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## ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF THE STEMMING DISTRICT

### Association--Offer on 15,000,000 Pounds of Tobacco Discussed

### STRONGLY OPPOSE SELLING PART OF 1908 CROP--LEFT TO COMMITTEE.

### Judge Aaron Towery, Ex-Committeeman Presided over the Meeting.

Thursday, Dec. 10, at 1 o'clock p. m., the farmers of Crittenden county to the number of five hundred assembled at Marion to consider the tobacco situation and the offer made for 15,000,000 pounds of certain types. Judge Aaron Towery, ex-committeeman for this county, presided over the meeting.

The following resolutions were offered:

Resolved, first We wish to most heartily endorse the action of our County Chairman, W. B. Rankin, in referring to the members the questions involved in the pending tobacco deal, and had he not done so we think he would not have the best interests of the members in mind.

Resolved, second, That we have full confidence in our executive committee, and, believing that they, from the position they occupy, are better judges of the situation than we, we refer this matter back to them to decide as they think best, assuring them that they shall have the loyal support of the membership in Crittenden county.

Resolved, third, That the foregoing

resolutions be so amended that the executive committee may know the Crittenden county members of the Stemming District Association are strongly opposed to selling a part of the 1908 crop and leaving a part unsold--rather than that we say prize the whole crop.

Which amendment was carried unanimously. After which the resolutions as amended were unanimously passed.

It was obvious and apparent to all that had the executive committee advised standing to the price of eight cents, or, in case of no sale, pricing the crop, the members of Crittenden county had promptly and loyally followed the advice. Which affirmation suggests to this writer to record right here that the members of this Association are in possession of spirit and courage of ample sufficiency to cut a crop out in 1909 or for any year thereafter. Whoso shuts his eyes to that fact is not wise.

Crittenden county is conspicuously fortunate in the possession of many good speakers who are zealous advocates of farmers' co-operation

price will be good also.

"The present high prices for tobacco are abnormal and out of place in a way. Of course, the crop has been good and the manufacturers needed the tobacco, making competition keen and the prices good. I have been talking to several growers about the price of tobacco and they seemed to think that from 10 to 12 cents per pound would be about right and would give them a good profit on their investment.

"I don't know what to say about a pool for next year. In my judgment a pool will not be necessary for the 1909 crop. The large tobacco companies have come to an understanding with the growers through the Equity people and a better understanding exists between them. For that reason, I do not think a pool is necessary, but of course, that is up to those that grow the tobacco."

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NEW YEAR'S GREETING.

The ladies of the Chautauqua Club will hold their annual reception at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Gray on Friday, Jan. 1st, 1909, 2 to 6 and will be glad to welcome all friends

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### Notice.

I will on Thursday, Dec. 31st, 1908, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the court house door in the town of Marion, Crittenden county, Ky., rent to the highest bidder for the year 1909 the farm known as the Lewis Walker farm 3 miles southwest of Marion. Bond with approved security required parties desiring to rent, will go and look over the farm.

29 2t J. P. PIERCE, guardian.

## A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO EVERY SUBSCRIBER OF THE RECORD-PRESS

### And a Small Sum From Each of Them Will Make the Record-Press Hum With Joy and Thanks.

The RECORD-PRESS wishes every subscriber a Merry Christmas, it matters not whether he or she lives in the great old county of Crittenden or in some far off states and territories, or even in some of the colonies like the Philippines. The RECORD-PRESS goes into every state and territory in the union and into our colonial possessions across the waters as well.

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It is not a hardship on each subscriber for us to demand payment of arrears. It is the law and is only simple justice to subscriber and to publisher. Our rate is \$1.50 and has been since the consolidation of the RECORD and the PRESS, but for renewals for the year 1909 we will give our friends (who also pay up arrears) the \$1.00 rate from now until the Christmas Holidays.

## NIGHT RIDER TRIALS BEGUN. ASSOCIATION REPUDIATED.

Union City, Tenn.,--With both the prosecution and defense announcing ready for trial, the latter, however under protest. The concluding chapter of prosecution for the raids of the night riders band in the Reelfoot Lake region, was begun this afternoon. Until the trials are concluded but with slight intermission for the Christmas holiday may be had what promises to be the most vigorously contested legal battle ever before the courts of West Tennessee.

On the outcome will to a large extent depend what is to follow in the efforts of the state to stamp out the night rider clan of the lake. Today's court procedure resulted adversely to defense. While the court room was crowded to its capacity and the sympathies of those in attendance well divided the day passed without demonstration.

Immediately after the men were brought into the court the prosecution announced its willingness to proceed immediately with the issue by formally requesting the court, instead of the sheriff, "as is usual to select the jury venire."

On the part of the defense it was asked that the indictments returned at the October term, charging an offense of less serious nature, to be dismissed of, and that the sheriff be permitted to select the panel. Henderson Gleaner.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 14.--Repudiating the Planters' Protective Association and denouncing the officials of same as men working for high salaries, and not "for love of the farmers," a large number of Christian county tobacco planters at mass meeting at the court house Monday formed the "Farmers' Mutual Tobacco Association," which will operate a loose sales system in Hopkinsville, or, if the citizens here fear night riders, they will operate said sales either in Louisville or Paducah or at other accessible points. The planters of other counties are invited to join.

The planters of several counties adopted resolutions appealing for loose sales, which officials to the Protective Association refuse, however, to allow. This is the first open revolt.

The Planter's association has 25,000 members, and this year controlled over 90,000,000 pounds of tobacco. Henderson Gleaner.

On account of our Christmas Advertisers we will issue next week's paper one day earlier, on the 23rd, instead of the 24.

## W. O. W. HOLDS MEETING AND ELECT OFFICERS

### For Ensuing Year--Large and Enthusiastic Gathering

### JUDGE J. G. ROCHESTER ELECTED CONSUL COMMANDER.

### Has One Hundred and Sixty-two Members Most of Whom Were Present.

Monday evening, Dec. 14th, was a banner date in the history of Rosewood Camp, W. O. W. The annual election of officers being the drawing card which attracted the largest crowd ever seen at the camp, which has an enrollment of 162 members, most of whom were present when Consul Commander Clark called the house to order. After routine work was finished, the question of the right of the Camp to employ trained nurses, beyond limits of the by-laws was discussed pro and con, but the sentiment in the camp was plainly to observe the letter of the law and if the members individually wished to pay for such service to allow them to do so. Consul Commander W. H. Clark who so satisfactorily and worthily has served for six years declined to stand for re-election and as nominations were in order, John A. Moore in a nice little speech nominated J. G. Rochester and was quickly seconded by Thos. Woody. Dr. T. A. Frayser placed the name of John W. Wilson before the camp and Louis Horning placed H. D. Pollard in nomination. The vote stood Rochester 52 Wilson 31 Pollard 6. For Adviser Lieutenant John Wilborn was elected unanimously to fill the place next year he had filled part of the past year by

appointment. For clerk the best salaried position in the lodge, there were five candidates and spirited voting On first ballot Roy Gilbert received 7 Dave Moore 12, John Sedberry 14, Bob Wilborn 10, Sam Ramage 41. On second Ramage climbed to 46 and Moore to 18, while Gilbert dropped to 6 Wilborn to 8 and Sedberry to 4. For Banker there were only two nominations R. I. Nunam and J. R. Tolly, the former being elected by the handsome vote of 72 to 12.

For Escort there several nominations James Arlack being elected on third ballot by 36 votes against Pollard 23.

There was but one nomination for sentry Howard Henry being unanimously chosen and for Chaplain Rev. W. T. Oakley, was elected without opposition. For managers there were 7 nominations to fill two vacancies, Henry Wood Of Repton and F. B. Heath being elected over Ed McFee, John Sedberry, Albert Cannon, Chat Haynes and H. D. Pollard. There were four new members to be initiated and the ceremonies held the Camp in session long after midnight. The meeting was one long to be remembered and strikingly illustrated the growth and healthy condition of the Rosewood Camp.

## The Music Club And C. L. S. C. Entertained.

On last Saturday afternoon from four till six, Miss Florence Harris entertained the "Music Club" at the residence of Mrs. Houston Orme, on Wilson ave. Mrs. Orme also being a member of the Chautauqua, invited that Club to enjoy the feast of melody. Among those present were Mrs. Wood, of Princeton, and Mrs. Carr, of Central City.

The house darkened was appropriately decorated with miniature tannourines, and the Club colors festooned from the chandeliers.

Each guest came, representing in some way, a familiar song, and it was surprising how few could be made out. Another enjoyable contest of musical terms caused every one to apply her musical knowledge. Delicious refreshments, consisting of brick cream, cake and coffee were served.

The life and works of Gottschalk, the American composer, being the subject for that meeting, the following delightful program was rendered Biography--Mrs. Noggle.

Paper, Gottschalk's music--Mrs. Walker.

"Gos Criollos" duet,--Mrs. Jenkins and Miss Ina Prige.

Vocal Solo, "What pity is akin to"--Miss Nelle Love.

Instrumental Solo, "Pasquinade"

—Miss Sallie Woods.  
Instrumental Solo, "The dying Poet"  
—Mrs. Jenkins.  
Vocal Solo, "Message of the rose"  
—Mrs. Walker.  
Instrumental Solo, "The last hope"  
—Mrs. John Wilson.

## Tax Payers of Crittenden Co. Take Warning.

To all who have not settled their taxes for the year 1908, you will kindly take warning that this is my last notice to be given. If your taxes are not paid right away, I will be compelled to instruct my deputies to levy as they go. I have been as kind and lenient with all as I possibly can. I have given you repeated warnings, and now the time has come when I must close up the years business.

Hoping that you will take time by the forelock and come at once and settle your taxes, and save yourselves cost, and myself mortification.

Yours Respectfully,

28 2t J. F. FLANARY, Sheriff.

