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FUTURE OF TOBACCO GROWERS

American Society of Equity Was and Will Continue to be Broad in Its Scope of Work.

1909 TO BE A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

The Future for Tobacco Growers. The following very thoughtful article from the pen of President Drayton is worthy of careful study by all who believe in farmers' co-operation.

The American Society of Equity has good, active organization in twelve states. Among the states strongly organized is Kentucky. But the situation in Kentucky is peculiar and serious. We are not fully informed of the situation as we would like to be, but some things demand our attention, and we shall write from the information we have with request that if we are in error we hope to be corrected by those who know better.

To the American Society of Equity is due the first effort of the farmers at co-operation for controlled marketing. Almost keeping pace with the idea was Felix G. Ewing, of Tennessee, whether from knowledge of the first work of W. L. Herron, the founder of the society, several years before the idea was mentioned in Up-to-Date Farming, a sort of semi-agricultural paper published in Indianapolis, or from the said paper later on, or from original studies on the subject by himself, we do not know, but certain it is that about two months after the call for the organization of the farmers of Kentucky in the American Society of Equity, a call was made for the meeting of the tobacco growers of Tennessee to meet and consider the situation, with a view of organization and co-operation. The American Society of Equity was formed at its meeting, and the Dark Tobacco Planters' Protective Association was formed at its meeting.

The American Society of Equity was and is and will continue to be broad in its scope of work. It believes that lasting and permanent prosperity cannot possibly come to the farmers without all are equally interested.

They are specially interested in. For just as sure as one product is organized and brought into profitable production, it is inevitable that the producers of unprofitable crops will turn their attention to producing the profitable crop and over-produce that crop, to the great disaster of the organization. He is indeed blind who cannot see this, and who is not interested in good sense if interested in the crop profitably organized and does not move to protect himself and his brother farmers in that particular crop by seeing that the organization is extended to the other crops also. This is his only salvation. It will be a thousand times easier for the tobacco farmers of Kentucky, now in the flush of the first great victory, to actively assist in the work of organization in other states, by funds and by missionary work, to the fullest extent possible, than it will be to reorganize and build up again our own ranks when disaster comes from the overproduction of the unorganized outside farmers who have been attracted to a change, and go to raising tobacco. The evidence is simple that many farmers are intending to attempt to raise tobacco in 1909 who never thought of raising the weed before.

HIGH WAISTLINE WITH A SASH.

There is a very pretty phase of the high waistline dress that has caught on remarkably quickly in Paris. The back and side gores of the skirt are cut off at the Empire waistline, but the front gores and the entire front of the bodice are cut in one. I saw the dress in white broadcloth, with a chemise of silver crepe net. The neck of the waist was cut out in large scallops, and embroidered in a tremendously heavy design done in silver and lapis-lazuli blue. Aside from the trimming, the waist was very simple—an inch wide tuck on each shoulder at the armholes and a few narrower tucks in the sleeves. The high waistline was defined by a sash of silver, ending in heavy silver fringe. Worn under artificial light, the dress was really very beautiful. —The March Delineator.

Illinois Boy Meets Tragic Fate Near St. Francisville, Ill.

St. Francisville, Ill., Feb. 25.—While returning home from a carnival at the notorious "Drag Out" saloon located across the Wabash river in Knox county, Ind., John Ghee, Jr., fell down a high bluff overlooking the Wabash river and broke his neck. He died soon after the accident.

The boy's father is a well known local citizen. This town has been "dry" for several years, during which time a saloon has been operated just across the Wabash in Knox county, Ind. Due to the fact that the saloon has a bad name young Ghee's is the fourth tragedy from the liquor dispensed there—it has been popularly known as the "Drag Out." It is the only saloon in Knox county outside of the city of Vincennes.

HOOT OWL DELAYS A TRAIN

Thirty Minutes—Crashes Through Window Of Locomotive Cab.

LYING GLASS STRIKES ENGINEER.

Columbus, Ind., Feb. 27.—A common, ordinary "hoot owl" delayed Pennsylvania train No. 7, running between Louisville and Chicago, Saturday night, for about thirty minutes, and put Engineer John W. Lawton, of Louisville, out of commission. The fast train was about one hour late, and Engineer Lawton was trying to make up the lost time. He was running about fifty miles an hour, and when south of Waynesville, seven miles below this city, an owl, blinded by the headlight, struck the front cab window and came crashing through. The force of the impact was such that glass was scattered in every direction and the bird fell dead to the floor with one eye knocked out and one wing torn off.

In addition to being struck in the face by the owl, Engineer Lawton was cut by the flying glass. A small artery on his right temple was severed and he suffered a deep gash over his left cheek bone. He grabbed for the throttle and slowed down the train, thinking at first he had run into another train. As soon as he saw what had caused the accident he had to turn over the throttle to his fireman and try to stop the flow of blood.

