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THE EMERGENCY AT WASHINGTON

How Promptly and Successfully Met.

TELEGRAPHERS KEPT BUSY.

Secretary Taft Proud of Men at the Front--Gen. Funston Gets the Credit.

OTHER NEWS AT NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—Not since the reorganization of the army in 1902 has it been called on to face an emergency of any sort. The disaster at San Francisco however, has proved an emergency of the first magnitude and it is a satisfaction to be able to report that the army has met it with out apparent effort. The immensity of the loss at San Francisco from fire and earthquake has dwarfed everything else in the news line and the whole attention of most of the departments has been given to sending and receiving news, hurrying forward relief and authorizing the officers on the spot to make all sorts of provisions to meet the necessities of the case.

Secretary Taft said privately that he was glad they had an officer on the ground who came to the front like Gen. Funston and did things first and asked authority afterward. Congress sunk all differences of party in passing the emergency appropriation bill giving \$1,000,000 to be immediately available for the relief work. This bill passed in record time and sent to the President, receiving his signature all within the space of six hours. The only amendment made to it was the next day when Senator Morgan introduced another resolution making it clear that the money was available for medical supplies as well as food.

Telegraphers have been on duty constantly at the War and Navy departments as in the days of the Spanish war, and the Secretaries of War and Navy and of Commerce and Labor have been in touch with the departments over the phones at all hours. The government for once has been effectively busy and harmonious. Orders have been flashed from the various army and naval posts most closely in touch with San Francisco to forward supplies as fast as they could be collected. It has been realized that the prompt relief was the most effective and the first train of government supplies was expected to reach San Francisco on Thursday night.

The cost of the disaster to the government will be enormous. The destruction in military and naval stores in and around San Francisco alone will be \$2,500,000. In addition to that the damage to buildings and equipment must be counted, and there are \$7,000,000 worth of government buildings within the area of the disturbance. The relief work including the appropriation from Congress will also mount into the millions.

The government has decided that there should be a representative of the administration on the spot and Secretary Metcalf has accordingly been selected and started for California on Friday night. His selection was the natural one, as the department of Commerce and Labor is already in touch with the situation. It has ordered the fish commission on Steamer Albatross and all the available tenders of the light house service to the aid of the sufferers. Secretary Metcalf's home is in Oakland, and while he is accompanied in Washington by Mrs. Metcalf, he has a son and a sister in the stricken city from whom he has received no news since the disaster. The secretary has born up bravely under the personal distress that the news has caused him, and although he has sent private messages and did all he could on the side to get track of his boy, he gave his first attention to the work of relief and let his family matters come after.

Secretary Metcalf was preceded west a few hours by Representative Julius Kahn, of San Francisco, who had received peculiar tortures from the

news. Less than 48 hours before the shock Mr. Kahn had received a telegram from San Francisco saying: "Mother and son doing well." Mrs. Kahn had given birth to a boy just before the disaster, and from that time the father has been able to hear nothing of either of them. He has haunted the telegraph and newspaper offices in Washington and has done everything ingenuity could suggest to get a message into the town and a reply out, but all in vain. Finally, able to stand the strain no longer, he took the train west and now is on his way to make personal inquiries.

The Secretary of the Treasury expressed himself as immensely pleased over the gallant fight that the employees had successfully made to save the mint, practically the only building left standing in the business district. This has saved to the government about \$300,000,000 of coin and bullion intact and there has been transferred to the sub-treasury at San Francisco an additional \$10,000,000 to meet immediate needs.

The value of the wireless telegraph service in the navy has also been demonstrated, as it was in this way that a part of the Pacific squadron was caught at sea off San Diego and rushed north to take part in the work of rescue.

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The great calamity on the Pacific slope has for the moment dwarfed all other subjects, and the reading public of the country has almost forgotten that Congress and the Daughters of the American Revolution are in session in Washington. We can safely leave the Daughters with their pseudo-parliamentary scrapings to themselves. Congress is still active with the railroad rate bills and amendments. Senator LaFollette is in the midst of a nine-hours discussion which will be completed next week. There was a disposition on the part of the senators to treat him with studied contempt. Many of them left the senate chamber when he began to speak. He is not as popular in this chamber as he is in his state and the country. Old senators look upon him as an upstart, but he knows how to paddle his own canoe, and no one has given the railroad question longer or closer study than has he.

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The era of pure food and denaturized light and fuel appears to be upon us. The Agricultural Department says that the average amount of sugar and starch which goes to waste in stalks of Indian corn annually would make one hundred gallons of commercial alcohol per acre. The number of acres in corn is about one hundred millions, hence the alcohol that goes to waste in corn stalks alone is almost beyond the grasp of our conception, but potatoes, beets and various other vegetables can also be turned into this new and exhaustless source of light, heat and motor power.

Locusts Due In Kentucky.

Washington, April 23. The seventeenth year locusts will soon be heard in the land. In an official bulletin Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, warns the country that this is the year for their appearance in several States, including Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana.

Secretary Wilson gives warning that the locusts may be expected during the last week in May. Although the locusts make a great deal of noise, the actual damage which they do is slight, Secretary Wilson says.

"As a matter of precaution, however," he adds "it might be well not to locate new orchards this spring in recently cleared ground or in proximity to woods."

GETTING READY FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Committee Appointed by Fiscal Court Purchases Road Grader for the County.

County Judge Blackburn and County Attorney Henderson, the committee appointed by the fiscal court for the purpose has purchased a road grader to be operated on the roads of the county.

This is evidently a step in the right direction as even the last winter demonstrated the awful need of road beds in certain parts of the county, a portion of the Marion and Salem road became practically impassable and had to be abandoned by the U. S. mail carrier as well as the traveling public. Such thoroughfares as the Marion and Shady Grove road should be graded from end to end as well as all other roads in the county as for that matter.

LUSTER DIES IN ASYLUM

Was A Complete Physical Wreck.

GUTHRIE WIFE MURDERER

Was Cumberland Telephone Manager When He Killed His Wife and Flew.

THE HORRIBLE STORY REVIEWED.

Percy J. Luster, the alleged murderer of his wife at Guthrie last July, died at the Western Asylum for the insane Wednesday afternoon. Death was due to exhaustion.

Luster, who while manager of the Cumberland Telephone branch at Guthrie, it is alleged, shot and killed his wife, and leaving her corpse in their home locked the door and fled to Ogden, Utah. His whereabouts were revealed to the police of Ogden by a woman of the town he met there, and his arrest followed on August 12. He was brought back at once and placed in jail at Elkton. An indictment for murder was returned at the fall term of the Todd circuit court, but the case was continued until spring.

An inquest into Luster's mental condition was procured by his attorneys March 29 last and he was adjudged of unsound mind. The testimony of all the witnesses was to the effect that they considered the man insane. Those witnesses who had known him before the alleged murder of his wife testified that he acted as an insane man before the deed was committed. The commonwealth introduced no proof.

Luster arrived at the asylum on the night of the 30th ult. He was unable to sit up and was brought there on a cot. He showed but little if any improvement either mentally or physically, since his arrival. His mother, whose home is in Birmingham, Ala., had been with him much of the time during his incarceration at Elkton and she accompanied him when he was brought to the asylum. She returned to Alabama the next day, but a few days ago she came back to see her son. She called on him at the institution and he at first did not appear to recognize her. When her identity finally dawned upon him, he told her that he had been informed that she was dead. Although Luster partook of nourishment at the asylum, he was never able to walk a step. The body was interred in the asylum cemetery Thursday.

Program.

The following is the program for the Alumni to be held at the School Auditorium Monday night, May 7, 1906:

Welcome Address—V. S. Key.

Response—Ecton McGraw.

TOASTS—V. G. Key, Toastmaster:

Our Hospitality—Chester Haynes:

Boundaries of Our Hospitality—East

by the rising sun, north by the north

pole, west by all creation, south by

the day of judgment.

Song—Where, O Where.

Toast—Our Alma Mater, Susie Rankin.

To her we drink, for her we pray;

Our voices silent never;

For her we'll fight, come what come may;

Our Alma Mater ever!

Song—Vivela, M. G. S.

Toast—The Nestlings, by a Nestling:

'Tis what we feel, but cannot define;

'Tis what we know, but cannot express.

Toast—The Girls We've Left Behind

Us, Hope Yates.

Song—Ah, Me, Conditione.

Toast—To Our Next Merry Meeting,

Eula Thurman.

Refreshments.

Organization of Permanent Alumnae Association.

Song.

Earthquake Felt at Earlinton.

Earlington, Ky., April 21. That the seismic disturbances which caused such awful damage at San Francisco were far reaching in their effect, while for the most part of insufficient magnitude to be noticeable, is the belief of parties at this point.

The St. Bernard Mining company was drilling a test bore to determine

the mineral character of the ground at various depths, and the drill had been driven to a depth of 1,300 feet. Suddenly on the morning of the San Francisco disaster, and making allowance for the difference in time, simultaneously with the earth's tremors at that point, the hole, although encased, caved in. No trouble had been experienced by the drillers before, and the damago was so great to the bore that the work of drilling to a depth of 3,000 feet, as originally intended, was abandoned, a total wreck resulting.

That "Wise Old City."

Montgomery, Ala., was delighted with the performance of the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette on February 16th, '97, and from the collection of testimonials from the most excellent of people we clip the following from that sterling gentleman and scholar, Rev. Dr. W. Dudley Powers, Rector of St. John's Chapel: "Your entertainment was very satisfactory to all who saw it, and has received warm compliments from all to whom I have spoken. I regard it as a refined, artistic and pleasant entertainment. To me your company gave exceptional pleasure, and I shall always be glad to give any word of commendation that may be of service to you." The best people are always the best pleased with the Schubert's. Your last chance to hear them here is at the Opera House on May 9.

Resolutions of Respect.

Liberty Lodge, No. 580 F. & A. M. Whereas, on December 30, 1905, it was the divine will and pleasure of the Supreme Architect of the Universe, to whom we must all bow in humble submission, to call from labor to refreshment our dearly beloved brother, Wm. L. Travis, and

Whereas, Liberty Lodge, No. 580 F. & A. M. was caused to give up, by sad death, a faithful member and a professed christian, whose loss is felt to the fullest extent by this Lodge and the bereaved widow and orphan children, therefore be it

Resolved, that as a token of the deep and heartfelt sympathy and a feeling of brotherly love, of Liberty Lodge, No. 580 F. & A. M. that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family and a copy be spread on our minute book.

W. O. WICKER,
F. M. MATTHEWS,
L. E. HARD,
Committee.

Coal Mine is Fortified.

At Zeigler, Ill., the coal mines are fortified and the miner-soldiers work and fight for their living alternately. The mines are inclosed within a stockade, not unlike a western army post, and armed with two rapid-fire machine guns, and an up-to-date searchlight. The men who are employed are mostly negroes, and are not permitted outside the fortification except with a pass, and never at night. A saloon is operated in connection with the company store, but all of the activities of living and work are carried on inside a high fence.

Stave Mill Moved.

T. C. Seaman & Sons have moved their stave mill from Fredonia to Tennessee. The mill has been located at Fredonia for the past two years, and the "pulling up" of same will be greatly regretted by the town of Fredonia as it furnished a great deal of employment to the working people of that place. John Seaman, who has had charge of the mill at Fredonia, will have the management in Tennessee. His headquarters will be at Painville.

A Successful Operation.

It will be gratifying to her friends to learn that Miss Edna Vincent, daughter of Mr. B. M. Vincent, of the Fredonia country, who underwent an operation for crossed eyes recently in Louisville, has entirely recovered and her eyes are now perfectly straight. Miss Vincent is quite popular here, being a granddaughter of Rev. Blackburn, of this city.

Farmers, Attention!

I am here representing the Spencer Davis Sickle Self-Sharpeners and desire to have an opportunity to put it before the farmers of the county. I have the long looked for sickle sharpener that every farmer has often felt the need. You must not fail to see it demonstrated. Jno. W. Wright, General Agent. 40-2mo.

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REBUILDING SAN FRANCISCO

Temporary Structures Are Appearing.

CITY TO COME FROM RUINS.

Conditions Much Improved and All Men Are Forced to Work at Point of Guns.