## Instantly Killed By Overturning of Wagon.

Bowling Green, Ky., Dec. 16.--Ben Moore, of Rockfield, was instantly killed yesterday near his home by a wagon loaded with wood turning over and falling on him.

## DEAL FOR TOBACCO STILL PENDING.

Bradley Wilson, of Madisonville, chairman of the county organization and of the special committee appointed to arrange the details concerning the consummation of the deal between the Planters' Protective Association and the Imperial Tobacco Company returned from Guthrie Wednesday, where he had been attending a meeting of the committee. The committee and General Manager Ewing were in conference with the representative of the tobacco company Tuesday, considering the offer made by the latter for the purchase of the 1908 crop pledged to the Association. The committee submitted their schedule of prices to the representatives of the tobacco company and informed them that they could only sell by grade and not in the loose leaf.

The bone of contention between the Planters' Protective Association and the Imperial Tobacco Company is whether the tobacco will be sold in the loose leaf or by grades. The Association are firm in their stand for the latter, and if the Imperial purchases any of the 1908 crop from this society they will probably have to accept it in the state that the Association contends for, the grades

being packed in light weight hogheads.

The committee will probably be called together again in a few days and they, in conjunction with General Manager Ewing, will in all probability consummate the deal. The farmers will have plenty of money for their Christmas purchases and it will be a big triumph for this Association. Madisonville Hustler.

## NO CLOUDS IN TOBACCO SKY OF BURLEY DISTRICT.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 15.--W. L. Petty, who was selected at the meeting of the Independent Tobacco Manufacturers at Cincinnati, to inspect the pooled tobacco of the Burley Tobacco Society bought by the Independents, returned to this city last night, and will begin his duties of inspection tomorrow. Mr. Petty said today:

"The tobacco situation never looked as bright as it does now. The pooled crops have been disposed of and the farmers have or will have money to pay their indebtedness and buy necessities and, in many cases luxuries. It is practically starting life over again, and you can bet they are going to make the most of it. Indications are for an extremely large crop for 1909, and I think the



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**THOUGHTS ON BUSINESS**  
BY  
WALDO PONDRAY WARREN

**WHERE TIME GOES**

OF the many ways of wasting time the one most often used without realizing it is that of taking an interest in non-essentials. Men in positions of authority sometimes feel pressed for time in which to accomplish the larger duties which devolve upon them, and yet if some proposition comes up that especially interests them they will take time to go into minute detail about it, not because the work needs that close attention, but because they enjoy it. This is especially true with men who have been promoted to positions of authority, and who have occasion to pass upon the work they used to attend to in person. Their past knowledge of the subject often makes it the more interesting to them, and they seem to feel that no one else can attend to it quite so well as themselves.

The business man who learns to distinguish between the things which require his attention in detail, and those which are merely interesting to him in their detail, but which do not really need so much of his personal attention, will find that he has a longer day in which to do what he needs to do. Almost every man likes to talk about what interests him, and that is where much valuable time is spent, and is one reason why many of us "never have time."

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TEXAN'S DREAM.**

Promoter Arrives at Abilene in Luxurious Private Car With Many Mysterious Plans.

100 ACRES OF TEA PLANTS.

Promoter Arrives at Abilene in Luxurious Private Car With Many Mysterious Plans.

Abilene, Texas, Nov. 29.—Visions of a stream of gold pouring into this part of Texas from British coffers, a dream of an empire directed by one man, where Utopian social experience would be carried out, with one hundred thousand acres set apart for tea culture and packing industries, faded today with the sudden departure of "Sir Thomas Lipton, Baronet of Aberdeen, England." His exit and subsequent investigations reveal that one of the boldest impersonators has been laying wires for the biggest swindle in the history of the state.

His plan, in brief, was to buy up all the western part of Texas and colonize it with English yeomanry. The deal involved \$3,000,000. "Sir Thomas" gave it out that he was backed in his plan by C. W. Post, a well known manufacturer of Battle Creek, Mich.

The entrance of "Sir Thomas," suave and with a rich Irish brogue, and his departure have mystified the prominent citizens of several counties. Incidentally a private car, chartered by the man, is on a Texas Pacific siding here, well stocked with champagne and choice steaks on ice, awaiting an occupant.

Now that the fact that this "Sir Thomas" is an impostor, is established, bankers, business men, railroad men and land speculators are wondering how the scheme was conceived and are computing the money paid out on his lavish promises of financial reward.

Saturday morning a tall, well dressed stranger, whose mustache fairly bristled with business, left his private car and registered at the Windsor hotel, and Abilene, which has outlived several boom experiences, rubbed its eyes and welcomed the stranger. "Sir Thomas" got along splendidly with all he met.

When leading citizens, interested in the news that they were entertaining a nobleman unawares, clamored for an introduction to him, "Sir Thomas" sent down word that he was not receiving visitors, but later he would see them and interest them in his plan of putting Abilene on an equal footing with Chicago in the matter of beef packing plants and other industries. Later he conferred with many business men singly. All refuse to tell their experiences with him to-day.

He left Abilene for Post City after his first day's stay here. At Post City he was more communicative, and announced without reserve his intention to go in with C. W. Post and purchase the whole of Garza county to include in his tract. He explained that he and Mr. Post were closely associated in business and both were members of a syndicate that was composed largely of British nobility. The money was to be spent in developing the country.

He talked glibly of the people he had met at Dallas, Fort Worth and other Texas cities and represented himself to be a friend of H. Clay Pierce, whom, he said, had entertained him on his steam yacht in New York and Boston two years ago.

Two business men became suspicious and went to Post City to investigate. When they reached the town they found that the supposed baronet stories did not tally, and after a conference with Post City bankers decided to return to Abilene and have a heart to heart talk with the prospective owner of all the western half of Texas.

When they reached Abilene "Sir Thomas" was gone, evidently having got wind of their plan. On a siding stood his private car, freshly stocked the day before for a trip of inspection across the state on which he had invited a number of business men to accompany him.

The visitor left overland for Dallas, presumably a few hours before the investigation committee returned from Post City. The policy of Dallas, Fort Worth and other cities have been asked to look for him.

**LETTER FROM  
H. R. STEMBRIDGE.**

Iron Hill, Ky., Aug. 28, 1908.

Editor Crittenden Press.

I have been asked by several of my friends to write of my trip to Tennessee, in which I had been absent 37 years. On the 28th of August I left my home to go to one of my sons, on the 29th to one of my daughters, Mrs. Hannah Belter, on Sunday, the 30th, to another one of my daughters, Mrs. Mary Murr. There I met all of my children but three. There we ate a lucious dinner, in which my children had prepared. Dinner being over, I made my way to Marion, then taking the train for Crider to another one of my daughters, the 31st to Princeton, then taking the train for Hopkinsville, then to Nashville, Tenn., September the 1st, there taking the stage for Smithville, DeKalb county. There I was met by my brother-in-law, John Van Hooser. Got to his house about midnight. September 3 I visited my niece that I had not seen in about 37 years. The 4th and 5th visited an old neighbor, who almost felt like a brother to me, then to one of my cousins. He is in his 89th year. He was so proud to see me. He is living at the same place that he selected when he first moved. He has made his own coffin; he called it a casket; he had everything in order about his place; his buildings are covered on the old style rafters, beamed and squared. He had something growing in his garden he called chufers, which he said would yield about 150 bushels to the acre, which was fine for hogs, then to one of my cousins, ate dinner, then to a Mister Allen's, a second cousin, then

visited some old Baptist and another second cousin by the name of Mulligan, then back to my niece again. On the 12th I was carried to Mackinville. There I saw one of my old schoolmates, Billy Nomaek. He was so proud to see me, and several of my old acquaintances. There I saw the fine monument in remembrance of John H. Savage, who had served three wars as colonel. On the 14th I visited my old home place. It had been changed so that it didn't look natural. From there I visited my Grandfather Mulligan's old place, in which I was partly raised, and I wandered over the place an hour before it seemed natural to me. The old house was gone, the apple trees all gone, the spring didn't look right, everything was in a different shape. From there I went to James Webb's, a cousin to my wife; stayed all night with him. One of my nephews came there and I did not know him. He stood around some time before he made himself known. From there to T. G. Porter's, another cousin, then back to my nephew's Billy Stembridge, then to Tom Stembridge's. Now the neighbors began to send for me to visit them and set the time for me to visit them. I was having a fine time, plenty to eat, and enjoying myself. Then on the 3rd Saturday in September I visited an old Baptist church that was organized in 1816, then on the 4th met with my old home church in the association. There were some able ministers at the association. There I met with many of my old acquaintances, in which we had many a handshake. On Monday there was a very sudden change in the weather. Now as my time had closed out I began thinking about home and I made my way back to John Van Hooser's and delivered up the animal that I had been riding. From there I made my way to Smithville. There I stayed two nights with the Webb brothers and one night with Judge Webb, one night with James Parish. On Tuesday morning, October the 6th, I mounted a road wagon for Water-town, twenty-two miles. There I found a friend that carried me in a buggy near Shape Springs to one of my second cousins, Henry Shorter. The next day he took me in his buggy to my grandfather's old home place, my Grandfather Stembridge, where I was born. The old house was covered the old way. It had been built about one hundred and fifty years, according to what the old people told. I saw lots of fine stock in Wilson county; then to Lebanon, where I saw acres of land covered with cedars, poles, telephone poles, and fence posts. They have a pencil factory that they work 250 hands making pencils. I mounted a road wagon, went out three miles to one of my cousins, Track Williams, that I had not seen in about 40 years.