When the train reached this city Engineer Lawton's face was covered with blood and he looked as if he had been in a wreck. A physician was summoned and gave him attention. The night caller was sent in a hurry to room John Piercy, a Pennsylvania lines engineer, who lives here, and he took the train from this city to the end of the division. Engineer Lawton is not seriously injured, but will be laid up for a few days.

IN MEMORY.

In the death of F. M. Clement on February 16th, Crittenden county has lost one of its oldest and best citizens, and his family one of the most devoted fathers. He was born September 21st, 1828, on the farm where he spent his life. He was married to Miss Jordana Harris Kirkpatrick, April 23, 1856 and she died March 17th, 1875.

Those who knew him will not soon forget his erect and manly form, and his active, energetic nature. He was warm hearted and cordial in manner, candid, honest, impulsive and sometimes intense, in his convictions. Everybody could know just where he stood and why he stood, upon any question that touched the public or private interests of the community.

The confidence of his fellow citizens in his integrity and intelligence was shown when they elected him to represent the Counties of Webster, Crittenden and Caldwell, in the Senate of Kentucky, in 1883; and again in the year 1893, he was chosen by the Counties of Crittenden and Livingston to represent them in the Legislature. In both of these important positions he served with honor to himself and satisfaction to his constituents.

His cheerful, jovial disposition attracted both old and young, and they enjoyed his friendship. His manly bearing and good judgment made him a conspicuous figure among men in business life. His many deeds of kindness and charity are best known by the great number of his friends and neighbors whom he has encouraged and helped in their time of need. He will be sadly missed by them and they will not soon forget his kind and generous nature.

In his later years he was an almost constant reader of the New Testament, and according to a record upon the fly-leaf of his book, he had read that inspired volume through, "One Hundred and Forty-nine times." He expressed himself clearly and confidently in regard to his spiritual

hope, and was not only ready, but anxious for death to come. His devotion to the memory of his noble christian wife, who died thirty-four years ago, was one of the marked characteristics of his life, and her continued influence over him was a constant benediction.

The completion of some great building after years of toil, is generally a memorable occasion, but the completion of a character after eighty years of life spent in one community, is no ordinary event. How much of toil and trial, how much of joy and sorrow it required and contained. Few men have fought the battle of life more nobly than he, when we consider all the difficulties he met, and all of the obstacles he overcame.

To his five children who were left without a mother's care in their childhood, he became the tender guide and counselor, filling the place both of father and mother, and although they are now widely scattered and settled in their own homes, they will never forget his courageous life, his tender love, and his kindly care for them.

"Servant of God well done,
Rest from thy loved employ;
The battle fought, the victory won
Enter thy Master's joy."

TUNSTEN LAMPS.

We are having so many inquiries as to the New Tungsten Lamps, that we wrote to the agents to know something of them, and below we publish their answer.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25, '09.
Marion Elec. Light & Ice Co.,
Marion, Ky.

Gentlemen:—
Your letter of the 20th to hand, requesting information which same we hasten to give as follows:

Practical commercial experience has put the life of the Tungsten lamp at 800 hours. We know of some of these that have burned as high as 2200; 800, however, is the practical guaranteed life. Our Tungsten lamps as compared to ordinary incandescent lamps are considerably different and are not to be compared to an ordinary lamp.

We can positively assure you that our Tungsten lamp in the 40 Watt size does not consume as much as the Columbian Carbon lamp and at the same time give twice the light, with same current consumption.

Average life in hours—16 C. P. Carbon Lamp, 1100; 32 C. P. Carbon Lamp, 1100; 20 C. P. Tantalum

Lamp, 800; 20 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 800; 32 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 800; 48 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 800; 80 C. P. Tungsten Lamp, 800; 200 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 800.

Watts per lamp per hour—16 C. P. Carbon Lamp, 56; 32 C. P. Carbon Lamp 114; 20 C. P. Tantalum Lamp 40; 20 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 25; 32 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 40; 48 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 60; 80 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 100; 200 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 250.

Total watts per life of lamp—16 C. P. Carbon Lamp 61600; 32 C. P. Carbon Lamp 125400; 20 C. P. Tantalum Lamp 32000; 20 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 20000; 32 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 20000; 48 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 48000; 80 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 80000; 200 C. P. Tungsten Lamp 200000.