GRUESOME SCENE WITNESSED ON HILL.

San Francisco, April 24.—Many began the work of reconstruction to-day. Temporary structures have begun to rise among the ashes of the ruined city.

Although the rain entailed much discomfort last night, the conditions are much improved. It is estimated that more than 25,000 people have left the city the past 24 hours.

About 7,000 civilians under passes have entered San Francisco.

The city is a bee hive today and no place for drones. Troops will allow no idlers, forcing all men to work at the point of guns. Gangs of laborers are at work everywhere.

The street car companies say four lines are ready for use now. The electric companies announce they will soon be able to supply power.

The total amount of the relief fund collected to date is \$8,470,370.

Coroner William Walsh today estimated that the total number of dead will not be less than 1,000. His information, he says, is compiled from all the data he can obtain.

Coroner Walsh said: "Bodies that the deputy coroners have found and buried number 300."

Gruesome scenes were witnessed on Telegraph and Russian Hills and along the entire north beach front of the city this morning, when scores of half starved dogs were found eating human bodies. The animals were discovered gnawing and tearing at corpses half buried in the ruins.

The condition was immediately reported to the naval officers in command of the water front, and the blue jackets were detailed to kill all the dogs in the vicinity. All morning rifle reports were heard as the dogs were killed.

"Walking Nun" is Rooted Out.

Henderson, Ky., April 24.—Thursday of last week was the day set by the Democratic committee for the candidates to make good by putting up their entrance fee in the primary.

Hon. Munnell Wilson declined to qualify, and this leaves the field clear for Hon. A. O. Stanley.

Chairman R. B. Bradley has the committee to meet in Henderson next Saturday, when Mr. Stanley will be declared the Democratic nominee.

THE VEILED WOMAN SHOWS UP IN HARDIN

IS Arrested for Shooting Pistol at Boys--Believed to be Demented.

Elizabethtown, Ky., April 24.—A woman giving her name as Avis Anderly and her home as Ozark, Christian county, Mo., was arrested Friday by Deputy Sheriff Wag Hart on Cedar creek upon the charge of drawing a pistol upon some boys of that vicinity.

The woman, who always wears a veil, was brought to this city Friday morning and placed in the county jail to await her trial in the evening. The witnesses failing to appear at the appointed time, Judge Viers released the prisoner upon investigating the particulars of the case. She stated that the boys were persecuting her, and she acted in self defense.

The demeanor of the woman showed that she was demented.

This strange woman with a pack of seven dogs has been roaming over Hardin, LaRue and Nelson counties for

several weeks, creating quite a sensation in the counties. She possesses no money whatever and subsists upon the charity of the people.

Many theories have been advanced as to who the woman is and her object in prowling around aimlessly over the counties. Some entertain the idea that she is crazy, while others maintain the idea that she is a "moonshine" detective, as the United States revenue officers broke up a number of illicit distilleries around New Haven immediately after she left the vicinity.

Human Blood Marks.

A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well known merchant of Bac, Ky. He writes: Twenty years ago I had several hemorrhages of the lungs, and was near death when I began taking Dr. King New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well every since. It cures Hemorrhages Chronic Coughs, Settled Colds and Bronchitis, and is the only known cure for weak Lungs. Every bottle guaranteed by Haynes & Taylor, Druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

GRADY DISCUSSES KENTUCKY SCHOOLS

Thinks Schools in Crittenden County Are Not What they Should be--Duty of Superintendents.

In my last letter to the RECORD I stated that the public schools of Crittenden county are failures. Furthermore the state superintendent is largely responsible for this. I have made the last statement to some Kentucky boys here in college. Many of them do not agree with me. I may be wrong. I must be blind. These boys say the schools of Kentucky are in a flourishing condition. I hope they are.

In the state of Kentucky are not the farmers in the majority? what is the duty of a state superintendent? I am not interested in what the law says. Is it his only duty to sit in his office, write examination questions, make reports and occasionally write an article to some school journal? They have recommended certain laws that have aided the farmer and his school, so far as I am able to find out this is all.

In Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi the state superintendents have organized the schools in a way that farmers have been reached. Now I must admit that the public schools of Kentucky are really better than in some of our southern states. There is only one way to judge a public school system or a school. The only question that should confront you is, are the schools growing? I contend that the schools of many of the southern states are rapidly improving. This better condition is being accomplished by the state superintendents, assisted by the county superintendents. Let the state superintendent come to Marion. He will speak at night. He comes to assist Marion school and only Marion school. Why can he not speak during the day? Invite the farmers to hear him. No, he goes to Princeton, to Marion—he never has time to spend a few hours talking to farmers. The state superintendent of Maine will go to any country district where he can get an audience. Mr. Whitfield of Mississippi will do likewise. You say he has not the time. I notice where Mr. Cousins of Texas has been out into the rural districts. He has a territory much larger than Kentucky.

It is not altogether the preaching that he will do that will help. He goes among the people and they feel they have a fellow sympathizer—a friend. What do you need most of all? Friends, sympathy and some one to encourage you. We are all weak creatures.

Now, teacher friends, we have "ceased" the former enough. He is the fairest man in all the world. He does not ask for much.

I do not think our county superintendent is to blame for the condition of the schools of the county. I must say for Mr. Paris he is doing his best. I spent one hour in his office last January. I never spent an hour with any man I enjoyed more than this one. What a pity it is that he is not able to carry out the desires of his heart. He has but little help among his teachers and none from the state superintendent.

I am only a Crittenden county boy—interested in the schools of the county. Yours for happier fathoms and mothers, C. E. GRADY.

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cough for nearly three months. Tried everything. Thought it was going
into Consumption. My attention was drawn to Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum
Balsam and procured a bottle, and it cured as if by magic. I recommend
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A MINE HORROR IN COLORADO

TWENTY-TWO MINERS KNOWN
TO BE DEAD AND ONE
IS MISSING.

CAUSE: WINDY SHOT
IGNITED THE DUST

Forty Men Were at Work at the
Time, and Seventeen Escaped
Through Another Opening—An
Order For Twenty-Two Coffins—
The Mine Not Badly Damaged.

Trinidad, Col., April 23.—As the re-
sult of a dust explosion in a mine of
the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co., 40
miles west of Trinidad, shortly before
noon Sunday, 22 miners are known to
be dead and one other is missing, with
little hope of being found alive.

There were 40 men in the mine at
the time of the explosion. Seventeen
miners, who were working 3,700 feet
from the entrance, escaped uninjured
through another opening. The explosion
occurred in room 3 and 4, near
the main entrance, and was the result
of a windy shot which ignited the dust.

An order for 22 coffins has been re-
ceived by an undertaking establishment
here, that many bodies having been
taken out.

The mine was not badly damaged,
and work can be resumed in a couple of
days. The mine gave employment to
180 men.

Miners from adjacent camps are as-
sisting in the rescue work. General
Superintendent Robert O'Neil left here
on a special train, and is personally di-
recting the rescue work. Among the
dead is James Reed, the fire boss. Most
of the others are Italians and Japanese.

FATHER GAPON HANGED

Charged With Being a Traitor By
Revolutionists, They Summarily
Execute Him.

Manchester, Eng., April 23.—The
Guardian states that Father Gapon,
former leader of the St. Petersburg
workmen, was hanged by revolution-
ists April 10.

In giving particulars in regard to the
reported hanging of the former priest,
the Guardian adds that the dealing out
of summary punishment to Father
Gapon by the revolutionists resulted
from his attempts to induce a friend
to act as a spy upon the revolutionary
leaders. The proposals made by
Father Gapon were reported to the re-
volutionists, who determined upon his
death.

The friend to whom he made the
proposal invited the former priest to
his villa to talk the matter over, and
two revolutionists who had been con-
cealed in the house overheard the con-
versation. Father Gapon was told that
he would be exposed as a spy and he
replied: "I would deny it, and no one
would believe the charge."

At this the concealed men rushed
into the room, seized Father Gapon
and hanged him to the ceiling of the
sitting room.

PORTO RICO JUDGE QUILTS

Federal Judge McKenna Telegraphs
His Resignation to the
President.

San Juan, Porto Rico, April 23.—
Charles F. McKenna, of Pittsburgh, Pa.,
judge of the federal court of Porto Rico,
has cabled his resignation to President
Roosevelt. It is reported here that the
bar association is responsible for Judge
McKenna's sudden resignation.

Pope Sends a Donation.

Rome, April 23.—Pope Pius X has
sent a letter to Archbishop Farely, of
New York, requesting him to convey
the papal condolences over the San
Francisco disaster. The pope also en-
closed a donation for distribution
among the families of the unfortun-
ates.

The Springfield Lynchers.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 23.—Atty-
Gen. Kennish left Monday for Spring-
field to continue the investigations of
the lynching. Gov. Folk stated that he
is determined to have the investigation
continued until every member of the
mob is under indictment for murder.

Cliff House Safe.

San Francisco, April 23.—The Cliff
house and Sanro baths which, despite
early accounts to the contrary, es-
caped the ravages of earthquake and
fire, practically undamaged, have been
turned into barracks for the housing
of the homeless.

Chicago Will Have Priceo Day.

Chicago, April 23.—As a "San Fran-
cisco day," on which the big stores
will donate a percentage of their re-
ceipts, and a house-to-house canvass
for subscriptions by policemen, are
part of Chicago's relief plan for earth-
quake sufferers.

Stanford Student Takes Life.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 23.—George
Steele, a Stanford student, shot him-
self through the brain and died a few
hours later. He had been in ill health,
and brooded over the San Francisco
catastrophe.

Woman Burned to Death.

Chicago, April 23.—Miss Edith Fosch-
man, nurse at Mercy hospital, was
burned to death by the explosion of a
sterilizing compound. Miss Katherine,
another nurse, was severely injured.

Policeman Kills Man.

Mayfield, Ky., April 23.—Henry
Cooley was killed by Policeman Wil-
iam Thomas. Cooley tried to cut the
officer.

CAN'T STRAIGHTEN UP.

Kidney Trouble Causes Weak Backs and
a Multitude of Pains and Aches.

Col. R. S. Harrison, Deputy Marshal,
716 Common St., Lake Charles, La.,
says: "A kick from
a horse first weakened
my back and affected
my kidneys. I be-
came very bad, and
had to go about on
crutches. The doc-
tors told me I had a
case of chronic rheu-
matism, but I could
not believe them, and
finally began using
Doan's Kidney Pills for my kidneys.

First the kidney secretions came more
freely, then the pain left my back. I
went and got another box, and that
completed a cure. I have been well for
two years."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box.
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HIS KIND CAME IN BUNCHES

Then Hubby Was Sorry He Had
Taken Any Interest in
Dreams.

Some time ago, in New York city, a
man was awakened in the night to find
his wife weeping uncontrollably, relate
Harper's Magazine.

"My darling," he said, in distress,
"what is the matter?"

"A dream," she gasped. "I have had
such a horrible dream."

Her husband begged her to tell it to
him, in order that he might comfort her.
After long persuasion she was induced
to say this:

"I thought I was walking down Broad-
way, and I came to a warehouse, where
there was a large placard, 'Husbands for
Sale.' You could get beautiful ones for
\$1.50, and very nice ones for as low as
\$1.00."

The husband asked, innocently: "Did
you see any that looked like me?"

The wife became strangling. "Dozens
of them," gasped the wife, "done up in
bunches, like asparagus, and sold for ten
cents a bunch."

RUNNING SORES ON LIMBS.

Little Girl's Obstinate Case of Eczema
—Mother Says: "Cuticura Rem-
edies a Household Standby."

"Last year, after having my little girl
treated by a very prominent physician for
an obstinate case of eczema, I resorted to
the Cuticura Remedies, and was so well
pleased with the almost instantaneous
relief afforded that we discarded the phy-
sician's prescription and relied entirely on
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well, and there has been no recurrence
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by, living as we do twelve miles from a
doctor, and where it costs from twenty to
twenty-five dollars to come up on the
mountain. Mrs. Lizzie Vincent Thomas,
Fairmont, Walden's Ridge, Tenn., Oct.
13, 1905."

Didn't Work.
The Senior—So your old man has
struck.