October 13th I took the train for Nashville, found one of my nieces that I hadn't seen in 40 years. There I saw five generations myself, niece and her daughter and her daughter and her daughter and child. While in Nashville I went to the old Confederate soldiers' reunion. The old gray heads were lively when Dixey was played. They would be dancing and singing. At twelve o'clock dinner was prepared for everybody. This dinner was out eight miles at Glendale Park. Sunday, the 18th, my niece and I visited the Baptist church. Doctor Stevens is the pastor of the church. Having a very sick son at home my children wanted me. They telephoned to Nashville, but could not find me so I took the train for Dawson Springs, Ky. There I got the word that my son John had three doctors with him, and they wanted me at home. When I got home he did not know me, nor didn't for about ten days. He has recovered now and is getting along very well. I will say that I am proud of my trip to Tennessee. I have just touched on a little of the pleasure that I saw out there. Yours in love, to all my friends and family.

H. R. STEMBRIDGE.

Iron Hill, Ky.

LEAVING THE FARM.

(By R. R.)

It always kind of hurts me when I think of how boys on a farm are the chance of a tramp out. It is a case of work year in and year out and never rest. No wonder they pack their duds into a grain sack once in a while and leave home. The eternal monotony drives them to it. It is my earnest belief that a farmer does not know how to keep his boys at home.

Take the case of the prodigal son. He got tired of the farm and asked his father to give him his part of the truck, as he intended to pack up and skip out. His father did as he was requested. It was not long before the prodigal was journeying toward a town where he could spend his savings. He evidently got into a pretty swift town, as he lived like a plutocrat as long as his coin lasted. Of course something had to happen so he could tell a hard luck story. As soon as he went broke a famine set in and he had to carry the banner and go without his coffee and rolls. If there is anything on earth that will make a young farmer sad it is sleeping in a park, washing his face in the river and postponing his breakfast. It is then he recalls the good things he had at home; such as hot soda biscuits, sweet butter, ham gravy and coffee that his ma used to make.

The prodigal did not know what to do. He was a stranger in a strange land. He had neither trade nor profession. He was a farmer, plain and simple, broke and hungry. On his own recommendation he got a job of a citizen feeding hogs. The kind of work in those days was no means pleasant, besides it in a way stigmatized a fellow's raising. He soon grew tired of the job and could think of nothing but home and how nice it would be to get back. He felt he would be willing to do any old thing around home just for his board and clothing. He made up his mind he would act as one of the hired men and be willing to wait for the second table when his folks had company. If he could enjoy the blessings of home once more, he was willing to make any sacrifice just to be back by the old fire-side, where he could rest his feet on

the mantelpiece as he had done in other days.

He thought it all over and made up his mind to go home and tell his pa everything, and make him a promise to be a better boy if he would take him back. He would even get up and make the fires of a Sunday morning.

He announced to the ancient plobian that he could feed his own hogs, as he was going home and he wanted to get there in time to help out with the haying. He did not have a definite idea of the kind of a reception he would get when he reached home, but he had made up his mind to take chances and get away from that drove of hogs. When he was within a few hundred yards of his home his father saw him coming through the rye, and went out to meet him and give him a hearty welcome. The old man fell upon his neck and was exceedingly glad of his return. He told the servants to bring out the best all-wool robe on the place, put some patent leather shoes on his feet and a forty karat band ring on his hand.

Then he ordered a corn-fed yearling butchered and commanded a haste of the feast. After the banquet there was music and a social hop contributed much to the merriment and every one was glad. But when his elder brother came in from cutting shock corn he was so mad he would not eat any of the calf except steak.

The story of the prodigal son should be a lesson to every farmer. It is not human nature for a farmer's son to stay at home working day in and day out, plowing corn, building fences and clearing land without some amusement now and then to break the monotony. He years to skip the mazy glazy glide now and then. He wants a touch of high life. It is the same old story, eat, work, and sleep. Suppose a young man should walk up to his father and say, "See here, pa, I am a grown man now. I have worked hard for you for many years. I have been a faithful dog from start to finish. I have been a slave for you in all kinds of weather. I have sowed wood in the daytime and husked corn at night, and now I want you to get up a little party for me. Invite some of my friends and give me a swell time. What say you dad?" A swell time, eh? You are a pretty looking stripling to come to me with such nonsense. You go on, and finish cutting out that fence-row, or I will get a hickory club and tan your pocket for you.

When a boy gets that kind of an answer, he has to go out behind the ash-hopper or some place where he can be alone awhile until that fit of anger passes away. If he didn't do this he is liable to call his father an old hay-seed, and then there would be a family misunderstanding. A farmer should talk to his boys more, and use the pick-handle less. He should teach them ten cent limit and how to deal from the bottom so that when they go to town, if they should fall into a quiet game they would not be so easy to skin. He should have a home-made pool table in his wood shed for rainy days.

He should deliver a course of lectures so they could distinguish a buzzard from a jack rabbit. He should give them a theoretical knowledge of how to plow without sweating. He should teach them to play the piano and seven-up. He should teach him table etiquette. There is nothing quite so embarrassing as to see a farm boy feeding himself with a spoon, pie by means of a knife. Now all of this can be done with just a little trouble and the farmer can bring his boys out of the kinks and make them presentable to the town folks. Besides, they would have no desire to run away from home, as home would be made happy for them, and they would also be up to date.

I grew tired of the farm at one time, just because I did not think that I was properly entertained. I wanted to play prodigal son, so I could return home some day and have a reception. I was hungry for a change. I wanted music and song. I wanted to get into the mad whirl and go around a few times. I wanted to see an elephant walk a rope.

I wanted to see strange faces and forever get away from the song of the scythe on the grindstone. I was tired of the hoe, and was willing to go prodigally wrong just try it. Sells Brothers' show was coming and that was the day I had set apart for leaving. I gave a farewell glance at the mill-pond on a bench in front of the house. The dogs wanted to come, but I drove them back. The old well-sweep and the curling smoke from the chimney were the last things in view. A robin perched on the fence by the roadside and sang a few notes as I traveled on over the sand rocks toward the show grounds. The boys on the big top just wanted to see me. Their second sized legs had died and they had their little turned and wanted me to act them. You know the story. In one long week I saw wonders.

The next week I wanted thousands of crosses. As I neared my home I began to think of the prodigal son. My father did not bring out the best robe, but let me keep on the one I had. He invited me in to the peach orchard, he was very active that night. In fact, I never remember of having seen him so busy. Before he started in on me he said: "It seems me, my son, to be compelled to thrash you, for it hurts me more than it does you." I have thought since if that fellow had of hurt pa as much as it did me, he would have thought seriously of selling the Governor to call out the state militia.

Although this happened some ago, I am to this day more or less nervous when I walk through a peach orchard, or see a show of verted, whether it is coming to

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Says Mixture is Easily Prepared, And Cures Weak Kidneys And Bladder.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney disease, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe. Try it. Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and of overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription

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When you catch cold you want to get rid of it as quickly as you can.

You don't want to lie around the house for a week swallowing nauseating drugs. You know when you do this that you are not only making your own life miserable, but are a nuisance to everyone about you.

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The above celebrated Tenn. wagon will be given away on Jan. 1st, 1909, by OLIVE & WALKER. You will be given a chance with each ONE DOLLAR CASH PURCHASE at this store on Main street in front of the Court House.



# PLANTERS PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION ASSAILED IN SENSATIONAL SUIT

**Allegation Made That the Business of the Association is Being Managed to Great Loss of Members**

## OFFICERS CHARGED WITH WRONGFULLY DIVERTING THE ASSOCIATIONS' MONEY

**Negligence, Malfeasance and Fraud on Part of Officers and Others is Charged by Plaintiffs to the Suit**

**Receiver is Asked For That Associations' Business May be Settled and Confidence in body Restored.**

Continued from last week

These plaintiffs now state that the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association, of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," is a joint stock company, a co-partnership and co-operative association, and a nominal and quasi corporation, composed of a large number of persons, and more than 5,000 persons living and residing in the state of Kentucky and Tennessee, which organization is ostensibly organized and created under the laws of the state of Kentucky, and doing business in the states of Kentucky, Tennessee and many other states in the United States of America.

That the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," has an office and place of business, and is carrying on and conducting its business, that of selling tobacco, at the following named places in the state of Kentucky, viz: Murray, in the county of Calloway; Princeton, in Caldwell; Hopkinsville, in the county of Christian; La Center in the county of Ballard; Wickliffe, in the county of Fulton; Mayfield, in the county of Graves; Clinton, in the county of Hickman; Madisonville, in the county of Hopkins; Russellville, in the county of Logan; Kuttawa, in the county of Lyon; Guthrie, in the county of Todd; Paducah, in the county of McCracken; Cadiz, in the county of Trigg; Franklin in the county of Simpson, besides many other places in the state of Kentucky, also at the following named places in the state of Tennessee, viz: Clarksville, in the county of Montgomery; Martin, in the county of Weakley; Springfield in the county of Robertson; Ashland City, in the county of Cheatham; besides many other places in the state of Tennessee. These plaintiffs now state that the defendant, C. H. Fort, is the accredited nominal president of the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," and the defendant, E. T. Beaudurant is its vice-president, and the defendant F. G. Ewing, is its chairman of the board of directors and general manager, each and all of whom are non-residents of the state of Kentucky, and none of the chief officers or agents of the said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," live or reside in this state.

Plaintiffs now state the defendant, "The Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," was organized on or about the 24th day of September, 1904.

That the object and purpose of said organization was for the mutual protection, co-operation and preservation of the interest of all growers of tobacco in the state of Tennessee and Kentucky, who might desire to become members of said association, by pooling their several crops of tobacco, and by union and co-operation and joint concert of action, the one with the other, in order to ob-

tain a better or higher price for tobacco grown by each and such tobacco grower, and each and every tobacco grower who then became a member of said association or thereafter became a member thereof, was to be mutually interested in the business of said association, and own and have a joint in the interest in the business and affairs of said association, in general and in common with each and all other members of said association, and each tobacco grower was to receive the full and total sum of money which was or would be realized from the sale of his said tobacco when same was sold, less his proportionable part of the actual expense in conducting the business of said association, and in effecting the sales of said tobacco. That these plaintiffs and the 5,000 other persons for and on behalf of whom this action is instituted became and are members of this association, co-partnership, company and quasi corporation, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia."

