, he was removed from the presidency of the bank and the facts in the case were laid before the federal authorities here without delay.

Hanged For Assault.

Americus, Ga., April 28.—Tobe Thornton, the negro who criminally assaulted Miss Margaret Dymukes, a maiden lady, near Preston, Webster county, 15 months ago, was hanged at Preston. The execution was witnessed only by officials and a few spectators. Thornton's victim was bereft of reason as a result of his crime and has since been confined in the lunatic asylum.

Nose Grafted On.

Philadelphia, April 26.—A most interesting and delicate operation was performed by Dr. Stillwell Burns on Thomas Dunleavy of North Adams. As the result Dunleavy has a new nose. It was fashioned out of the flesh and skin taken from his own arm and grafted onto his face. He will remain in the hospital until the appendage has grown firmly.

Schwab Gets Contract.

St. Petersburg, April 27.—Complete success has crowned the visit of Charles M. Schwab to St. Petersburg. Mr. Schwab's negotiations with the Russian admiralty have resulted in the practical conclusion of an arrangement for the construction in America of a number of formidable battleships of a type which probably will startle the world.

Double Tragedy.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 28.—A horrible murder followed by suicide occurred in a rooming house here when W. H. Wilder of Kansas City, Mo., is alleged to have shot his wife, the ball entering near the left eye and penetrating the brain. After the shooting Wilder blew out his own brains. Mrs. Wilder can not survive.

Bowen Resigned.

Caracas, May 1.—American Minister Herbert W. Bowen has been recalled to Washington, and will leave Caracas during the day. Mr. Bowen has been summoned for explanations regarding charges which he has made against Assistant Secretary of State Loomis, who was his predecessor as American minister to Caracas.

Thirteen Miners Entombed.

Wilburton, Okla., May 1.—Thirteen miners were entombed and probably killed by an explosion in the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Coal company's mine No. 19, four miles west of here. There is little prospect of their bodies being recovered for several days.

Ships Captured by Russians.

Saigon, Cochinchina, April 26.—Two ships loaded with rice for Saigon and bound for Japan have been captured by ships belonging to the Russian squadron.

PEACE CONFABS HELD

Earnest Efforts Made to Bring About a Settlement of Chicago Strike.

ALL ATTEMPTS UTTERLY FAILED

Federation of Labor Indorses Suspension and Requests the Presence of President Roosevelt—Developments of the Day.

Chicago, May 1.—Believing the fight now going on for supremacy between the Employers' association of Chicago and the union teamsters to be a protracted one, the business men of the city took advantage of the suspension of regular business Sunday to procure an extra supply of material and supplies. Every available team and even one-horse vehicles were brought into use for the purpose of replenishing coal bins and to obtain other material necessary to the transaction of business.

While all these preparations were going on for an emergency, efforts were being made in Mayor Dunne's office at the city hall to bring about a peaceable adjustment of the teamsters' strike. A committee representing the Employers' association met a peace commission consisting of Bishop C. P. Anderson of the Episcopal church, Jenkin Lloyd Jones of All Souls church, Dr. Emil G. Hirsch of Sinai temple, Miss Jane Addams of Hull House and Dr. Cornelia De Bey of Neighborhood House. At the end of this conference a committee representing the unions met the citizens' committee and went over the entire strike situation in an effort to devise some means to bring about a peaceable ending of the controversy. The Chicago Federation of Labor was also busy considering the strike situation, but no action was taken to spread the strike to the affiliated unions. Believing that the teamsters are justified in the fight they are making, the federation passed the following resolution: "Resolved, that we request President Roosevelt, Governor Deneen and Mayor Dunne to investigate the existing conditions in Chicago before complying with any request for United States militia in the city during the present difficulty; and be it further resolved, that the president of this organization be instructed to appoint a committee to lay the facts before President Roosevelt, Governor Deneen and Mayor Dunne, and take such other steps as may be necessary to give effect to these resolutions."

The conferences in Mayor Dunne's office lasted six hours, and the peace commission appointed by the mayor failed utterly in its efforts to bring about a settlement of the strike. The plan for an armistice of 48 hours was rejected by both sides early in the conference, as was also an offer later made by the representatives of labor men, who asked that a committee of five citizens be appointed to arbitrate the matter.

A mob of 500 men and boys, headed by a number of striking teamsters, raided the main stables of the Employers' Teaming company and stampeded the animals. This was a violation of the federal injunction issued by Judge Kohlsaat. The names of the union men involved, it is said, have been secured. The federal jury has returned indictments against the strikers arrested Friday.

Killed Five Bears.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., April 26.—President Roosevelt's hunting trip has been crowned with success far beyond his expectations or those of the most sanguine of his guides. Three bears were killed by the party Tuesday and two Monday, one by the president and one by Dr. Lambert. P. B. Stewart of Colorado Springs, one of the president's hunting companions, has arrived here accompanied by Courier Chapman. They brought the story of the hunt. The killing of the three bears was telephoned to them, and they understood that President Roosevelt brought down two of them.

Fatal Wreck.

Greenville, S. C., May 1.—Four killed and 11 injured, besides others bruised, is the fate of the Ogdens educational party, whose special train was wrecked while entering the Southern railway yards here. The wreck was caused by a collision with a switch engine. The engine of the special and several cars were derailed and the baggage and dining cars telescoped and set on fire. The excursion has been abandoned. The list of dead follows: Charles M. Coope, flagman; J. Little, W. W. Cummings and J. F. Haynes, negro employes of dining car.

General Linevitch Talks.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, April 29.—General Linevitch granted an interview at his headquarters here in the course of which he expressed himself as highly satisfied with the present condition of the Russian army and its readiness to assume the offensive. He manifested emphatic regret for the retirement from Mukden. The new commander-in-chief said that the peril to the army at that juncture was overestimated, and that the day was far from being lost when the retreat was ordered.

Saw the Russian Fleet.

Hongkong, May 1.—The steamer Stettin sighted from 30 to 40 vessels of the Russian second Pacific squadron in Hon'ghe bay. From about 50 miles north of Kamranh bay, Thursday afternoon. The cruisers, which had their decks stacked with coal, signalled the Stettin to stop and questioned her. The fleet was preparing for sea.

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