The Sophomore—Yes; when I asked
him to dig up he said he guessed he'd
go out with the rest of the miners.—N.
Y. Sun.

Disagreeable Interruption.
Muggins—My wife says I'm one in a
thousand.
Buggins—Gee! What a hopeless minor-
ity.—Philadelphia Record.

People who have nothing worth while
to talk about usually manage to keep up
a lively conversation.

SAPIENT SAYINGS.

Nearly all great orators and authors
use words that are smaller than their
ideas.

True friendship may safely be tested
in the seething flames of time and
poverty.

It sometimes happens that a good
man's conscience doesn't prevent him
from accumulating money.

Billiards and matrimony are similar
in some degree—lots of kisses and
scratches in both games.

Better wear a gingham dress that is
paid for than a satin gown purchased
on the installment plan.

When a man fails in business his
wife tells the neighbors that he was
too honest to succeed, but what she
tells him in private is another story.

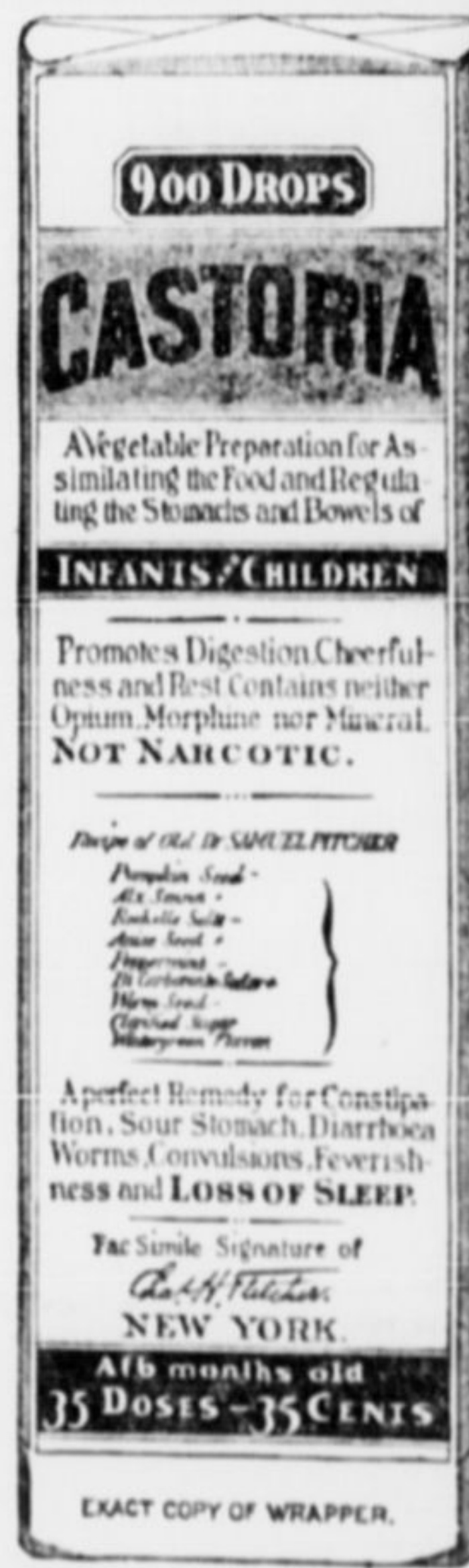
New Light on Scriptures.

A former bishop of the Episcopal
church of Indiana once preached to a
black congregation. At the conclu-
sion of the discourse, several of the
negroes crowded about the preacher
and praised his sermon, saying it was
the best they had ever heard. One
enthusiast exclaimed:

"Bishop, you tol' us things we nevah
knew befo'."

"Indeed," said the bishop, gratified
at the praise. "What was it I told you
that you never knew befo'?"

"'Bout Sodom an' Gomorrah. Why,
bishop, I always thought they was a
man an' his wife."—The Reader.



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and another spells that it is to recall. My heart fluttered and seemed to cease beating. I could not my left side at all. My hands felt swollen and so did my face. Reading about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in a newspaper I decided to try and they suited my case exactly.

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TALES ABOUT WRITERS.

late Henry Harland is said to have received \$70,000 from one of his poems, but his manner of working was not

Jusserand, the French ambassador to this country, is a voluminous writer, whose works abundantly show the thoroughness of the writer.

William Henry Drummond, the poet of the French-Canadians, has given up his medical practice and gone to copper mining in the dominion.

A volume by the well-known Italian singer, Signor Caruso, containing caricatures of members of the company as well as the staff is attracting much attention. The singer will give the profits of the sale of the book to the Italian Benevolent institute and its hospital.

Miss Perry, editor of the Atlantic Monthly, is appointed to a professorship in English literature in Harvard College, a chair which has remained vacant since 1866 and which before that time was occupied by George Parker, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow and James Russell Lowell.

The "poet's corner" in the cemetery of the Alexander Nevski cloister in St. Petersburg has been augmented by the grave of Myrrha Lichwitzkaya (Ylibert), one of the few Russian women who have attained eminence for their poetry.

She was the daughter of a prominent lawyer in St. Petersburg, where she was born in 1869. In 1896 her first volume of poems was issued; three other volumes followed. Her verse is characterized by oriental touches, and her favorite theme is love.

Hereditary.
"I know I'm losing my hair early in life," says the young man, passing his hand over his bare scalp; "but my father and grandfather became bald at 25."

"Ah," comments the pickle-nosed individual, who is always thinking up such things, "then you are the heir to their hairlessness." — Magazine of Fun.

A BUSY WOMAN
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An energetic young woman living just outside of New York, writes: "I am at present doing all the housework of a dairy farm, caring for 2 children, a vegetable and flower garden, a large number of fowls, besides managing an extensive exchange business through the mails and pursuing my regular avocation as a writer for several newspapers and magazines (deftly doing fancy work for the latter) and all the energy and ability to do this I owe to Grape-Nuts food."

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"To-day I am free from all the troubles I have enumerated. My digestion is simply perfect, I assimilate my food without the least distress, enjoy sweet, restful sleep, and have a buoyant feeling of pleasure in my varied duties. In fact, I am a new woman, entirely made over, and I repeat, I owe it all to Grape-Nuts and Postum Coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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PARABLE OF THE SOWER

Sunday School Lesson for April 29, 1906
Specially Prepared for This Paper.

LESSON TEXT.—Mark 4:1-20; Memory Verse, 20.
GOLDEN TEXT.—"The Seed is the Word of God."—Luke 8:11.

TIME.—Autumn A. D. 28, at close of Christ's second tour of Galilee, soon after events of our last lesson.

PLACE.—On shore of Lake of Galilee, probably near Capernaum.

SCRIPTURE REFERENCES.—Parable passages on parable, Matt. 13:1-23 and Luke 8:4-15. Word "parable" as used in Scripture, Ezek. 20:49; Num. 23:7; Psa. 78:2; Mark 13:28. Six occasions of the use of the word, "he that hath ears to hear," etc., as spoken by Christ, Matt. 11:15; 13:43; Mark 4:9; 4:23; 7:16 (Auth. Ver.); Luke 14:35. See also Rev. 2:7, 11, 17, 20; 3:6, 12, 22; 12:3. Compare also Matt. 13:12, 25, 29; Luke 11:33; 19:26. References to thorns, thistles, and briars, Isa. 26:13; Ezek. 28:24; Hos. 10:8; Psa. 118:12; Prov. 24:31; Eccl. 7:9; Jer. 4:3; 12:13; Matt. 7:16; 23:29; 2 Cor. 12:7.

Comment and Suggestive Thought.
V. 1. "Again . . . by the Sea." Jesus frequently taught by the Sea of Galilee. "Very great multitude." "Out of every city." (Luke). "Entered into a ship (boat) . . . sea." Seated himself, as a Jewish rabbi would have done, at the prow of the boat, nearest the shore.

V. 2. "Many things by parables." Matthew records seven parables spoken on this occasion, and Mark adds one more. All related to aspects of Christ's kingdom, or its growth.

V. 3. "Behold." An exclamation to attract attention; quite possibly, also, Jesus pointed to the adjoining hillside, where that of which he told was being enacted. "A sower . . . to sow." "His basket of seed slung under his left arm, with steady, measured pace, he marched up and down his portion of the open field, jerking his handful of corn before him at every step."—Tristram.

V. 4. "By the wayside." Upon the trodden pathway running through or by the side of the field. "The fowls came and devoured it." Great flocks of rock-pigeons and doves dwell in the hills and valleys surrounding the Sea of Galilee.

V. 5, 6. "Stony grounds." Places where a thin layer of earth covered an underlying slab of rock. This rock, becoming warm by the sun, causes the seeds which fall upon it to sprout quickly, but also prevents their roots from striking downward and finding sustenance in the soil.

V. 7. "Among thorns." Thorn-bearing plants, of which there are many varieties in Palestine. "Choked it." The thorns, being stronger, soon overtop the grain and rob it of the sun's light; their roots also rob the grain roots of moisture, and perhaps twine around and actually "choke" it.

V. 8. Read this rendering: "Thirtyfold . . . sixtyfold . . . an hundredfold." It is not uncommon that, from one grain of wheat sown upon the fertile soil of Palestine, heads bearing 30, 60 or even 100 grains are produced.

V. 9. "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear." Jesus' call to all His hearers, inviting them to pay earnest heed that they might understand and truly profit from what they had heard.

V. 10. "When alone . . . the twelve." When the crowd had dispersed after all the parables spoken on this occasion had been given, a little company truly desirous of understanding, gathered about Jesus, and asked Him to interpret them.

V. 11. "Unto you is given." Because you are sincere in heart and receptive in mind. "The mystery of the kingdom of God." The secret religious rites of the Greeks were called "mysteria." The Gospel of Christ is a mystery in that it can be clearly understood only by those whose hearts receive it.

V. 12. "Seeing . . . not perceiving," etc. A free quotation from Isa. 6:9, 10, better rendered in Matt. 13:13; where it is clearly shown that the failure to see is because of willfully shutting the eyes—that is, hardening the heart.

V. 14. "The sower sowed the word." Jesus knows that His hearers will from this understand that He, at the time of speaking, is the Sower. The seed is the "Word of God," the proclamation of God's love which He was continually teaching by gracious words and kindly deeds. The field, as a subsequent parable tells, is "the world."

V. 15. "They by the wayside." They whose hearts, like the wayside, have been hardened by being made "a common road for every evil influence."

V. 16. The second class of hearers "hear the Word, immediately receive it with gladness." Their emotions are stirred; they are pleased, exhilarated, made happy, and without any deep thought, decide hastily that they will be followers of Jesus. Prompt decision is not condemned, but the lack of sincerity and deep purpose.

V. 17. "Have no root in themselves." Their hearts do not really take hold of Jesus. They think themselves Christians, because, at the moment, that seems to be the most attractive life. "When tribulation or persecution ariseth." The rock-bed of selfishness lies under these emotions.

Practical Points.
V. 3. It becomes us to hearken attentively to every message of God.—Hab. 2:1.

V. 9. We are without excuse if the Gospel message which comes to our ears is not permitted to find lodgment in our hearts.—Rom. 1:20, 21.

V. 14. Jesus' representatives upon earth to-day are commissioned to sow the Word of God beside all waters.—John 17:18; Matt. 28:19.

V. 17.—Personal faith in the living Saviour is the root which does not wither in the furnace of affliction.—Job 13:15.

CAVE THE RIGHT ANSWER.

How the Late John Hay Displayed His Aptitude for the Law.

When the late Secretary Hay applied for admission to the bar at Illinois he was summoned to appear before a committee of prominent Chicago lawyers to be examined as to his qualifications, relates the American Spectator.

He went to the place appointed and found the committee assembled; but for a long time they took no notice of the young candidate, but continued to talk vigorously together on various subjects. At last one of the lawyers, turning to him, said:

"Mr. Hay, what would you do if a client should come to you with such a case as this?" and he proceeded to describe very elaborately a complicated legal case.

"I should ask for a retainer fee of \$50," promptly replied Mr. Hay, "and tell him to call to-morrow."