That they have each, and each of the other 5,000 people for and on whose behalf and for whose benefit this action is instituted have for one or more years, placed their crops of tobacco in pool, with the other members of said association for the purpose of having same sold by the said defendant association for the best market price obtainable in the open market, and the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," is this McCracken county, Kentucky, during the years 1906, 1907 and 1908 made and entered into a contract with these plaintiffs together with many other tobacco growers in this McCracken county, Kentucky, that for and in consideration of the mutual benefit that would result to each of these plaintiffs and the other tobacco growers in McCracken county and elsewhere in the state of Kentucky and Tennessee, promised and agreed to deliver their respective crops of tobacco grown during the years 1906, 1907 and 1908 to the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," at Paducah in McCracken county, in the state of Kentucky, and to appoint said association as their agent to sell said crops of tobacco, and said defendant association promised and agreed to receive from the plaintiffs together with other large number of tobacco growers, at Paducah, Kentucky, their respective crops of tobacco, and to sell same for the best prices obtainable in the market.

That pursuant to said contract so entered into in this McCracken county, Kentucky, by and between these several plaintiffs and many

others, and the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," they and the many others who made and entered into a like contract with said defendant association in this McCracken county, Kentucky, for and on whose behalf and for whose use and benefit this action is prosecuted, did, at the special instance and request, and direction and orders of the defendant, said association, deliver to the defendant eastern District Warehouse company, which is a corporation, organized and created under the laws of the state of Kentucky, and to C. O. Brown and to Z. C. Graham and Charles E. Graham, who are and were partners doing business under the firm or partnership name of Z. C. Graham & Co., large quantities of tobacco, but the exact amount and quantity they can not state, but they charge the fact to be that some was and has been in excess of 20,000 hogheads, of an average weight exceeding 1,500 pounds per hoghead, but they say the said defendant do know the exact quantity, and these plaintiffs call upon the defendant to show the exact quantity received by it at Paducah, Kentucky for the years 1906, 1907 and 1908 from the various tobacco growers, members of the said association.

These plaintiffs now state that the other tobacco growers in large numbers made and entered into a like contract with the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," to deliver their respective crops of tobacco at the respective places where said association had and has an office and place of business in the state of Kentucky and Tennessee, above set out herein and said persons who were, and are members of said defendant association, did pursuant to their several contracts with said association deliver their said crops of tobacco during the years of 1906, 1907 and 1908 to the said defendant association, and to such other person or persons as was designated by said defendant association at the respective place and places according to said respective contract and at which place and places said defendant association by itself and its designated agents and employees did receive from such respective members said respective crops and said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," promised each said persons and members of said association to sell respective crops of tobacco for the best price obtainable in the market and to do so within a reasonable time after said tobacco was delivered to them, and received by them, that the contract between each of these plaintiffs and the said defendant association, was the same contract which the said defendant

**FOR SALE—Two Scholarships in Owensboro Business University.**  
S. M. JENKINS.

(Continued on page seven)

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Mr. Dorsey McClure, Carlisle, Ky., says: "Limberneck made its appearance in my flock of two hundred White Leghorns. I gave them Bourbon Poultry Cure, after chopping off the heads of six fowls that were unable to walk, and did not lose another fowl." Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

**Miss Nell Walker**  
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**Medicine That is Medicine.**  
"I have suffered a good deal with malaria and stomach complaints, but I have found a remedy that keeps me well, and that remedy is Electric Bitters: a medicine that is medicine for stomach and liver troubles, and for run down conditions," says W. C. Kiestler, of Halliday, Ark. Electric Bitters purify and enrich the blood, tone up the nerves, and impart vigor and energy to the weak. Your money will be refunded if it fails to help you. 50c at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor's drug stores.

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N. G. McDonald, Merchant, Avon, Ky., says: "I handled several stock foods and hog remedies, but my customers want Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy. An epidemic of hog cholera broke out in this locality and it cured every case in which it was used." Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

## How to Cure Your Piles

**Due Often To Carelessness or Neglect and Stubborn to Cure**

"The knife is not always necessary to cure even desperate cases of piles," says a physician whose years and experience make him an authority. "Indeed," he says further, "I have known some very aggravated cases of long standing cured by a simple home remedy that restored to the bowels easy natural daily movements." And the doctor is right, as many letters from cured people in various parts of the country prove. If sufferers from piles, rectal tumors and ulcers would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin they would often save themselves the terrible pain and danger and the heavy expense of a severe surgical operation. Piles are often due to constipation and are always aggravated by it. Easy natural movements of the bowels such as are invariably produced by this famous laxative without pain or gripe do much to restore a normal healthy condition to the bowels and thus cure piles. M. H. Miller, Mowbray, Ill., says: "I have been troubled all my life with piles brought on by constipation. I tried many doctors and numerous remedies, but found no relief until I used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I have used it as a laxative and stomach remedy for the past nine years and have no more troubles with piles." H. N. John, Minneapolis, Kan., says he suffered for four years with piles which were so bad that he could not work. Four bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cured him, and he says he has not been bothered since. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a safe sure restorer of constipation, restoring easy natural daily movements in the worst old chronic cases, yet so mild and pleasant to take mothers give it to their babies with splendid results. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Pepsin Syrup Co., 303 Caldwell Bldg., Minneapolis, Ill., will send a free sample to anyone who has not used it and will give it a fair trial.

**Stray Notice.**  
Taken up as a stray by S. M. Jenkins, whose residence is Marion, Crittenden county, Ky., on the 4th day of December, 1908. One red male calf about 6 or 8-months old with no marks or brands (muley), and same was appraised by J. A. Cray and J. M. Asbridge, housekeepers in said county, at \$6.00 Six Dollars. This the 4th day of December, 1908.  
W. A. BLACKBURN, P. J. C. C.

## The Markets

**LIVE STOCK.**  
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 15.—Cattle market steady and fairly active.

**Steers.**  
Good to choice export..... \$ 5.75 a 6.00  
Fair to good shipping..... 5.00 5.50  
Good to choice butchers..... 4.00 a 4.50  
Medium to good butchers..... 3.25 a 3.50  
Good to choice stockers..... 3.50 a 4.00  
Medium to good stockers..... 3.00 a 3.25  
Common to medium stockers..... 2.50 a 3.00

**Heifers.**  
Good to choice butchers..... 4.00 a 4.50  
Medium to good butchers..... 3.50 a 4.00  
Common to medium..... 2.50 a 3.25  
Good to choice stockers..... 3.00 a 3.50  
Common to medium stockers..... 2.00 a 2.50

**Bulls.**  
Good to choice butchers..... 2.25 a 3.75  
Medium to good butchers..... 3.25 a 3.40  
Fair to good bologna..... 3.00 a 3.35  
Common..... 2.25 a 2.75

**Cows.**  
Good to choice butchers..... 3.50 a 3.75  
Medium to good butchers..... 3.00 a 3.50  
Common to medium butchers..... 2.50 a 2.75  
Canners and cutters..... 1.50 a 2.50

**Milch Cows.**  
Good to choice milchers..... 40.00 a 45.00  
Medium to good milchers..... 30.00 a 37.50  
Common to plain milchers..... 15.00 a 25.00

**Calves.**  
Good to choice veals..... 6.00 a 6.50  
Medium to good..... 4.00 a 5.50  
Common..... 2.50 a 4.00

**Sheep and Lambs.**  
Good to choice fat sheep..... 4.00 a 4.50  
Fair to good mixed sheep..... 3.25 a 3.75  
Rough and scrawls..... 2.50 a 4.00  
Good to extra bucks..... 3.25 a 3.50  
Fair to good bucks..... 2.75 a 3.25  
Choice yearlings..... 4.25 a 4.50  
Fair to good yearlings..... 4.00 a 4.25  
Spring lambs..... 5.00 a 5.25

**Hogs.**  
Hog receipts very light; market 15c higher; prime heavies \$5.85; mixed 160 pounds and up \$5.90; lights, \$5.00 to \$5.10; pigs, 4.45 a 4.60; roughs \$5.25. Closed at steady.

## Learn Telegraphy.

We have advance calls for over 5,000 graduates to be furnished in the coming year. The next eight hour law, going into effect next March, has created a shortage of about 20,000 telegraphers on the railroads of the United States. Positions paying \$60 to \$90 per month to beginners absolutely guaranteed under a \$150 bond.

This Institute is the largest of its kind in America and is under the direct supervision of railway officials. Enter at any time. Write for full details.

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## Marked For Death.

Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave-yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Bac, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the word's healing record for coughs, colds, lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor's drug store.

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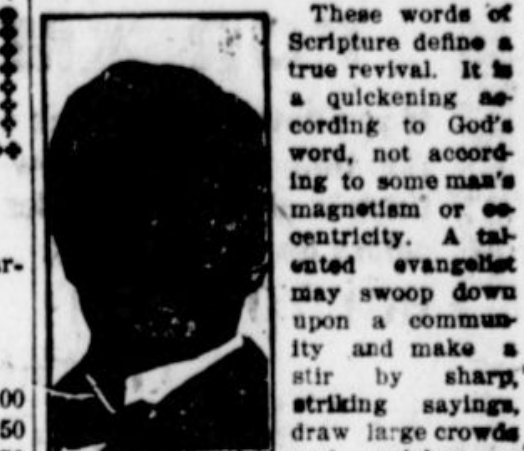
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## REVIVAL THAT COUNTS

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D.,  
Pastor of the Chicago Ave. (Moody's) Church, Chicago.