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MIDDLE LIFE

A Time When Women Are Susceptible to Many Dread Diseases—Intelligent Women Prepare for it. Two Relate their Experiences.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1906.

The wielder of the whitewash brush should get a move on himself or he will be run over by the fellow with the lawn mower.

Judging from the number of excellent "figures" one sees, one is led to the conclusion that the dressmakers have taken a course in upholstering.

The death list at San Francisco is smaller than was estimated, and the salvage will be larger than was supposed when the fire was raging.

Just as a place has appeared where the millionaire and the tramp bunk together and live on the same fare, a soldier steps in to compel everybody to work. Weary Waggle's dream of golden slippers at the Golden Gate is over.

A large portion of San Francisco is built on made ground, and numerous business blocks stand on land formerly covered by the waters of the bay. Much of the remainder of the city was built upon sand. The work of reconstruction requires a careful study of the foundations of the city.

It will not take as many years to rebuild new San Francisco as it did to make old Frisco. The conditions are different and the spirit of the times and the people also different. Ten years will see a new and greater Golden Gate metropolis upon the present site of the wrecked one.

Mr. Cleveland advises his Democratic brethren to honor the memory of Thomas Jefferson "by refusing to invent or borrow new nostrums or unfamiliar remedies for the cure of popular ailments—often demagogic and frequently purely hysterical." But Democrats with new theories couldn't get along without a flexible patron saint. They can blame anything on Jefferson without danger of drawing out a card of denial.

"As a matter of personal conviction, and without pretending to discuss the details or formulate the system, I feel that we shall ultimately have to consider the adoption of some scheme as that of a progressive tax on all fortunes beyond a certain amount, either given in life or bequeathed upon death to any individual—a tax so framed as to put it out of the power of the owner of one of these enormous fortunes to hand down more than a certain amount to any one individual; the tax, of course, to be imposed by the national and not the State government. Such taxation should, of course, be aimed merely at the inheritance or transmission in their entirety of those fortunes swollen beyond all healthy limits."—President Roosevelt in speech at Washington.

How the State is Gouged.

The Hon. James E. Cantrill, titular judge of the court of appeals, is now at Mississippi City drinking in the ozone from the gulf's soothing atmosphere and suasive waves. We wish him a long and happy rest, but duty to the commonwealth of Kentucky compels us to wish and also to call for a cessation of the farcical side of Cantrillism. The Hon. James E. Cantrill is receiving an enormous salary for duties he is unable to render the people of Kentucky. His physical unfitness is very little more pronounced, if at all, than his intellectual incapacity to sit on a bench of justice. Judge Cantrill has never been, since his election to the court of appeals, fit for the discharge of judicial duty. The business of the state and of the people has, accordingly, suffered. The state treasury suffered for one year by paying \$5,000 for what it cannot be fairly said it got from James E. Cantrill—the services of an appellate judge. It is now suffering by paying two big salaries, one to James E. Cantrill, enabling the latter to live in Mississippi City, or some other health resort, and another to Judge Carroll, under the title of commissioner, for what Judge Cantrill should be doing as judge in active duty. We favor fair dealing, even to Judge Cantrill, but fairness, like charity, begins at home. The overtaxed public is entitled to some, at least, of the consideration lavished on a man never down in his days of activity for excessive generosity to others.

With James E. Cantrill, the sick man, we sympathize; in the case of James E. Cantrill, the disqualified judge, we feel he ought to get justice, but no more.

Judge Cantrill should quit the bench he made quit it.—Louisville Herald.

Hot or cold bath at any hour of the day at our shop—25c. Experienced to rub down. Place is in front of office. METZ & SEBERRY.

E PLURIBUS UNUM.

(By Rustic.)

Many in one, our fathers said;
Many in one say we.
Of different creeds, of differing forms,
Love brings us unity.

Let Science scan earth's open page,
And suns and planets trace;
Let Art reveal the inner thought
In Nature's forms of Grace.

Let Faith attune the hidden strings
That Science may not sound,
And Future, Past, and Present bind
In one harmonious round.

From each, from all, may life outflow,
From each and all flow in.
It needs them all to swell the chords
Of life's triumphant hymn.

To the Editor of the Press.

The editor of the Press in this week's issue is still inclined to misrepresent me. What I said about my fine and not pleading guilty is true. It is useless to multiply words with the editor of the Press for it settles nothing whatever. Now, I may be mistaken in saying that the editor of the Press wrote the article published in this week's issue of the Press under the headlines "Who Has Misrepresented," in fact the dictation indicates that some one else wrote the article.

Yes, it is true that the good people of Crittenden county and adjoining counties have been very good to me since I began the publication of the Record and I appreciate it deeply, especially since the Press and its friends have endeavored to throw so many obstacles in the way of the Record's success.

The editor of the Press, or his legal advisor, who has been furnishing him with information as regards points of law, will find upon investigation that there are many criminal cases that have been settled even without a jury and in a court in which a plea of guilty was not entered.

Now, I wish to say to the editor of the Press that I do not wish to pass upon his and my reputation for truth and veracity but will leave that question with an honest public.

JAS. E. CHITTENDEN.

Is The Moon Inhabited.

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite; but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours; especially those who don't know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver, Kidney complaints, General Debility and Female weaknesses. Unequalled as a general Tonic and Appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Full guaranteed by Haynes & Taylor Druggist. Price only 50c.

Commissioner's Sale.

Crittenden Circuit Court, Kentucky. W. T. Oakley, Guardian, etc., Plff., against Chester V. Oakley, Deft., Equity.

By virtue of judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the March Term thereof, 1906, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 14 day of May, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit: A certain tract of land lying and being in the County of Crittenden and State of Kentucky, and bounded as follows: Beginning on a stone near two sink holes on the North side of Marion and Bellville road, thence South 18 East 202 poles to a flat rock, thence North 73 East 175 poles to a stone, thence North 161 poles to a black walnut, thence North 86 to 182 poles to a black oak, W. J. Hill's corner, thence South 18 poles to a stone, thence South 72 West 52 poles to the beginning, containing 241 acres, more or less, less 97 acres sold and conveyed to W. T. Oakley & wife.

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

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists. Price 75c a bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Probably the reason a bucket shop is called a bucket shop is that money flows like water.

Heart Weakness.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure has made many hearts well after they have been pronounced hopeless. It has completely cured thousands, and will almost invariably cure or benefit every case of heart disease.

Short breath, pain around heart, palpitation, fluttering, dizzy, fainting and smothering spells should not be neglected. Take Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and see how quick you will be relieved.

It cannot make a new heart, but will restore a sick one by strengthening the heart nerves and muscles, relieving the unnatural strain, and restoring its vitality.

"I had a very bad case of heart trouble. For six months I could not work. Last July I was plowing corn and feeling bad all day; in the afternoon in plowing one row I had to lay down, or fall down, three times. My heart throbbed as though it would burst through, and I had difficulty in getting my breath. I purchased a bottle of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and before I had used half of it I could lay down and sleep all night. Previously I had to get up from five to ten times a night. I have taken several bottles, and my heart is as regular as clock work. I feel like a new man, and can work considerably for an old man, 34½ years old."

H. D. McILL, Frost, Ohio.
Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails he will refund your money.
Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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Second tract adjoining the above described tract and bounded as follows: Beginning at an ash and sugar tree on the west bank of Dry Fork of Livingston creek to a white oak, thence up said creek with its meanders, the average course and distance of which is North 22 West 144 poles to a sycamore tree, an elm, ash and horn beam, Martin Wheeler's line, South 6 East 44 poles to a stone corner to Whitt, thence South 44 East 98 poles to a black gum, corner to Whitt, thence with Whitt's line North 45 East 29 poles to the beginning containing 26 acres, more or less.

Third tract on the waters of Clay Lick creek and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning on a white oak, thence a southwesterly course 40 poles to a sugar tree, thence North 25 West 71½ poles to a spanish oak, thence North 37 West 110 poles to a post oak, thence North 72 East 48 poles to a white oak, thence South 24 East 20½ poles to two white oaks, thence North 12 East 20 poles to a black gum, thence South 65 East 35 poles to a hickory, thence with the meanders of a Spring branch a westerly course 12 poles to a stake, thence South 28 East 33 poles to a stake, thence westerly course 24 poles to a stake, thence South 28 East 19 poles to an elm, thence 91 poles to the beginning containing 80 acres, more or less.

Fourth tract. Described as follows: Situated in Crittenden County, on the waters of Dry-fork of Livingston creek, and bounded as follows to-wit: Beginning at an ash north bank of Dry-fork creek; thence up said creek with the meanders to a sweet-gum corner to D. P. Campbell and A. Buckalew; thence with A. Buckalew to a poplar stump on bark of the branch in said line; thence up said branch to an elm in Dunning's old line; thence with same to an elm; thence to a white-oak bush corner made by Edward Hollomon to James King; thence about west 40 poles to a sugar tree; thence south 25 poles to a hickory; thence 21 poles dividing spring near church to a black-oak bush; thence south 32 poles to a stake in Dry-fork creek; thence east 64 poles to the beginning, containing about 30 acres be the same more or less. Being the same land conveyed to H. D. Myers by James King on the 13th day of February, 1895, recorded not.

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

GUARANTEED BY HAYNES & TAYLOR.

Simple Way to Cure Catarrh by Hyomei Without Stomach Dosing.

It is the height of folly to dose the stomach with internal medicines to cure nasal catarrh. It cannot be cured except the catarrhal germs that are present in the nose, throat and lungs have first been killed.

The soothing air of Hyomei heals the smarting and raw membrane of the air passages in the nose, throat and lungs, kills off the catarrhal germs and rids the system of the last trace of catarrh.

The complete Hyomei outfit consists of a hard rubber inhaler which can be carried in the purse or vest-pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei, and costs only one dollar, while extra bottles can be obtained for 50 cents.

Haynes & Taylor positively guarantee a cure when Hyomei is used in accordance with the simple directions on the package, or Haynes & Taylor will refund the money. This certainly shows their faith and belief in the virtues of Hyomei.

THE STRONGER SIDE.

THE popular belief is that the left side is weaker than the right, and, as in all popular belief, there is much truth in this.

In most cases, says the Grand Magazine, the right arm is decidedly stronger than the left, the bones are larger and the muscles more vigorous.

When we come to consider the lower limbs, however, we find a precisely opposite state of affairs; the left leg is stronger than the right in the great majority of cases. This want of symmetry is noticeable all through the body. Nine times out of ten we see better with one eye than with the other, and hear better with the left than with the right ear, or vice versa.

Not only so, an injury to the body—a burn or a cut, for instance—causes more pain on one side than it would were it inflicted on the other. Even diseases attack one side on their first onset in preference to the other. Eczema, varicose veins, sciatica and even tuberculosis begin, invariably, to manifest themselves on our weaker side. A blistering plaster, too, will provoke an eruption only if applied to the right side in certain individuals; in others, only if applied to the left side.

The simplest way, apparently, of discovering which is our weaker side is to observe which said we lie upon by preference when in bed, as it is certain that we will instinctively adopt the attitude which is most agreeable, or, rather, which causes the least inconvenience; in others words we will lie upon the side the muscles of which, being more vigorous, are less sensible to the pressure upon to the weight of the body.

Statistics and observation go to prove that it is about three cases out of four it is the left side which is the weaker, thus giving reason to the popular dictum. Curiously enough, however, pneumonia, it has been noticed, unlike most diseases, usually attacks at first the right—that is to say, the stronger side of the body.

Very Low Homeseekers' Rates.

Very low homeseekers' rates during September, October and November, 1905, to Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Saskatchewan, Assinobia and points in Idaho and British Columbia and points east of the Cascade Mountains in Washington and Oregon. Your chance to see the magnificent harvest now in progress and to select equally productive wild or improved and. The round trip for one fare plus \$2.

Fast passenger service. Luxurious standard and tourist sleeping cars. Write for maps and pamphlets to C. W. Mott, general emigration agent.

Regarding rates and train service write to C. P. O'Donnell, D. P. A., 42 Jackson Place, Indianapolis, Ind. A. M. CLELAND, General Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn.

Only through personal character comes permanent civilization.

Disease Worse Than Leprosy.