"My soul cleaveth unto the dust. QUICKEN THOU ME according to thy word."—Psalm 119:25.  
"I am afflicted very much. QUICKEN ME, O Lord, according to thy word."—Psalm 119:20.  
"Plead my cause and deliver me. QUICKEN ME according to thy word."—Psalm 119:154.



These words of Scripture define a true revival. It is a quickening according to God's word, not according to some man's magnetism or eccentricity. A talented evangelist may swoop down upon a community and make a stir by sharp, striking sayings, draw large crowds, and quicken a

kind of interest, but such a quickening may be according to the evangelist, not according to the word of God. Now, what we need is an increase of spiritual life along the line of biblical teaching.

**Why Such a Revival?**  
1. To Lift Out of the Dust. "My soul cleaveth unto the dust. QUICKEN THOU ME according to thy word." Dust is the symbol of earthiness as opposed to heavenly-mindedness. David's soul had an attraction for dust. Drooping or dead things hold dust. It will stick so easily to living objects, and the cure for this dust magnetism is a larger infusion of life. The sick eagle wallows in the dust. It has not strength of wing to rise and shake it off, but the eagle full of life soars above the dust and gasses into the sun. Christians who are to-day wallowing in the dust of worldliness need an infusion of strong healthy life that they may "mount up on wings as eagles."

2. To Sustain Us Under Life's Burdens. "I am afflicted very much; quicken me, O Lord, according to thy word." Dust mars and hinders life, but it is not heavy. There are Christians not covered with dust living consecrated lives, who have on them heavy burdens of responsibility, calamity or sorrow. Such as these need quickening that they may have strength to bear their burdens. David was afflicted very much, and this word "afflicted" has a wider range than bodily disease. But he does not pray for a lessening of the burden. What he wants is more life to carry what he has and to assume larger burdens. Burden-bearing develops a strong, healthy man, while it crushes the weak and sickly. We need more life under these burdens that they may develop rather than crush us.

3. To Break All Bonds That Enslave Us. "Plead my cause. Deliver me. QUICKEN THOU ME according to thy word." This reveals to us a condition of bondage. "Deliver me; set me free," and this freedom comes through a revival—a quickening according to God's word. Some of us are bound by habit; the habit of doing nothing good. It is difficult to tell which is worse—the habit of doing what is wrong or the habit of neglecting what is right. Oh, for the quickening that will deliver us from these do-nothing bonds! Others are bound by the fear of men. When the apostles were filled with the Spirit they spoke the word of God with boldness; they feared neither the face nor the sword of their enemies.

**How to Get It.**  
Pray for it. Every text is a prayer: "Quicken thou me according to thy word." It is a personal prayer. It is well to pray for the pastor, for the church, for all Christendom, for the world. But we must not fail to pray for ourselves. "Quicken Me." If you are quickened somebody else will be, and if the fire begins in your soul the flames will catch the combustible material about you. You need to strike the match that can burn up a city. The fact is, all quickening must be individual. The Lord does not quicken the crowd. The tongue of flame at Pentecost sat not upon the crowd, but "upon each of them." A revival that comes in answer to prayer is God-given, and the only kind worth having. A revival gotten up is soon put down. A revival produced by a series of mechanics, whether of song or invitation or eccentricity, will not last. It can be destroyed by an opposite course of mechanics. It is simply a battle of force, with which God has little to do. The revival we call the Reformation was born in prayer. Luther's habit was to pray three hours a day. The knees of Melancthon were found after his death to have been made callous by kneeling. Pentecost was preceded by ten days of supplication and prayer. Peter and John were in the spirit of prayer on their way into the temple, when the other great revival in which many were converted was commenced. After Christ had cast out the devil from the demoniac he said: "Such as this cometh forth only by prayer."

**When the Lights Go Out.**  
Mrs. Baker—Isn't it odd that, according to the newspaper accounts, most of the people who are very sick seem to die during the night?  
Mrs. Barker—The sick men my husband sits up with seem to drop off about 3 a. m.—Harper's Weekly.



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# SILVER DOLLARS FREE!

With each purchase of \$1.00 or paid on account, we give you a TIME CARD which has a specified time of day printed on it. No two of the same time, and we will distribute SILVER DOLLARS, as follows:--\$3.00 will be given away every Thursday at 3:00 p. m., commencing January 7, 1909 and closing March 25, 1909. The person holding the card with the nearest exact time the Clock Stops will be given \$3.00. Same card good for each unveiling of the clock.

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good."

We are over-stocked in Winter Suits Overcoats and Extra Pants. Now is your chance to get Extra Values in Clothing for we intend to close out all Winter Weight, in prices that will look mighty good to you. Don't wait until the best patterns are gone.

Full line of Shirts, Collars, Ties, Scarfs, Suspenders, Ladies and Gents Handkerchiefs, Belts, Hand Bags, Wide and Narrow Ruching

## MORE NEW HATS.

If you want the newest creation in "Hatdom" see our line. We have them.

Only a few Ladies Cloaks left, but they must be closed out. So, if you want a real bargain, come at once.

Carpets, Druggets, Rugs Blankets, and Curtains, Lace Curtains and Window Shades.

## OUR SHOES

Sell more shoes for us, for when you buy them once you get more service and Comfort than you do when you have bought elsewhere, and you come again, and usually bring some one with you.

This is why our shoe trade continues to grow.

## Quality Store

## TAYLOR & CANNAN



F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building

Mr. P. C. Lamb and wife were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Deboe, last Saturday and Sunday.

C. W. Taylor, of Tolu, was in town Monday enroute home from Evansville.

J. C. Lowery and John Lowery, of the Fredonia valley were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Elder are the happy parents of a fine baby girl which came to their home a few days ago.

FOR RENT.—A house on east Depot street with four rooms. Apply to Rush Stephenson, Marion, Ky., or W. R. Gibbs, Sheridan, Ky.

Mrs. Ward Carr and children, of Central City, are the guests of Mrs. R. F. Haynes this week.

Charles Long, of Oklahoma, who was a resident of this county 25 years ago, and who is related to many of our town and county people, is here on a visit, the first in more than 20 years.

Mrs. G. H. Hurley and children, of Carmi, Ill., arrived yesterday and will visit relatives here and at Princeton during the holidays.

Any man can shave himself with Porter's "Tuff Steel" razors with perfect ease for Jerry Porter's goods are the very best and have to be when he says so. 27 4t

Ray Flanary, who is attending Vanderbilt University at Nashville, is expected home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Flanary.

Miss Mary Deboe, who is completing her studies at Belmont college, in Nashville is expected home Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Senator and Mrs. W. J. Deboe.

Mrs. Mary Travis and daughter, Miss May, will arrive tomorrow to remain till after the holidays with relatives and friends. Miss May is attending the Nashville Conservatory of Music and will resume her studies after the new year.

FOR RENT.—A Five room house on orth Court street. Apply to Miss Martha Henry.

J. R. Ryan, Sr., and daughters, Misses Daisy and Nettie, of Salem valley, were the guests of Phillip Deboe and wife Monday and Tuesday.

Misses Ina Koon and Grace Yandell, of Caldwell Springs vicinity, are the guests of their uncle, T. J. Yandell, on Belville street.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building

Wm. Barnett, wife and daughters, Misses Katie and Esther, of Tolu, were in the city Monday, enroute to Evansville on a shopping trip.

Mrs. Trice Bennett, of Marietta, Okla., arrived Sunday to remain several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haynes. Mr. Bennett is expected here Christmas.

R. H. Haynes, of Marietta, Okla., arrived in town Sunday morning to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Haynes on Salem street.

LOST.—In Marion or on the Brown school house road, between my home and Marion, a gold stick pin, set with a Mexican opal. Leave at Record-Press office.—Emma Terry.

Herman Clark, son of Wm. M. Clark, who lives a few miles northwest of the city, is at home on a visit to his parents, after an absence of more than a year in Missouri. He will remain until after the holidays, perhaps till spring.

**ALL PAST DUE SUBSCRIPTIONS not settled with this office with in the next ten days will be turned over to our collectors. The publishers collecting association, we prefer for all to settle with us and save us costs and themselves embarrassment. THE CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS.**

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Riggins, of Madisonville, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Q. M. Conyer, at the Hotel Crittenden, and of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cardin, of View, this week.

A. H. Cardig, of View, has located in Indiana and will, we are informed, institute proceedings against the parties whom, he alleges burned his tobacco factory last February.

Mrs. James B. Wood and daughter, Lucile, of Princeton, visited their aunt, Mrs. Mary A. Jenkins, Saturday and Sunday, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jenkins.

New Columbia globes now on sale. The only good ones.

MARION ELECTRIC LIGHT & ICE CO.

T. J. Davidson, of Corydon, one of Corydon and Henderson county's most popular "knights of the grip," was in the city Monday afternoon on his way up the "Henderson route. Mr. Davidson was wearing a broad and deep smile, on account of a fine little boy at his home.—Henderson Gleaner.

William Fowler and Silas Guess went on a fishing trip to Barnett's lake Tuesday, bringing back a large number of fine fish, which they shared generously with their neighbors.

Cleaning and pressing up stairs, over our store.

Shaw, Davis & Co.

H. B. Tudor and his brother, of Morganfield, were in the city Monday on business enroute with the Tudor farm on Tradewater

Rev. Knight, of Morganfield, who is assisting Rev. Miller in the meeting at the Baptist church, is attracting good audiences and great interest is being taken. There have been several conversions and additions to the church.

Misses Annie Dean, Jessie Croft, Verna Pickens and Gwendolene Haynes are expected home from SaRe Institute at Lexington, to spend the holidays. They will arrive Saturday and remain about two weeks.