Washington, March 29.—Gangra, a tropical disease more repulsive than leprosy, has become so prevalent upon the island of Guam that Lieut. McNamee, U. S. N., the acting Governor of the island, has recommended the establishment of a hospital for the isolation of the disease which is believed to be highly contagious. Admiral Rixey, the Surgeon General Navy, has approved the recommendation and it is likely a \$5,000 hospital for cases of the new disease will be erected immediately near the leper hospital on the island.

Lieut. McNamee says the disease destroys the upper part of the face by slow ulceration and is worse, both to the victim and his companions, than leprosy. As 400 cases have already developed Lieut. McNamee says its isolation is imperative.

He can not control the output of his life who does not guard his inlets.

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WHY NOT?

Take advantage of the Evansville Merchants Association liberal Transportation offer this spring. Order your spring and summer trading in Evansville. We are active members of the association and will not only aid you in our lines, but materially and impartially assist you in other lines that you may wish to purchase. That is in an advisory way. At the same time it will give us pleasure at any time you may pay us a visit to show you Lines of Merchandise that talk for themselves. We neither misrepresent wearing sold or force a sale. If the tone and character of our spring High Art Suits does not appeal to your person and purse, as being the best made or sold, we shall certainly not use any other persuasion. The best that money will buy is only what we have to offer, at prices that are consistent with the production of the best. Being among America's Largest Manufacturers enables us to put the question of purchase and saving from the factory up to you, whether it is a Man or Boy's Suit, Hat, Cap, Shirt, Neckwear, Underwear or Shoes. Men's Suits \$10 to \$25, Hats \$1 to \$5, Shirts \$2 to \$4, Boys suits \$2 to \$10, Shoes \$2 to \$5, Neckwear \$1 to \$1.

We cheerfully pay your railway fare or boat fare according to the merchants Association rules governing the payment of the same.

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Largest Line of Furniture in This County
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Price, \$5.00



A wonderfully capable and accurate camera built on the Kodak plan. Good enough to satisfy experienced photographers, yet so simple that children can use it.

PICTURES 2¼ x 3¼ inches.
Loads in daylight with film Cartridges.

Fitted with meniscus lens, and shutter with iris diaphragm stops.

Full description in Kodak Catalog FREE at any photographic dealers or by mail.

EASTMAN KODAK CO.,

Rochester, N. Y.

A \$2.50 Gold Piece

Given away with every Fifth Suit sold at \$10.00 and up.

Saturday, April 28, 1906.

McCONNELL & STONE

Marion, Ky.

A \$2.50 Gold Piece

Given away with every Fifth Suit sold at \$10.00 and up

Saturday, April 28, 1906.

It's Human Nature

To get all you can for your money, and what you can for nothing. Saturday, the 23rd day of April, 1906, we are going to give away a few Two-Dollar-and-Fifty-Cent Gold Pieces. Looks good, don't it? It's a fact.

And Here's the Plan

We've got a lot of \$10.00 suits, and up, in fact too many, and naturally we want to sell them. So Saturday, the 23th, with every fifth suit at \$10.00 and up we are going to give the lucky purchaser a Two-Dollar-and-Fifty-Cent Gold Piece!

These suits are all wool and Hand tailored—all New snappy styles with our personal guarantee as to the value the fabrics are in both staid colors and HIGH ART NOVELTIES.



Come Saturday whether you want to buy a suit or not. See the winners, and you might find something you have been looking for.

McConnell & Stone,
Marion - - - - - Kentucky.

Don't come expecting this offer after Saturday, the 28th. There'll be nothing doing.

RECORDS.

Richard J. Morris, Dentist.

of Salem, was here Monday.

of soap for 25c at Hicklin Bros.

of Fredonia, was in day.

of Cerulean, attended this week.

Hicklin Bros. grocery and table set free.

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Corn, four cans for 25c at Hicklin Bros.

H. C. Cobb, of Kuttawa, attended conference.

Granite and tinware at very low prices—Fohs.

Hicklin Bros. will pay you cash or trade for your produce.

Don't forget to visit the 5c and 10c store for bargains—Fohs.

Mr. Hack, of Carmi, Ill., spent Sunday and Monday in the city.

Rev. Dixon, of Kuttawa, preached at the Union meeting Monday.

Miss Eva Clement, of Tola, was the guest of friends in town this week.

Misses Mary and Lucy Glenn, of Kuttawa, are guests of friends in town.

Mrs. Herbert G. Whitney left this week for her home at Water Valley, Miss.

Elder J. Shelby Rowe filled his regular appointment at Cave-in-Rock Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. E. Chittenden, who has been suffering with an attack of appendicitis, is improving.

Misses Ina Price and Mildred Haynes attended the commencement exercises at Sturgis last Friday night.

G. F. Jennings recently returned from a prospect trip to Oklahoma to where it is reported that he intends to remove.

Miss Nelke Champion closed her school at Dixon and is now with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. P. Taylor.

100 boys wanted 16 to 20 years old. Good wages. For further information inquire Evansville Glass Company, Evansville, Ind. 41-41.

Lost, a small gold cross. It is very much prized by the owner as it is an heirloom. Return to RECORD office and receive reward.

For Sale. Three or four desirable lots in best part of town, 50 x 150 feet. Prices \$250 to \$400. Terms reasonable. Apply at RECORD office.

Modern appliances and well trained hands at the barber shop in front of the postoffice. Temperature perfect and bath room ready at any hour in the day.

METZ & SEDBERRY.

We have in prospect another engagement of the celebrated Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartet Company of Chicago, and it is expected that they will be secured to give one of their delightful entertainments about May 9. This Company gives a program of the greatest variety, consisting of Lady Quartettes, Mandolin and Guitar Club, String, Violin and Vocal Solos, Amusing Readings. In the Schubert's we will get a musical entertainment that is enjoyable from first to last—not a long dull classical affair, but a bright, interesting program of music's choicest gems.

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L. E. Guess, of Tola, was in town this week.

Three bars of nice toilet soap for 10c at Hicklin Bros.

W. M. Riffin, of Madisonville, was in the city Sunday.

Full line of chinaware, queensware, etc. Hicklin Bros.

Mrs. T. Everett Butler is the guest of W. B. Butler's family.

Call at Hicklin Bros. store and get prices on fertilizers.

Mrs. Brelsford, of Mayfield, attended conference this week.

Call and see the nice line of glass and chinaware at the 5c and 10c store.

Rev. Petrie and wife, of Corydon, visited friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glenn, of Kuttawa, attended conference this week.

Bargains too numerous to mention at the 5c and 10c store. Call and see them—Fohs.

Hicklin Bros. & Wheeler will handle all kinds of commercial fertilizers. Call and see them.

Mr. B. M. Vincent, a prominent farmer and stock man of the Fredonia country, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Fannie Champion Crim was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. P. Taylor, this week.

Mrs. Sallie Flannery, of Princeton, was the guest of friends this week and attended conference while here.

Miss Rebecca Williams, of Providence, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gugenheim, at the New Marion.

Mrs. R. F. Derr left this week for Water Valley, Miss., where she will spend several weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Whitney.

For sale.—We will sell cheap for cash a scholarship in the Owensboro Business University. For full particulars call at this office.

Will open May the 10th 35 acres good pasture. Plenty of water, adjoining city limits, on Salem road.

D. F. Murphy.

Those delightful vocalists, the Schubert Lady Quartette of Chicago, will appear at the Opera House on May 9, under the auspices of the K. P. Lodge. Lovers of sweet singing should not miss this splendid entertainment.

Doctors are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth Melver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsillitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and LaGrippe. Guaranteed at Haynes & Taylor drug-store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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after each meal. If constipated, take a tablespoonful before going to bed.

Mrs. Sarah A. McCracken, of Carmi, Ohio, writes as follows: "While visiting in Taylorville, Ill., I came across your Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I have used two and one-half bottles, and it has done me more good than all the medicine I have used for two years. Please let me know if you will send me three or four bottles and what it will cost to send it to Corning, Perry County, Ohio, and oblige."

Your druggist sells this remedy if he is a good druggist. 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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If today you suffer from impaired digestion, sluggish liver or impure blood, and you were told of a preparation which would cure you at small cost, would you try the remedy? There is a medicine—Green's August Flower. Go to your druggist and buy a test bottle for 25 cents, or the regular size for 75 cents. If you have used all other dyspepsia remedies without satisfaction, or if you have never used any preparation for these distressing affections; if you have headache, biliousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, nervousness, or any disorder of the stomach or liver, cure yourself quickly by using the infallible August Flower. It is not an alcoholic stimulant, but quite harmless for general use. Get a copy of Green's Prize Almanac. For sale by Woods & Orme.

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The Senate in Session.

When a motion is made and carried in the United States senate that the senate "proceed to the consideration of executive business," the galleries are cleared, the doors are closed, and a secret session begins. "Executive business" is that in which the assent of the senate is necessary to the acts of the president, the chief executive, such as treaties and nominations to office. It has become customary, states Youth's Companion, to call a secret session of the senate an executive session. Oddly enough, all sorts of societies and committees have adopted the phrase, and now almost any meeting behind closed doors is incorrectly called an "executive session." The wisdom of attempting secrecy in certain deliberations of the senate is apparent. In discussing the fitness of the president's selections for office, many facts can be brought out in private conference which should not be spread on the records and sent broadcast over the country. Senators would not speak as freely as they ought if these were the conditions. Whatever "leaks" out is unofficial. But it is in the consideration of treaties that the secret session is most necessary. A president often has reasons for the adoption of a certain policy, which would be upset if all the world knew what these were. To this day the motives which were really behind the acquisition of Alaska remain somewhat in dispute. Even in the frankness characteristic of modern diplomacy, many nations might decline to continue a compact if they had heard all the advantages to the United States that might be claimed for it in secret session. During the civil war both houses adopted a rule under which, on the president's request, communications in regard to military movements or the conduct of the war could be discussed in secret session. All the sessions of the senate in the first congress were secret, as were those of the convention which drafted the federal constitution. Much of the important committee work of congress is still done behind closed doors. Everybody has secrets. The humblest family and the most powerful nation alike possess information the wide diffusion of which would occasionally be unwise, and more often unkind.

Money Stringency.

A. B. Hepburn, formerly comptroller of the United States currency, and now president of the Chase National bank, New York, discusses in the North American Review the "Cause of the Recent Money Stringency." Mr. Hepburn thinks that the stringency was caused by the fact that, while we have grown rich rapidly of late, the growth of business has required added capital (which is different from currency) in volume exceeding our increased wealth. Says Mr. Hepburn: "Statistics show that 90 per cent. of all the business consummated through banks is done by means of checks and drafts. This auxiliary currency possesses perfect elasticity, expands and contracts without let or hindrance, tax or supervision, and responds to the demands of trade completely and perfectly. It has certainly expanded to meet the demands of trade during the period under discussion. The only thing this auxiliary currency covers before is distrust, and it necessarily contracts when credit is curtailed. Optimism, and not distrust, has prevailed for several years past. Our currency, which at best does less than ten per cent. of the business of the country, is blamed for these abnormally high rates and congress is appealed to for legislative remedy. It is difficult to see how our currency (consummating less than ten per cent. of the business of the country) could be given sufficient elasticity to prevent a stringency in time of distrust or under conditions recently prevailing. With our currency larger in volume and per capita than ever before, with universal optimism prevailing and our bank credits phenomenal in amount, are we not forced to acquit our currency system and seek elsewhere for the cause of recent high money rates? The present is not the first occasion when our currency has been unjustly accused. The far west and southwest, surrounded by latent wealth, requiring only development to convert the same into actual tangible wealth, clamored for more currency, thinking that if the volume were increased it would somehow insure to their advantage. What they needed was more capital; what they thought they needed was more currency."

The proprietor of a newly furnished New York hotel has given an order to a publishing house for 200 Bibles, which will be placed in the rooms for the use of guests. "It will surprise most persons to know," he says, "that a great many requests come to us from commercial travelers for a copy of the Bible. They say they like to read a chapter before going to bed. Just why they do not carry the book with them I don't know, but it is a fact this supposedly godless class of men often call for the Bible."

THE SITUATION AT SAN FRANCISCO

SMALL PORTION OF THE RUINS YIELDS UP FIVE HUNDRED DEAD.

INSURANCE EXPERTS SAY THE LOSS IS \$300,000,000

Relief Work Is Going On Magnificently—Problem of Sanitation Being Met With Energy and Foresight—Contagious Diseases Isolated—Water Problem.

[Monday rain fell all day in San Francisco, causing much discomfort to refugees camped in the open air, many of whom are still without shelter. The rain has cooled the ruins and extinguished some of the fires.]

San Francisco, April 23.—Five hundred bodies had been recovered and buried or cremated up to 6 o'clock Monday morning. This dreadful total goes to prove that the estimate of the loss of life has not been exaggerated. Only a small part of the ruins have been explored. It is impossible to tell how many of the victims have been buried without permits from the coroners and board of health. Many bodies have been found by one or another of widely-separated searching parties, and have been interred without any ceremony or formality. Even an approximately accurate list of the deaths and casualties can not be made at the moment.

The entire area over which the flames raged was covered in an automobile Sunday. The circumference of this area, as measured by accurate cyclometer, was 26 miles. It comprises the entire business district, and a large part of the residential district, which was densely populated. The loss will aggregate \$200,000,000. This estimate was made, calmly and carefully, by competent insurance experts. On this vast amount of property the insurance companies carried \$175,000,000, approximately.

The relief work is being accomplished magnificently. The great problem of sanitation is being met with energy and foresight. Up to Monday morning no case of serious illness has been reported from the chief refugee camps.

Maj. Frank Kessling, in charge of Golden Gate park, the largest gathering of the homeless, reported to Gen. Funston: "I beg to advise you that not a case of serious sickness exists in this park. All rumors to the contrary are false and malicious. I will promptly advise you if there is any change, or if anything of a serious nature occurs."

Contagious Cases Isolated.

A few cases of smallpox, scarlet fever and measles have developed, however, elsewhere, and the medical corps has established a hospital for contagious diseases. Strenuous efforts are being made to prevent an epidemic of these diseases, as well as typhoid. The sufferers have been promptly and completely isolated, and the physicians believe there is no danger of an epidemic.

There is some sickness of lesser severity in some other camps. Since Thursday night the weather has been rather severe, a fresh wind blowing in from the ocean at night, and fog coming in the mornings. This has added to the danger even of those who have a plentiful supply of bedding, but no shelter overhead. Hundreds of volunteer doctors, dentists, nurses and helpers are, however, allaying the suffering.

The committee in charge reports that every homeless man, woman and child in San Francisco is being cared for, and that there is no suffering on the score of either food or drink within the city. Within a few hours an ample supply of milk will be assured.

The sanitation problem becomes increasingly difficult. Householders and campers have been ordered to remove garbage and refuse to the curb lines. The board of health has impressed wagon teams into service to cart away this debris. The supply of chloride of lime is nearly exhausted. The great question to be answered is how to get enough water into the city.

The Water Problem.

Experts of the Spring Valley Water Co., who have thoroughly examined the mains and reservoirs of the system, have reported that the company has in its reservoirs enough water to supply the city at the regular rate of 25,000,000 gallons per day for 600 days.

Already pipes have been repaired in certain sections, and a supply of 7,800,000 gallons per day is coming through Ocean View from Lake Merced. About 1,000,000 gallons of this is being consumed daily by Ocean View and the other towns along the pipe lines, but 6,800,000 gallons daily is reaching and will continue to reach the city.

Within a few hours another supply of 6,000,000 gallons per day will be poured into the city from College Hills. This will furnish water to the northern section of the city. Already water is being supplied to the Black Point and Pacific Heights districts, and with an additional supply of 4,000,000 gallons daily, which is assured from lines that will be repaired within a day or two, the city will within four days be receiving a daily supply of between 16,000,000 and 17,000,000 gallons, practically half the amount that was being furnished to the entire city prior to the earthquake.

Cars and steamers laden to their capacity with food and medical supplies are pouring into the city from every point along the coast and throughout the state.

Thousands of Chinese are camping in

open lots. Few, even of the richest merchants, saved anything of value. The subscriptions of money to date total nearly \$12,000,000.

Gov. Pardee is optimistic. Oakland, Cal., April 23.—Gov. Geo. C. Pardee gave the press the following interview:

"The situation is as good as can be expected, considering the greatness of the calamity that has befallen us. The nation and the world are taking great interest in our welfare and sending material and financial aid. Although I am considering the advisability of calling an extra session of the legislature, I do not see the especial need of it at the present time. What we need especially is medical stores, clothing and shelter for the refugees. Of course, food will be needed in considerable quantities for some time to come. An epidemic does not exist at present. It is not probable that there will be any necessity for ordering a quarantine. The work of rebuilding San Francisco has commenced, and I expect to see the great metropolis replaced on a much grander scale than ever before."

It may be added, incidentally, that five children were born Sunday night in Golden Gate park, making 18 births in this park. Eight babies were born in Buena Vista park.

A maternity hospital has been established at Emeryville.

General Notes.

San Francisco, April 23.—San Francisco is not now without passenger transportation. Cars are now running down Fillmore street, and appear to have plenty of power.

United States Marshal Shoup, of Alaska, who was in the Palace hotel at the time of the earthquake, is safe with hundreds in Piedmont park, Oakland. Although severely shaken by the earthquake, he escaped injury.

The federal troops under command of Gen. Funston, have already taken systematic charge of the principal part of the city intrusted to their care.

Maj. Benson, of the Fourteenth cavalry, is in command of the provost guard. Gen. Funston's headquarters are at Fort Mason. He has under his command 2,000 federal forces.

No Admission to Frisco.

Chicago, April 23.—The following telegram to E. O. McCormick, assistant traffic director of the Southern Pacific railway, from J. C. Stubbs, traffic director, who is in San Francisco, was received Monday: "Please ask the press generally to advise all people to not try to reach San Francisco. Outsiders not allowed to land there. They would only add to the congestion of the cities around the bay and it would be impossible for them to locate anyone. All the people are being well taken care of and there will be no trouble if the supplies are kept coming."

Refugees at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 23.—Hundreds of refugees, in various stages of privation and physical exhaustion, arrived in Los Angeles. The newcomers are expected to increase rapidly every day from this time on. It has been estimated by officials that this city will be able to care for 60,000 of the homeless woman and children of San Francisco. The railroad companies will gladly transport free of charge all the destitute who may wish to come south.

Los Banos Badly Wrecked.

Los Banos, Cal., April 23.—The earthquake destroyed the principal business portion of this town. The bank building, which contains bank, a store and many offices, collapsed in several places. Hotel Los Banos, a three-story brick structure, was partially demolished. The water tank at the Southern Pacific depot was totally destroyed, and the steel buildings and churches sustained heavy damage. The heaviest losers are Miller & Lux, C. P. Berthoff and A. Genelly. A conservative estimate places the total damage at \$150,000.

It Is Growing.

St. Louis, April 23.—The San Francisco relief fund in St. Louis approached \$150,000 Monday, and is growing.

President Says Chinese, Too.

Washington, April 23.—It is desired by President Roosevelt that the work of the Red Cross in alleviating the distress in San Francisco shall be done wholly without regard to the person and just as much for the Chinese as for any others.

In a letter to Secretary Taft Monday he made this point plain. The text of the letter follows:

"White House, Washington, April 23.—Secretary of War: Sir—According to the newspaper reports, the suffering and destitution are particularly great among the Chinese. I need hardly say that the Red Cross work must be done wholly without regard to persons and just as much for Chinese as for any others."

"Please write Dr. Devise at once to see that this is done. Will it not be well, also, to write to Gen. Funston to the same effect? I know nothing of the matter beyond what appears in the daily press."

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Request From Gen. Funston.

Washington, April 23.—The war department has received a telegram from Gen. Funston, requesting that all supplies be addressed to the Genet quarter-master, San Francisco, to be delivered at the Folsom street wharf.

Street Duel Costs Three Lives.

Durant, Miss., April 23.—Marshall R. B. Jenkins and B. M. Crow and E. N. Thornton fought on the street, and Thornton was killed and the two officers mortally wounded. Thornton had sworn to kill Jenkins because the latter had locked him up.

A Carnegie Offer.

Bloomington, Ill., April 23.—An announcement was made that Andrew Carnegie had agreed to give the Illinois Wesleyan university here \$30,000, providing that \$60,000 was raised by the trustees. The offer was accepted.

Kentucky Pick-Ups

DELEGATES NAMED.

Gov. Beckham Announces Appointments to Charities Conference.

Frankfort, Ky., April 21.—Gov. Beckham appointed as delegates to attend the national conference of charities and correction, to be held at Philadelphia, May 9-16 next, State prison commissioners, McCutcheon, Brown and Green; state board of control, Percy Haly, Milton Board and D. B. Redwine; Mrs. Dasha Breckinridge, Lexington; Miss Emma Bryson, Covington; E. F. Doak, Greendale; W. C. Nones, George Sehon, T. D. Osborne, Mrs. J. B. Castleman, John R. Pfanz, J. P. Hild, Mrs. Kate Yarnham, Mrs. Richard Turpin, C. M. Rivever, Mrs. Emma Gallagher, Charles A. Wilson, Peter Caldwell, B. B. Hinton and Ed Grannan, of Louisville.

COL. SWIGERT'S FAMILY.

Private Message Says They Are Safe—Lexington Extends Sympathy.

Lexington, April 20.—Mayor Thomas A. Combs sent a telegram to Mayor Schmitt, of San Francisco, extending the sympathy of the Lexington people and offering aid. The only private message to reach here came from Lieut. Hazard, of the regular army, who wired to Mrs. Daniel Swigert that the family of Col. Samuel Swigert were all safe. Dr. E. O. Young is in receipt of a telegram from the navy department in Washington stating that his brother, Commander Lucien Young, was safe. Failing to get word from his brother, Dr. Young wired the officials at Washington.

BOTH FATALLY BURNED.

Daughter's Cloth Ignited and Mother Goes To Rescuer.

Lexington, Ky., April 21.—Mrs. R. P. McPherson, and 17-year-old daughter, Mary, of Wolfe county, were burned almost to a crisp at their home and are dying. The girl was washing clothes, when her dress ignited. The mother rushed to her assistance, and her clothing ignited from the daughter's and before assistance reached them they were fatally burned.

Maysvillians in Frisco.

Maysville, Ky., April 21.—Thorpe Browning, son of Dr. A. G. Browning, of this city, and a brother of Clint Browning, of Cincinnati, has been living in San Francisco for several years. A letter was received from him two days prior to the destruction of the city. Two telegrams have been sent to him since and no reply has been received. At least a dozen Maysvillians were in San Francisco and none have been heard from.

Solons To Testify.

Louisville, Ky., April 20.—Senators Phelps, Charlton and McNutt and Representatives Drewry and Dr. W. W. Smith, of Louisville, were summoned to appear before the grand jury at Frankfort and testify in connection with the investigation of charges that bribery was resorted to at the recent session of the Kentucky legislature to influence votes against the passage of the rectifiers' bill.

Clark Must Serve Time.

Frankfort, Ky., April 21.—The court of appeals affirmed a judgment of the Campbell circuit court, sentencing J. H. Clark to prison for 10 years, on conviction of committing an assault upon a child under 12 years of age. The judgment appealed from was rendered upon the fourth trial of the case in the court below.

Haley Is Ranking Officer.

Frankfort, Ky., April 21.—In accepting the resignation of Adj. Gen. Haley, Gov. Beckham placed him upon the unassigned list of the Kentucky guard, with the rank of general. He was so placed under an act of the general assembly at the recent session, and is thus the ranking officer of the guard.

A Moonshiner Captured.

Glasgow, Ky., April 20.—J. C. Copas, a wealthy farmer and stock raiser who resides near Bonayr, was arrested charged with operating a moonshine distillery. A large still and all the necessary appliances were captured. Copas was released on bond.

New Adjutant General.

Frankfort, Ky., April 20.—Henry R. Lawrence, of Cadiz, was appointed adjutant general of the state to succeed Gen. Percy Haly, resigned. Lawrence is editor of the Cadiz Record. He was a page in the assembly of 1890, and came back as a member of the house in 1902.