Harry Hamilton, who was hurt on the farm of C. W. Taylor, near Tolu, by having a gymson burr stuck in one of his eyes, causing the loss of the sight of that eye, was taken to St. Mary's hospital at Evansville last week, where an operation was performed. The eyeball was removed and he is thought to be out of danger and safe from losing his other eye, which had become sympathetically affected.

## Octogenarian Hurt by Falling.

Mrs. Isabell Flanary, the venerable mother of R. L. Flanary, was seriously hurt Wednesday by a fall which broke her hip and crushed several small bones. She lives with her son and was moving a chair across the room when attacked with vertigo, causing the fall.

Mrs. Flanary is 83 years old and her friends fear she will be confined to her bed for some time, if not permanently crippled. She is suffering considerable pain from the hurt, but has rallied from the shock and is improving.

## A Double Wedding.

Mr. G. H. Manly and Miss Ruby Gass, and Mr. Leonard Hurst and Miss Lura Kemp, all of the Iron Hill section, came to Marion Wednesday morning and were united in marriage in the parlors of the Baptist church by Rev. R. A. LaRue, pastor of Shady Grove church, to which these young people belong.

The ceremony was performed at 10 o'clock in the presence of a large number of friends, who congratulated them on the happy occasion.

## REV. A. J. THOMPSON CALLED

to The Pastorate of The Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., in This City.

The Rev. A. J. Thompson, of Kuttawa, the much beloved pastor of the Chapel Hill church for the past 25 years, has been called to the

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pastorate of the Presbyterian church, U. S. A., in this city, corner Main and Depot streets.

He will preach next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:00. This announcement please the many friends of Rev. Thompson here, where he is well known and popular, and we predict for him great success in the management of this church.

## Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

J. W. Hughes, et al, Plff. } Against  
J. L. Hughes, et al, Dft. } Equity.

By virtue of a judgement and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term thereof, 1908, 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 11th day of Jan. 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit:

A certain tract of land in Crittenden county, Ky., patented to Joseph Hughes, assignee of John Hogard by Patent No. 14270, issued on the 28th day of June 1830, being on the waters of Tradewater river, and is bounded as follows:

Beginning at a gum and dogwood, corner to Ira Nunn, running with his line, N 35 W 56 poles to a gum and black oak; another corner to said Nunn; thence N 60 E, 16 poles to a post oak; thence N 20 W, 28 poles to four post oaks; thence S 70 W, 8 poles to a post oak in V. B. Simpson's line; thence with it, S 45 W, 60 poles to two white oaks; thence S 26 E, 83 poles to a stake; thence N 70 E, 182 poles to a stake; thence N 25 poles to a hickory, corner to the afore mentioned Ira Nunn; thence with his line S 70 W, to the beginning, containing 50 acres more or less.

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 judgement. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. G. ROCHESTER, Commissioner.

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## LEVIAS.

Farmers are plowing.

A fine boy arrived at Reuben Wheeler's last week.

Kay Farmer has moved to Mrs.

Cleaning and pressing up stairs, over our store.

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Gilles' place and will make a crop next year.

Wesley Minner, of Sikeston, Mo., visited relatives and friends here last week.

John Mizell and daughter, Miss Rena, of Hampton, visited relatives here while enroute to Marion this week.

A merry Christmas and a happy New Year to all the readers of the Record Press.

Ernest Taylor is visiting relatives in south-east Missouri and seeing that fine country.

Elder T. C. Carter has been called to the pastoral care of Union church. He is expected to take charge Jan. 1.

Miss Fleeta Barnes is visiting friends in Salem this week.

Glad Threlkeld visited Tom Barees last Sunday.

Kelley and Miss Fleeta LaRue, of Sheriean, visited their sister, Mrs. Will Conyer, Sunday.

## CHAPEL HILL.

C. E. Daniel, of Fords Ferry, is visiting his uncle, W. H. Bigham, this week.

W. W. Ward and family were the guests of J. C. Adams and family Sunday.

Miss Ada Brouster, of New Salem, were the guests of Cal Adams' family Saturday.

The singing at James Canada's Sunday night was well attended by the young people of Chapel Hill.

Wm. Ward is building an addition to J. T. Bigham's residence which will greatly improve the place.

T. M. Hill and Mrs. H. S. Hill are on the sick list.

The fire alarm was heard Monday on the farm of James Fowler. The fire spread over several acres of land, but little damage is reported.

J. N. Hill, of Crayne, is suffering from rheumatism.

I have some timothy and redtop hay for sale two or three tan at 40 cents a hundred at my barn.—W. H. Bigham.

J. R. Finley, of Marion, was in this vicinity Monday.

William A. Adams died Dec. 7, 1908. He was buried at Chapel Hill, a large crowd being present to witness the burial and pay respect to his memory.

Uncle Billy, as we all called him, was a hard-working man in his early days. He began amid conditions of great difficulty, but he carried it on with great courage and faith, devoting himself principally to "farming."

Mr. Adams was born in Robertson county, Tennessee, Nov. 3, 1828 and moved to this county and settled on the farm where he lived until his death. He cleared the land where his house now stands.

He was a good man, a good Christian, a good citizen and a good neighbor. We have known him for over 40 years and his presence will be greatly missed in the church and with us all.

## Breaks Through Ice And Four Lose Lives.

Janeville, Wis., Dec. 6.—Earl Cooper, Harry Richardson, Violet Blivins and Fannie Blivins broke through the ice today while skating on Lake Koshkonong and all were drowned.

Mabel Brown, who was one of the skating party, was rescued, but it is feared that she will die from exposure in the icy water.

## PREACHER GOES TO PRISON.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 6.—H. E. Roseberry, formerly a preacher of Wilmore, Ky., and who abandoned his wife and came to this city with a 16-year-old girl, yesterday was taken to the penitentiary to begin serving a term of three years. Roseberry took his conviction as just, and asked to be sent to the coal mine at once. He left with a paper here a letter asking that the word "Reverend" be not connected with his name disclaiming all right to such "appellations." His letter closes as follows: "Until justice is satisfied I bid the world with all it holds dear to a healthy, normal man a sad farewell."

## BABY FALLS INTO WELL.

Eighteen-Month-Old Boy Rescued After Nine Hours.

Guymon, Okla.—James Williamson, former member of the state legislature, who is homesteading a claim of Hackberry creek, 30 miles south-east of Guymon, was in Guymon the other day and told of the rescue of his 18-months-old son from the bottom of a bored well 22 feet deep.

Williamson began boring the well Saturday, and eight-inch square hole which was left open over Sunday. The baby backed into the hole and fell to the bottom, feet first, his hands sticking straight upward. In this position he remained nine hours, being rescued finally without injury of any kind, but hungry.

The people of the community were holding religious services in a school-house near by, and, rushing into the building, Williamson halted the preaching and quickly told of the accident. Every man in the congregation hurried to the Williamson home, and, with shovels and spades, worked in relays until a hole was dug big enough to permit the child to be rescued. While the men worked Williamson stood at the top of the hole and encouraged the boy below. A portion of the time the boy slept.

Two men of the congregation remained with the boy's mother and encouraged her.





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We expect to show more new things for the Spring Season than have been put on the market for several seasons past. A new lot of **WINTER SHOES** for **WOMEN** and **CHILDREN** of good all leather stock at the same price as others ask for paper soles and counters. A full stock of underwear and etc. All kinds of **SILK DRESS GOODS** and **TRIMMINGS.** I hope to see you soon, as I am sure will



## SAM HOWERTON, Fredonia, Kentucky.

### EDUCATIONAL COLUMN

Miss Hard,--Editor in Chief.  
Mrs. Kitty Perry, J. W. Rascoe, E. E. Phillips and J. B. McNeely, Associate Editors.

AS IS THE TEACHER, SO IS THE SCHOOL, therefore the object of these columns is to help the teacher through co-operation and communication with his fellow teacher.

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### TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

For The Eastern Division of The County, Convened at Baker, Nov. 28.

The meeting called to order at 10:30 a. m. by the president, O. D. Spence.

Devotional exercises conducted by P. M. Ward.

Welcome address, by Bro. Bennett, who gave us a hearty welcome which made us feel cheerful and at home the rest of the day.

Response, by Miss Maggie Moore.

Spirit of a teacher, by C. R. Newcomb. Mr. Newcomb being absent Bro. Bennett handled the topic in a masterly way. He says the spirit of a teacher should be religious. It should be taught in co-operation of the parents. That the teacher should honor for the obedience, morality and high-standing of her pupils.

Personal habits of a teacher, by J. A. Gifford. He says the habits of a teacher should be persistent with his acts. "There are four good habits that should be practiced by the teacher, viz: Neatness, honesty, dignity and non-partiality."

Process of teaching, by A. A. Fritts. Before beginning his work, he endeavors to have the pupils understand that they meet for earnest educational work, for their advancement and for their good. He then arranges his work. He assigns a topic in history, for instance, and after discussing this thoroughly, brings in all outside work on this subject.

Noon.

House called to order at 1. p. m.

Responsibility of the teacher, by Miss Iva Hicklin and J. P. Samuels. Miss Hicklin says the teacher, in co-operation with the parents, is responsible for the life of the pupils. Mr. Samuels being absent, Mrs. Fannie Walker showed that the co-operation of the parents is necessary for

influential training of the child. Bro. Bennett thought Miss Hicklin put rather too much responsibility on the teacher.

Requisite of the teacher for good government, by W. K. Powell. Mr. Powell being absent, the topic was taken up by Mr. Eli L. Nunn, who showed that good government depends, to a large extent, upon the interest and thought that parents should be more enthusiastic in arousing an interest. He proved that parents are too negligent in sending their children to school. He does not endorse so much whipping to secure government, but that the teacher should always be pleasant, for "as is the teacher so is the pupil."

Mr. A. A. Fritts aided in the discussion and warmly endorsed the compulsory law.

Bro. Bennett recommended the compulsory law of Illinois, which imposes a fine of \$15 for every day's absence without a legal excuse.

Proper and Improper Incentives to Study, by Miss Maggie Moore. She doesn't believe in artificial methods for learning. Get the pupil to see the use of an education and he will be interested.

Rewards of a teacher, by Miss Maggie Moore. She says the greatest reward of a teacher is to make something out of the boys and girls.

How to Arouse an Educational Interest Among the People, by Miss Harris. An interesting talk was delivered, in which Miss Harris says the best way to arouse an interest is to get the patrons and pupils to understand the importance of an education.

Aided by Mr. T. D. Stone. He says there is a great responsibility resting upon the teacher in arousing an interest.

Highest Ambition of a Teacher, by O. D. Spence. He says the teacher should realize the importance of the upbuilding of the community. Get in direct contact with the child. Teach him honesty and he will grow to the success of unconquerable manhood. Show him that he can make the world better by using his honest influence.

What we obtain from the Teachers' Association? It was generally conceded that it brings us in closer contact and, by talking with one another, we gain new plans for work.

A vote of thanks was tendered the people of Baker for the kindness extended us.

BERTHA MOORE

### HONOR ROLLS

#### OAKLAND SCHOOL.

First grade,--Melvin Cullen, 92; Virgie Crowell, 92; Estelle Cullen, 92; Cora Woodring, 91; Cleddie Marvel, 87.

Second grade,--Clarence Newcomb, 93; James Maxwell, 84.

Third grade,--Dewey Powell, 93;

Fourth grade,--Lockie Powell, 93;

Kenna Powell, 92; Bassett Newcomb, 90; George Roberts, 85; Freddy Brown, 85; Willie Maxwell, 82.

Fifth grade,--Velda Cullen, 91;

Bernice Powell, 87

Sixth grade,--Monte Stanley, 95;

Pratt Stanley, 93

PEARL JAMES, Teacher.

#### CHILDRESS SCHOOL.

Primary grade,--Opal Kirk, 98;

Ruth Shreeves, 98; Laura Long, 97;

May Kirk, 96; Driskill Conyer, 96;

Marie Conyer, 90; Coy Wring, 98;

Earl Wring, 92; Loyd Kirk, 95;

Linville Conyer, 89.

First grade,--Essie Cong, 95.

Second grade,--Nellie Conyer, 95;

Raymond Kirk, 95; Effie Long, 90;

Third grade,--Wallace Conyer, 90

Jessie Childress, 90.

Fourth grade,--Clyde Shreeves, 95;

Ruby Kirk, 97; Everett Shreeves, 94;

Duke Wring, 93; Otho Wring, 95;

Herbert Kirk, 90; John Brown, 96;

L. L. Alexander, 95; Tovel Walker, 89

Fifth grade,--Estelle Howard, 96;

Ruby Howard, 98; Grace Conyer, 94;

Charles Howard, 96; Brown Howard, 94

We are have good attendance and the interest is splendid.

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#### Efficiency.

By J. B. McNeely.

The greatest educational thought of the present age is looked upon as something to make labor more effective and profitable; yet, as a whole, we have no clear idea of the methods to be used to bring it about. We have come to recognize the fact, however, that the training and culture of both moral and intellectual faculties is a constant process, to the end of manhood. So we have the necessity of universal education; and this is the only way to our public good. It is the only way to our public good. It is the only way to our public good. It is the only way to our public good.

What will the washer-woman's daughter do after she is graduated from the high school? Will she take her mother's place at the tub? Will the

hod carrier's son, with his hard-earned diploma in his pocket, shoulder his father's hod and proceed to carry up mortar and brick? Will the ditch digger's son inherit his father's spade? And so on through the entire catalogue of honest labor.

We should teach our pupils that education is not to be looked upon as a preparation for a life of ease nor as a means of giving one man the advantage over another, whereby one may exist upon the labor of others. Let us teach and impress on our boys and girls that faithful, honest labor is needful every walk and avocation of life; that efficiency in education is to prepare us for better citizenship, whereby the individual may become a worthy and self-sustaining member of society.

Always have Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup handy, especially for the children. It tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. It cures the cold by gently moving the bowels through its laxative principle, and at the same time it is soothing for throat irritation, thereby stopping the cough. There is nothing as good. Sold by all druggists. 29 3m.

#### FORDS FERRY.

Claude Truitt, of Matton, has recently moved on the Truitt Bros.' farm near here.

Miss Rankin and Mr. Truitt have applied for the Heath school.

Sherman Ford will move on the J. L. Rankin farm in a few weeks.

T. P. Woolsey has returned from an extended stay in Missouri.

Tom Williams, who has recently returned from Missouri, is temporarily located on T. N. Wofford's farm.

Elbert Manly, of Repton, says that he may move down in this vicinity.

Joseph Kirk has recently got an orphan boy to raise.

Frank Williams will move up to the Lee Rankin old place in a few weeks.

Guy Lofton has got his new barn about completed.

John Dever, of Dalton, was in this vicinity last week.

Robert White, of the Vincennes Bridge Company, is superintending the construction of the Dun Springs bridge. Mr. White was born in old Virginia and lived there until after he grew up, when he entered the bridge-building business. He has built several hundred bridges and is quite skillful at his trade. He says he has had several narrow escapes from death in connection with his work, having at one time fallen 100 feet off a bridge into the water. On this occasion he received a broken leg and other injuries. Mr. White owns a stock farm down in "sunny Tennessee." He will leave here in

a few days for Indiana, where he will build an unusually long bridge.

There was a most delightful entertainment given at the residence of T. N. Wofford Monday night. Several young ladies and gentlemen were present, all of whom stayed until a late hour. Mr. Hardin the violinist, of near Livingstone, with the assistance of the Heath string band, rendered some excellent music. The entertainment was termed "The Dunn Springs Bridge Jubilee," it being given in honor of the completion of the new bridge at that place.

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If the trouble is serious it will cure it. If it is not serious but is uncomfortable or unsightly it will stop whatever is wrong.

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Plaintiffs now say that pursuant to said contract, these plaintiffs, and other members of said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," for whose use and benefit this action is prosecuted, did during the year 1906 deliver to the said defendant at various places in Kentucky and Tennessee, above set out herein about 40,000 hogheads of tobacco, consisting of about 60,000,000 pounds which was worth of the value of about the sum of \$7,000,00, and during the year 1907, about 50,000 hogheads consisting of about 80,000,000 pounds and worth about the sum of \$8,000,000, and these plaintiffs now have on hand tobacco which they have promised and contracted to deliver to the said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia" about 75,000 hogheads consisting of about 20,000,000 pounds and worth about \$12,000,000. Plaintiffs now say that for reasons which will hereafter be set out, it is not for the best interest of these plaintiffs, and those for and on whose behalf this action is prosecuted to deliver their respective crops of tobacco to said defendant association, yet they say that by the provisions of an act of the general assembly of the commonwealth of Kentucky, which was approved and is claimed by the defendant association, became a law on the 13th day of March, 1908 it is made unlawful for either of these plaintiffs or anyone for and on whose behalf and for whose use and benefit this action is prosecuted to fail or refuse to deliver their said crop of tobacco to said association according to the terms of their said

These plaintiffs now further state that the defendant, C. H. Fort, president; E. T. Bondurant, vice president; F. G. Ewing, John D. Seales, Geo. Snodden, Mrs. N. E. Green, John B. Allen, Joel B. Fort, W. E. Frazer, John McKeage, A. N. Veal, C. O. Brown, Frank McMurphy, officers and agents and employees of the defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," and the "Farmers' Tobacco Prizing & Storage Company," and the Western District Warehouse company the two latter of which are corporations organized under the laws of the state of Kentucky, and being warehouse men and employees of said defendant association, and Z. C. Graham and Charles E. Graham, partners doing business under the firm name of Z. C. Graham & Co., being employees and warehouse men for the defendant association, each of which officers, agents and employees of said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," and non-residents of this state, except Mrs. N. E. Green, Geo. Snodden, John B. Allen, Frank McMurphy and W. E. Frazer, who live and reside in Guthrie, Todd county, Kentucky, and John McKeage, A. N. Veal, C. O. Brown, Z. C. Graham and Chas. E. Graham, and the Western District Warehouse Co., who live and reside in McCracken county, Kentucky, have each and all been guilty of gross negligence, malfeasance and fraud in the management of the business and affairs of said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," and especially in the fol-

Second: In that the defendants while holding the tobacco of these plaintiffs and the other five thousand tobacco growers, who are members of said association. "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," and for whom this action is prosecuted, in trust and as bailees, have wrongfully and without right, pledged and pawned said tobacco to banks and other persons for the purpose of obtaining loans of money and by which the defendants have obtained loans of large sums of money for the use and benefit of said association. "The Planters' Protective Association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," at a rate of six per cent interest, and while said defendant association pretended to advance to those plaintiffs sums of money upon their said tobacco so delivered to them to it in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky it in fact entered into a contract with these plaintiffs and a great number of other persons in McCracken county, Kentucky, for and on whose behalf and for whose benefit this action is prosecuted who were and are members of said defedant association, and upon delivering their said crop to it, did loan to them sums of money in which it charged, and these plaintiffs and said other persons agreed in McCracken county, as well as elsewhere to pay the said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky Tennessee and Virginia for the use of said money so loaned

Fourth; These plaintiffs further say that the defendants as agents and officers and employees of the defendants, "The Planters Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," in the city Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, while acting as its agents, have with the knowledge and consent of the chief officers and agents of defendant association, purchased from said defendant association, "The Planters' Protective association, of Kentucky Tennessee and Virginia," large quantities of tobacco belonging to these plaintiffs and other members of defendant association at prices far below the market price and at prices much smaller than said tobacco could then have been sold for in the open market and which the defendants likewise knew same could be sold for for the express purpose of permitting and allowing such employes and agents of said defendant, "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," to speculate in the plaintiffs tobacco and make a large profit thereon, which practice and custom likewise prevails at all of the other places in Kentucky and Tennessee where the defendant association is carrying on its business of selling for these plaintiffs their tobacco, all of which is