Seeking His Sister.

Lexington, Ky., April 20.—Dr. W. O. Bullock left for San Francisco in search of his sister and her husband, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Cave, who reside in the stricken city. Every effort has been made by members of the family here to get into communication with them.

The Elks Proffer Aid.

Louisville, Ky., April 19.—Grand Exalted Ruler Brown, of the Order of Elks, sent a telegram to the grand officers in San Francisco extending condolences and asking if the grand lodge could be of assistance in relieving the distress of Brother Elks or others.

Pikaville Gets the Convention.

Palatka, Ky., April 20.—The congressional committee of the 16th district has picked Pikaville and August 1 for the district convention to nominate a democratic candidate for congress.

SANTA ROSA A SUFFERER

IN PROPORTION TO SIZE WORSE THAN FRISCO.

But the Indomitable Spirit of Her People Has Been Shown Throughout the Calamity.

Sacramento, Cal., April 23.—Santa Rosa, in proportion to its size, has suffered worse than San Francisco. Mr. Griggs, who is in the employ of Weinstein, Lubin & Co., has arrived from Santa Rosa, and declares that practically the entire town is in ruins. The list of the dead from Santa Rosa now numbers about 60, but many persons are missing, and still more are more or less seriously wounded.

As in the case of San Francisco, an admirable organization has the situation well in hand. Forty sailors from Mare Island, fully equipped with apparatus, are at work, while volunteer aid has been unstinted.

Santa Rosa has suffered terribly, but the indomitable spirit of her people has been shown throughout the catastrophe. Even so early as Friday an announcement was made that the public schools and the business college would open as usual on Monday morning. The buildings have been inspected and found to be safe.

LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Mrs. Christina Kicks, aged 62 years, committed suicide in St. Louis with carbolic acid.

Violent earthquake shocks were experienced at Fogliobello and Colle di Val d'Elsa, Italy.

The reception and banquet to Secretary Shaw, in St. Louis, set for April 26 and 27, have been cancelled.

After spending \$400 in litigation over injury to a \$30 cow, two citizens of Bolton, Tex., concluded it was time to settle.

Guatemalan and Mexican army officers will enter the next classes in cavalry and artillery instruction at Fort Riley, Kas.

The postal authorities are making arrangements to get mail to occupants of the concentration camps in and about San Francisco.

Despite reports to the contrary, the Shriners' fiesta week programme in Los Angeles, Cal., will be carried out as originally planned.

The escape of the United States mint in San Francisco from destruction by fire was due to a well in the basement and a hand fire-fighting apparatus, which was successfully used by the employees and soldiers in keeping the building safe.

A RELIEF CAR DESTROYED

Was Loaded With Tents For California Sufferers, But Burned En Route.

Tipton, Wyo., April 23.—An express car and contents of the government relief train from Schuykill arsenal were burned at Creston, Wyo., at 4 a. m. Monday. The efforts of two engine crews and section gangs failed to extinguish the flames. The fire was discovered soon after it began in the front end of the car. The engine played hot water on the fire without effect, and then the car was sidetracked and the section gang, consisting of Greeks and Japanese, with picks and crowbars, worked hard to break the doors, but the flames drove them away. The car was loaded with boxes containing tent canvas. The fire was caused by sparks under the roof. The amount of the loss is unknown.

Four Lives Lost in a Fire.

New York, April 23.—Four lives were lost, early Sunday morning, in a fire which swept away a stable and a row of three-story frame flat houses in West Second street, near Park Place, Coney Island, and nearly thirty families were rendered homeless.

Woman Falls Dead.

Alton, Ill., April 23.—Miss Kate Long, aged 69, dropped dead just as she stepped from a Big Four train, after a visit to a nephew in St. Louis.

Prayers For Statehood.

Guthrie, Okla., April 23.—The seventeenth birthday of Oklahoma was duly celebrated. Prayers were offered in all the churches for statehood.

A Swedish Pricing.

Stockholm, April 23.—A son was born, Sunday, to Princess Gustavus Adolphus (formerly Princess Margaret of Connaught).

THE MARKETS.

MONDAY, April 23.

Grain and Provisions.

St. Louis.—Flour—Patents, \$1.25; 40s, \$1.20; 30s, \$1.15; 20s, \$1.10; 10s, \$1.05; 5s, \$1.00; 2s, \$0.95; 1s, \$0.90; 1/2s, \$0.85; 1/4s, \$0.80; 1/8s, \$0.75; 1/16s, \$0.70; 1/32s, \$0.65; 1/64s, \$0.60; 1/128s, \$0.55; 1/256s, \$0.50; 1/512s, \$0.45; 1/1024s, \$0.40; 1/2048s, \$0.35; 1/4096s, \$0.30; 1/8192s, \$0.25; 1/16384s, \$0.20; 1/32768s, \$0.15; 1/65536s, \$0.10; 1/131072s, \$0.05; 1/262144s, \$0.025; 1/524288s, \$0.0125; 1/1048576s, \$0.00625; 1/2097152s, \$0.003125; 1/4194304s, \$0.0015625; 1/8388608s, \$0.00078125; 1/16777216s, \$0.000390625; 1/33554432s, \$0.0001953125; 1/67108864s, \$0.00009765625; 1/134217728s, \$0.000048828125; 1/268435456s, \$0.0000244140625; 1/536870912s, \$0.00001220703125; 1/1073741824s, \$0.000006103515625; 1/2147483648s, \$0.0000030517578125; 1/4294967296s, \$0.00000152587890625; 1/8589934592s, \$0.000000762939453125; 1/17179869184s, \$0.0000003814697265625; 1/34359738368s, \$0.00000019073486328125; 1/68719476736s, \$0.000000095367431640625; 1/137438953472s, \$0.0000000476837158203125; 1/274877906944s, \$0.00000002384185791015625; 1/549755813888s, \$0.000000011920928955078125; 1/1099511627776s, \$0.0000000059604644775390625; 1/2199023255552s, \$0.00000000298023223876953125; 1/4398046511104s, \$0.000000001490116119384765625; 1/8796093022208s, \$0.0000000007450580596923828125; 1/17592186044416s, \$0.00000000037252902984619140625; 1/35184372088832s, \$0.000000000186264514923095703125; 1/70368744177664s, \$0.0000000000931322574615478515625; 1/140737488355328s, \$0.00000000004656612873077392578125; 1/281474976710656s, \$0.000000000023283064365386962890625; 1/562949953421312s, \$0.0000000000116415321826934814453125; 1/1125899906842624s, \$0.00000000000582076609134674072265625; 1/2251799813685248s, \$0.000000000002910383045673370361328125; 1/4503599627370496s, \$0.0000000000014551915228366851806640625; 1/9007199254740992s, \$0.00000000000072759576141834259033203125; 1/18014398509481984s, \$0.000000000000363797880709171295166015625; 1/36028797018963968s, \$0.0000000000001818989403545856475830078125; 1/72057594037927936s, \$0.00000000000009094947017729282379150390625; 1/144115188075855872s, \$0.000000000000045474735088646411895751953125; 1/288230376151711744s, \$0.0000000000000227373675443232059478759765625; 1/576460752303423488s, \$0.00000000000001136868377216160297393798828125; 1/1152921504606846976s, \$0.000000000000005684341886080801486968994140625; 1/2305843009213693952s, \$0.0000000000000028421709430404007434844970703125; 1/4611686018427387904s, \$0.00000000000000142108547152020037174224853515625; 1/9223372036854775808s, \$0.000000000000000710542735760100185871124267578125; 1/18446744073709551616s, \$0.0000000000000003552713678800500929355621337890625; 1/36893488147419103232s, \$0.0000000000000001776356839400250464677810668953125; 1/73786976294838206464s, \$0.00000000000000008881784197001252323389053344765625; 1/147573952589676412928s, \$0.000000000000000044408920985006261616945266723828125; 1/295147905179352825856s, \$0.0000000000000000222044604925031308084726333619140625; 1/5902958103587056517056s, \$0.00000000000000001110223024625156540423631668095703125; 1/11805916207174113034112s, \$0.000000000000000005551115123125782702118158330478515625; 1/23611832414348226068224s, \$0.000000000000000002775557561562891350105929166523928125; 1/47223664828696452136448s, \$0.0000000000000000013877787807814456750529645832619640625; 1/94447329657392904272896s, \$0.00000000000000000069388939039072283752648229163098203125; 1/188894659314785808545792s, \$0.000000000000000000346944695195361418763241145815491015625; 1/3777893186295716170915

LOCAL NEWS

The Continued Story of Current Events

Dycusburg.

Cottage prayer meeting is still in vogue.

Mr. Henry Brasher, of Tylene, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Georgie Bennett visited Paducah recently.

Mrs. Mary Langston returned from Kuttawa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramage were in Kelsey Saturday.

Mrs. Myrtle Jackson, of near Kelsey, spent last week in town.

A number from here attended court at Smithland last week.

School is progressing nicely with Miss Maud Richards as teacher.

Sunday school "on the hill" is improving. There were 51 present Sunday.

Mr. Rollie Smith, of Tylene, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Ida Wells, one day last week.

Dr. Fred Bunton, of Kelsey, was in town last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brasher.

Mr. Edgie Gregory, Sr., has been in poor health for several weeks, but we hope that he will soon recover.

W. Charles spent several days here with his family recently. He is now in a meeting at Carmi, Ill.

Mrs. Whitson, of Logan county, is the guest of her daughters, Mrs. T. H. McReynolds, and Mrs. Chas. Gregory, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Moss, of Paducah, after visiting relatives in Kuttawa passed through town Sunday enroute to Pinksneyville, where they will visit their parents.

Call and see the nice line of china and glassware at the 5c and 10c store when in Marion.

Blooming Rose.

Health is very good around here.

Corn planting is the order of the day.

Enoch Belt went to Lola one day this week.

Prayer meeting here every Sunday night.

Henry Bettis is going to log some this week.

W. N. Pittillo had some nice logs hauled to the mill last week.

Pony Harris has moved his mill to the bridge on the Bettis place.

Uncle Robert Herral moved his musel boat from the bridge up to the mill Friday.

Bro. Johnson preached here Sunday night. A large crowd was present. He is the pastor of Pleasant Grove and is liked very much by the people.

Dallas Dixon and Charles Pittillo have purchased the exclusive right from Robert Herral to manufacture and sell the famous "whistling corks" so highly praised by all true lovers of the sport of fishing. They are now experimenting on small "perch canning."

Come in and look around in the 5c and 10c store when in Marion.

Iron Hill.

Esq. L. T. Hodges bought a fine horse last week.

The I. T. Club met at J. M. Walker's Saturday night.

Henry Brown was the guest of E. L. Horning Saturday night.

Sol Lamb, of Shady Grove, was in this vicinity Saturday night.

Mrs. Alice Terry, of Elkton, is visiting her father, E. L. Horning.

Miss Kate Horning and Aunt Sarah Mayes went to Blackford Saturday.

David Williams, of "Possum Hollow," was the guest of J. M. Walker Sunday.

Bob Kemp and family, of Marion, visited at J. N. Fox's Saturday night.

Jim Pickens and family were guests of Willie Deboe and family Saturday night.

Davis Horning, of Webster county, was the guest of E. L. Horning Saturday night.

Jim Horning and wife, of Webster county, visited at Aunt Nan Murray's Saturday night.

Mrs. E. C. Lemen, of Tribune, was the guest of John Butler's family Saturday and Sunday.

The farmers of this vicinity are busy breaking up corn ground, but very little corn has been planted yet. Pastures are fine.

Bargains too numerous to mention. Come and see them—ohs.

Carrsville.

Uncle Jim Stallions is very sick.

Bruce Campbell has returned home.

R. F. Babb was in Paducah Saturday.

Leonard Brewster visited Jesse Babb Saturday night.

Hawk Chittenden and J. J. Chittenden were here last week.

A. C. Babb, of Marion, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Uncle Bill May, of Hampton, passed through here Saturday.

F. M. Boyd and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shouse Sunday.

Ross Campbell and wife visited at Mr. Henry Hill's Saturday night.

J. O. Boyd and F. J. Faulkner, of Good Hope, were here Saturday.

Messrs. J. H. Rutter and Claud Wagner were in Paducah last week.

H. C. Warren and James Vick returned from Paducah last Tuesday.

Miss Beulah Baker, our bank clerk, went to Paducah last week on a visit.

Mr. Albert Likens and wife and Will Bridges and wife went to Tolu Sunday.

Mr. T. G. Threlkeld and daughter, Miss Hattie, were here Saturday shopping.

Aunt "Cat" Hudson, of the Slocum country, was buried at Hopewell last Saturday.

Mrs. Ragon Rutter, of Evansville, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hollomon.

The colored people had an entertainment at their school house near here Saturday night.

Luther Morgan, who has been attending school here, was called home on account of sickness of his father.

Claud E. Kidd returned from Louisville last week, where he has been attending medical lectures.

Pusey Gwartney, the photographer, went out to Mr. Jim Trimble's Sunday and did some shadow catching.

Ollie Foster, Jacob May, Charles Daniels, Will Anderson and others attended court at Smithland last week.

J. H. Rutter, of this place, and Mrs. Dixon, of Evansville, have gone to Hardin to visit Harry D. Rutter and family.

Warren Ferrell while moving his saw mill set fire to a barn belonging to Dr. J. N. Clemens. The barn is near the bridge that crosses Buck creek east of town. The fire was caused by sparks.

Don't forget to visit the 5c and 10c store when in Marion—Fohs.

Fredonia and Kelsey.

Prints 5c at Sam Howerton's.

Farmers are rushing to get their corn planted.

Richard and Robert Crow went to Marion last Sunday.

Bolin Robinson, of Frances, was in town most of last week.

Gilliam Wigginton, of Dogwood, attended church here last Sunday.

Rev. John Board, of Flatrock, attended church here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Horod were visiting in Crittenden last Sunday.

The most perfect millinery.

Messrs. Seaman and Johnson left for Cumberland mountains Monday.

The town was crowded with both drummers and customers last week.

Mrs. Robert H. Crow has been improving a little for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Maxwell attended church at Bethlehem last Sunday.

Laces, embroideries, band trimmings and medallions.

H. G. Turley, G. W. Glenn and son, Wilson, of Grider, were in town Saturday.

Miss Edna Cole, of Dogwood, attended services at the Baptist church last Sunday.

James W. Baker, of Crittenden, was visiting relatives in this county last Sunday.

Miss Nellie Guess, of Crider, was visiting her sister, Mrs. John Lowery, last week.

The new school law is the worst one ever gotten up since the discovery of America.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ashbridge, of Caldwell Spring, attended church here last Saturday.

Misses Grace Adamson and Ruth Dadds, of Crider, were visiting in town a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cooper, of Hopkinsville, were visiting in town the first of the week.

More kinds of lasts than ever in shoes and oxfords, \$1.00 to \$4.00.

Mrs. J. T. Alexander and children, of Madisonville, were visiting her sister, Mrs. John Lowery, last week.

The stove mill, that has been here two or three years was moved to Cumberland mountains last week.

Mrs. C. W. Jackson and her niece, Miss Cooper, have been very sick for several days and not improving much.

No trouble for us to sell you. Only ask for what you need and it will be sold thee.

Suits all kinds, all prices. Knee suits 75c to \$6.50, three piece suits \$2.00 to \$15.00, men's suits \$3.75 to \$15.00. Same as others get \$5.00 to \$18.00 for. Sam Howerton.

It pays to visit a bargain store, as you can get 25c pieces for 5c and 10c at the 5c and 10c store in Marion.

Creswell.

Jacob James is no better.

Bill Warren was here Sunday.

Fishing is the order of the day.

Tom Fralicks was at Creswell Saturday.

Ollie McConnell has returned from Kansas.

Born, to the wife of Will Bartley, a fine girl.

Ed Towry is attending school at Princeton.

Ed Deboe attended church at White Union Sunday.

Tom Cantrel has moved his saw mill near this place.

George Riggs went to Marion Saturday on business.

Dora Riley is improving after a severe spell of sickness.

Bro. Smith filled his regular appointment at White Union Sunday.

Hugh McConnell, son of Tom McConnell, died recently of appendicitis.

J. T. Brown has purchased a new sewing machine from Shram, Phelps.

Tom Perry and family, of near Rufus, visited Wall Perry and family Sunday.

Miss Ernie Brown and Dora McConnell have an up-to-date line of millinery at Creswell.

Sam Towery, of near here, happened to a very bad accident last Tuesday, while going to Marion with a load of tobacco. The team became frightened and ran down a long steep hill. Sam was thrown from the saddle horse, entangled in the wagon inflicting a very severe wound on his head and arm.

Don't forget to visit the 5c and 10c store when in Marion—Fohs.

Piney.

Health is very good.

Jim Titherington and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. Dr. Black, Sunday.

Rufe Little, of Marion, was here Monday.

Jim Nail, of Clay, was here buying stock Monday.

Willie Ford, manager for the Telephone Company at Clay, visited his father Sunday.

Mr. Davis, of Morganfield, was here Monday buying mules and horses.

Brent Horning, of Shady Grove, was here Saturday.

Remember that H. L. Lamb will pay you highest cash price for your wool.

Mattoon.

Mrs. Minnie Burton, who has been spending several days here, has returned to her home in Uniontown.

Mrs. Jane Moore and daughter, Miss Ethel, returned from Green's Chapel Thursday, where they attended the burial of Mr. Eli Swaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Field Crider, of Gladstone, were here Saturday shopping.

Bro. Love, of Shady Grove, passed through here Saturday enroute to Rose Bud.

Mr. E. L. Nunn, of Rodney, was in our vicinity Tuesday.

Misses Rossie and Lucy Morgan, of Blackford, spent Friday and Saturday here as guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Burton.

Efforts are being made to organize a prayer meeting in our neighborhood.

We learn that Hubert Burton of this place, who is attending school at Bowling Green, is progressing nicely and expects to complete his course by the 15th of June.

Miss Mary Thomas, of Pleasant Hill, spent last week with relatives here.

Rev. Tom Henry attended meeting at Rose Bud Sunday.

Messrs. Jim Holt and Ves Travis, of Blackford, were here Friday.

Mrs. Eliza Brown is in very delicate health.

Mrs. Mannie Nunn, of Applegate, visited Mrs. Will Howerton Sunday.

Mrs. Rich, who has been sick several months, is no better.

Charley Newcomb, of Rodney, was here Saturday visiting his sister, Mrs. Smith.

Will McChesney, of Repton, was here Monday.

Lincoln's Youth and Early Manhood



By
**WARD
HILL
LAMON,**

His Friend, Intimate and Bodyguard

Second Trip to New Orleans.

In March Hanks, Johnston and Lincoln went down the Sangamon in a canoe to Jamestown. Thence they walked to Springfield and found Mr. Offutt. He had contracted to have a boat ready at the mouth of Spring creek, but, not looking after it himself, was, of course, "disappointed." There was only one way out of the trouble—the three hands must build a boat. They went to the mouth of Spring creek, five miles north of Springfield, and there consumed two weeks cutting the timber from "congress land."

In the meantime Abe walked back to Jamestown by way of Springfield and brought down the canoe which they had left at the former place. The timber was hewed and scored and then rafted down to Sangamontown. They built a shanty and boarded themselves. Abe was elected cook and performed the duties of the office much to the satisfaction of the party. They managed to complete and launch the boat in about four weeks from the time of beginning.

Offutt was with the party at this point. He "was a Whig, and so was Abe, but he (Abe) could not hear Jackson, wrongfully abused, especially where a lie and malice did the abuse." Out of this difference arose some disputes, which served to enliven the camp, as well as to arouse Abe's ire and keep him in practice in the way of debate.

In those days Abe, as usual, is described as being "funny, joky, full of yarns, stories and rags," as being "long, tall and green," "frequently quoting poetry" and "reciting proselike orations." They had their own amusements. Abe extracted a good deal of fun out of the cooking; took his dram when asked to and played seven up at night, at which he made a good game.

A juggler gave an exhibition at Sangamontown in the upper room of Jacob Carman's house. Abe went to it, dressed in a suit of rough blue jeans. He had on shoes, but the trousers did not reach them by about twelve inches, and the naked skin, which had excited John Romine's laughter years ago in Indiana, was still exposed. Between the roundabout and the waist of the trousers there was another wide space uncovered; and, considering these defects, Mr. Lincoln's attire was thought to be somewhat inelegant even in those times. His hat, however, was a great improvement on coonskin and opossum. It was wooden, broad brimmed and low crowned. In this hat the "showman cooked eggs." While Abe was handling it up to him, after the man had long solicited a similar favor from the rest of the audience, he remarked, "Mister, the reason I didn't give you my hat before was out of respect to your eggs, not care for my hat."

Loaded with barrel pork, hogs and corn, the boat set out from Sangamontown as soon as finished. Mr. Offutt was on board to act as his own merchant, intending to pick up additions to his cargo along the banks of the two Illinois rivers, down which he was about to pass. On the 19th of April they arrived at New Salem, a little village destined to be the scene of the seven eventful years of Mr. Lincoln's life which immediately followed the conclusion of the present trip.

Abe's Inventiveness.

Just below New Salem the boat stuck for one night and the better part of a day on Rutledge's mill dam, one end of it hanging over the dam and the other sunk deep in the water behind. Here was a case for Abe's ingenuity, and he exercised it with effect.

Quantities of water were being taken in at the stern, the lading was sliding backward, and everything indicated that the rude craft was in momentary danger of breaking in two or sinking outright. But Abe suggested some unheard of expedient for keeping it in place while the cargo was shifted to a borrowed boat, and then, boring a hole in that part of the bottom extending over the dam, he rigged up an equally strange piece of machinery for lifting and holding it while the water ran out.

All New Salem was assembled on shore watching the progress of this singular experiment and with one voice affirm that Abe saved the boat, although nobody is able to tell us precisely how. The adventure turned Abe's thoughts to the class of difficulties one of which he had just surmounted, and the result of his reflections was "an improved method for lifting vessels over shoals." Offutt declared that when he got back from New Orleans he would build a steamboat for the navigation of the Sangamon and make Abe the captain; he would build it with runners for ice and rollers for shoals and dams, for, with "Abe in command, by thunder, she'd have to go."

Over the dam and in the deep pool beyond they reloaded and floated down to Blue Bank, a mile above the mouth of Salt creek, where Offutt bought some more hogs. But the hogs were

wild and refused to be driven. Abe again came to the rescue, and, by his advice, their eyes were sewed up with a needle and thread so that if the animals fought any more they should do it in the dark. Abe held their heads and John Hanks their tails, while Offutt did the surgery. They were then thrown into a cart, whence Abe took them one by one in his great arms and deposited them on board.

From this point they sped very rapidly down the Sangamon and the Illinois. Having constructed curious looking sails of plank "and sometimes cloth," they were a "sight to see" as they "rushed through Beardstown," where "the people came out and laughed at them." They swept by Alton and Cairo and other considerable places without trying up, but stopped at Memphis, Vicksburg and Natchez.

In due time they arrived at New Orleans. "There it was," says John Hanks, "we saw negroes chained, mistreated, whipped and scourged. Lincoln saw it, his heart bled, he said nothing much; was silent from feeling; was sad, looked bad, felt bad; was thoughtful and abstracted. I can say, knowing it, that it was on this trip that he formed his opinions of slavery. It runs its iron in him then and there—May, 1831. I have heard him say so often and often."

Some time in June the party took passage on a steamboat going up the river and remained together until they reached St. Louis, where Offutt left them, and Abe, Hanks and Johnston started on foot for the interior of Illinois. At Edwardsville, twenty-five miles out, Hanks took the road to Springfield and Abe and Johnston took that to Coles county, where Thomas Lincoln had moved since Abraham's departure from home.

(To be continued.)

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is no worse than the terrible case of Piles that afflicted me 10 years. Then I was advised to apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and less than a box permanently cured me, writes L. S. Napier, of Rugles, Ky. Heals all wounds, Burns and Sores like magic. 25c at Haynes & Taylor, druggists.

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