Fifth: Plaintiffs now say that the defendant, "The Planters' Protective Association" by and through its chief officers and agents in the city of Paducah and other places in the state of Kentucky and Tennessee now wrongfully hold large quantities of tobacco which is the property of and belong to these plaintiffs and of which these plaintiffs are the owners and entitled to the possession thereof withholds the possession thereof from these plaintiffs and the other members of said association and wrongfully keeps these plaintiffs out of the possession of said large quantities of said tobacco, or allow these plaintiffs to sell same not withstanding the fact that same can be sold in the open market at prices entirely satisfactory to these plaintiffs and the

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray that the defendants as the officers and agents and employes sued herein each be compelled and required to surrender all sums of money or tobacco which he or they or it may have belonging to "The Planters' Protective association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," together with all sums which may have been wrongfully diverted from the treasury of said

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Plaintiffs now say that by reason of and through the the gross negligence, willful malfeasance, and fraudulent disregard of the rights of the many thousand members of "The Plasterers' Protective Association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia," on the part of the officers of said association,

OLIVER SHEMWELL & READER  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

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Third; The plaintiffs now say that it was by terms and agreement and contract between these plaintiffs and the other members of said asso-

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Don't forget that we carry a full and complete line of Heavy Hardware, such as Lime, Cement, Roofing, Woven Wire Fence. We can save you money on anything in this line. Send us your order for Window Glass in any size.

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Marion Ky.

## SCHOOL DISMISSED.

Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 14 Jack Covington, aged eighteen, a student in Georgetown College, died here yesterday of typhoid fever. His sister was with him when he died.

The body was shipped to his home at Hazlehurst, Miss., this morning. The college has been dismissed until January 5 on account of the epidemic of typhoid fever raging here.

There are said to be 125 cases of typhoid in town, though there have been but few deaths.

## For Sale.

The Wm. Tudor place. 200 acres more or less on Tradewater river. Six roomed house, fences fair, orchard, well, cistern, long branch and Tradewater river for stock water, tobacco barn, stable, splendid neighborhood, one-half mile to school, two churches close, healthy community, large range for stock, well timbered and coal mine on farm with 3 foot vein.

TUDOR BROS.  
29 2t Morganfield, Ky.

## TRIBUNE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Deboe visited here last week.

Hugh York and family of Tennessee, arrived here Friday. Mr. York will work for J. A. Pickens next year.

Dr. Travis, who has been sick with typhoid fever is better.

Misses Ina and Inna Dollins have been visiting their aunt, Miss Nellie Dollins of Marion.

Dr. Frazier was called Saturday to see Mrs. Frank Travis.

The new road through Tribune Hollow will soon be completed.

Mrs. Kirk Deboe visited her daughter, Mrs. Jim Pickens last week.

Smith James has bought the Jim Walker farm near Wilson's Chapel.

John Winn has moved from here to his farm in Caldwell county.

Algie Hillyard has moved from Mrs. Hurst's farm to one he purchased near Repton.

## Lost.

On Saturday, Dec. 5th, on the road between Marion and the old Conrod Crayne place a black parasol, with lead colored knob on handle. Any person finding same will leave at Record-Press office and oblige.

1t p MRS. NELLIE STOVALL.

## Twenty-One Men Held Responsible For Murder of Captain Rankin.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 14.—The grand jury returned twenty-seven indictment against alleged night riders. Twenty-one are charged with the murder of Capt. Quentin Rankin at Walnut Log, and the other six with the burning of the docks at Samburg, most of whom are now in custody.

The remains of Jesse Carter, who resided near Clanton, one of the original nine men sent to Nashville by orders of the governor, reached this city at noon Friday. Carter is the second man of the night riders sent to Nashville who has died since their arrest.

## For Sale.

150 acres of land at \$10.00 per acre on Brushy Fork and Crooked Creek, good log house with five rooms, barn, cistern, orchard and well watered.

R. L. HOWERTON,  
1t p Repton, Ky.

## FREDONIA.

Mr. J. R. B. Cole died at his home near town Friday afternoon, after an illness of several weeks. The funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church Saturday and the burial was at old Livingstone graveyard. Mr. Cole was nearly 70 years old and leaves a host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss.

John Wilson and family and Geo. Roberts and family, of Marion, spent Sunday here.

Our stock of Christmas goods is larger and better than ever before. We can certainly please everybody in prices and quality.—Bennett & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockmyer, of Sturgis, were the guests of Edwark Rice and wife Sunday.

Jimmie Boaz, of Dycusburg, was here Sunday.

W. S. Rice is in Evansville this week on business.

We have a nice line of apples, oranges, nuts, candies, etc.—Bennett & Son.

Rev. Price preached to the Cumberland Presbyterians Sunday morning and night.

## REBRON.

The new bridge at Dun Springs is

complete at last.

Bob Williams returned to his home in Missouri Friday.

The remains of the 17-months-old baby of Charlie Dalton were interred in Dun Springs cemetery Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Harve Herin, of Illinois, visited Mrs. Herin's mother last week.

Henry Threlkeld, of Caney Fork, attended church at Dun Springs Sunday.

John Fritts will move to Crooked Creek soon.

Ruey, the baby of W. J. Belt, fell into the fire Wednesday and his hands and arms were badly burned.

Mr. Threlkeld and sister, of Hardesty, attended the burial of Charles Dalton's baby at Dun Springs cemetery Wednesday.

Attorneys A. C. and John A. Moore and Ed Doss were in this section bird hunting a few days ago.

L. J. Daughtrey and wife visited their friends at Sheridan last week.

Claude Springs attended the party at Ed Simpson's Tuesday night.

Mrs. W. J. Spencer is in Illinois this week, at the bedside of her brother, who is ill with pneumonia.

The entertainment at Fred Daughtrey's Friday night was well attended, about 60 being present. Pleasant amusements and contests were engaged in. The winners of the prizes in the animal contest were John Alvis and Tom Kirk. Refreshments, consisting of candied popcorn, oranges and candies were served.

Newt Weldon will move to his farm near Crayne soon.

## LOW RATES.

Editor RECORD-PRESS:—Please make note in your paper to the public that for the holidays the I. C. railroad will sell round-trip tickets at greatly reduced rates. Date of sale, December 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 30 and 31, limited for return Jan. 6, 1909.

W. L. VERNER, Agt.

## FRANCES.

We are having fine weather. The meeting at Oliver school house has done much good. There have been 25 conversions.

C. A. Woodall and his sister, Mrs. Kattie Myers, went to Marion Saturday on business.

Hog killing has been the order of the day.

Dr. Vernon Fox visits this place often, yet there is no one sick at present.

There is talk of building a Presbyterian church here.

Mr. So-and-So says he don't know hardly what about our association now.

## Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

H. A. HAYNES, Plaintiff  
Adm. of W. L. Bennett  
Against  
Dycusburg Canning Co.,  
Defendant.

Equity.

By virtue of a Judgement and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term thereof, 1908, in the above cause herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 11th day of Jan. 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m. or thereabout, (being Court day,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit:

The redemption right in and to the following property to wit:—A Canning Factory, situated in Dycusburg, Crittenden county, Ky. and near the Cumberland river, together with all of the apparatus, fixtures and appliances unto said canning factory belonging and the lot upon which said CANNING FACTORY is situated. Said lot having been purchased by said Canning Factory from S. H. Cassidy & Co., and being described as follows:—Fronting on Walnut street on the east 100 feet and running west to the river, thence down the river with its meanders 100 feet to the J. W. Hill line (now S. H. Cassidy & Co. line) thence with said line to Walnut street to the beginning.

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 judgement. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. G. ROCHESTER,  
29 3t Commissioner.

MAIL LEAVES ON A 2,000 MILE JOURNEY

Winnipeg Man. Dec. 16 Escorted

by a detachment of Royal Northwest mounted police, the Arctic mail left Edmonton, the capital of Alberta, the most northern city on the continent, Tuesday afternoon for a three non-hal journey, covering over 2,000 miles, into the far North. The services of several dog team are required to carry the heavy sacks, the total weight of which is 953 pounds. Each train was escorted by an employe of the Hudson Bay Company.

The mail is destined for Lac Le Biche, 500 miles north of Edmonton; Fort McPherson, Fort Resolution and Herschel Island. The mail has been collecting at Winnipeg and Edmonton post-offices from all parts of the world for some time, and consist of thirty pounds of registered mail, thirty-seven pounds of ordinary letters and 886 pounds of newspapers and magazines.

## FREE TO OUR READERS.

We take pleasure in announcing that we have arranged with the well known firm of E. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago, Ill., for them to send one full box, a week's trial, of their wonderful little Kidney and Bladder Pills to each reader and subscriber of this paper.

These pills are highly recommended and are an excellent preparation for all forms of Kidney and Bladder trouble. If you are suffering with lame back, backache, weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder, send your name and address to E. C. De Witt & Co., 206-205 LaSalle Ave., Chicago, Ill. and they will send you absolutely free a full box of their Kidney and Bladder Pills postpaid.

Be sure to take advantage of this offer promptly and don't fail to mention this paper when sending name and address.

## CHILDERS FAMILY REUNION.

A family reunion on Thanksgiving day was the happy event that made it a day especially to be remembered by Mrs. Lucy Childers and those present.

For the first time in several years she had with her all her children—Col. Gracey Childers, of Clarksville, Tenn.; Mrs. T. H. Callahan, New Orleans; Mrs. H. C. Looker, Hopkinsville; Mrs. N. W. Utley, and Miss Elizabeth Childers, Eddyville—Lyon County Herald.

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