Cost at 10c per 1000 watts: 16 C. P. Carbon Lamp \$6.16; 32 C. P. Carbon Lamp \$12.54; 20 C. P. Tantalum Lamp \$3.20; 20 C. P. Tungsten Lamp \$2.00; 32 C. P. Tungsten Lamp \$3.20; 48 C. P. Tungsten Lamp \$4.80; 80 C. P. Tungsten Lamp \$8.00; 200 C. P. Tungsten Lamp \$20.00.

Cost of lamp: 16 c. p. Carbon Lamp 00; 32 c. p. Carbon Lamp 00; 20 c. p. Tantalum Lamp 50; 20 c. p. Tungsten Lamp 85; 32 c. p. Tungsten Lamp \$1.10; 48 c. p. Tungsten Lamp \$1.40; 80 c. p. Tungsten Lamp \$1.75; 200 c. p. Tungsten Lamp 3.50.

If there is anything further you wish to know regarding the lamps, we shall be pleased to give you same. Yours very truly,
JAS. CLARK, JR. ELECTRIC CO.

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. Alice Elkins gave a birthday dinner Sunday, Feb. 21, 1909, to her husband, Albert Elkins, and their oldest child, Robert L. Elkins. Their birthday being on the same Sunday, Albert Elkins being thirty-seven years of age, and their son, Robert being fourteen years of age. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. Della Woodall, Mrs. Tilda Woodall, R. S. Elkins and family, Herbert Ornce, Tim Paris, Spurling Woodall, Misses Nellie Woodall and Nellie Holloman.

All present spent a most pleasant day and enjoyed the good dinner that was prepared for them by Mrs. Elkins.

A GUEST.

CALL MEETING OF W. O. W. LODGE.

Take notice that Rosewood Camp No. 22, will meet at its regular Camp Saturday night, March 6th, 1909, for the purpose of receiving members of other lodges who desire to transfer their membership to Rosewood Camp No. 22.
J. G. ROCHESTER, Consul Com.

NITRO GLYCERINE IN MAIL POUCH

Unaddressed Package With 1,000 Caps Picked Up By a Fast Mail Train.

CARRYING OVER 100 PASSENGERS.

Bluefield, W. Va., Feb. 27.—The mail car on the Norfolk & Western train No. 16, east-bound, Columbus and Norfolk, while running at forty miles an hour by Roderfield, W. Va., tonight, snatched a mail pouch from a stationary crane, and on opening it in the car, the five clerks were astounded to find that an unaddressed package in the pouch contained 1,000 nitro glycerine caps. The car carried more than 100 passengers.

ILLINOIS IS OUT OF DEBT.

This State Enjoys Distinction Among States.

Illinois enjoys the distinction of being out of debt. Although not standing alone in this respect among the states, it is a fact worthy of mention, declares an exchange, in an age when public indebtedness in national state and municipal governments is piling up at a rate which creates a sense of misgiving in the minds of a good many conservative people.

There are ten or more states whose records show an absence of bonded debt. These are, in addition to Illinois, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Iowa, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, Ohio, Oregon, Kansas and West Virginia. The last named state has, however, outstanding against it some of the undetermined claims of several million dollars in connection with the Virginia debt. There are fifteen other states whose bonded debt amounts to less than one million dollars. Some states are out of debt by reason of their large income from the tax on corporations within their borders. New Jersey has a surplus in its treasury from this source.

In her freedom from debt Illinois differs radically from Chicago, the state's largest city. This difference amounts to over \$68,000,000, that sum being the present bonded indebtedness of Chicago. Every citizen of Chicago is just \$34.45 in debt. But even this is not as bad as New York City, where the indebtedness amounts to nearly two-thirds of a billion dollars, \$647,806,205, being the exact figure. The national debt of the whole United States is only \$964,000,000, against the five and one-half billions of France or the more than thirteen billions of the British empire, the most deeply in the hole of all the nations—Shaw-Neetown News-Gleaner.

Princeton Fire.

Princeton, Ky., Feb. 25th.—The drug store of J. H. Settle was badly damaged by fire at 1:30 o'clock this morning. Two inside of the store and the fixtures were burned by fire and water. The loss is estimated at about \$3,500. —\$2.00 insurance.

FALLS TO A TERRIBLE DEATH

Stewart Douglas Robinson, a Harvard Sophomore, Pitches Head Foremost From Window.

NEPHEW OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 28.—Stewart Douglas Robinson, nineteen years old, a nephew of President Roosevelt, and a sophomore of Harvard College, fell from a sixth-story window at Hampton Hall, a dormitory on Massachusetts avenue, today, and was killed. He was a scion of Douglas Robinson.

Robinson was with a party of fellow students Saturday night. Late in the evening he complained of not feeling well and went to the apartments of his brother, Monroe Douglas Robinson, in Hampton Hall, instead of going to his own room on Mount Auburn street.

Monroe Robinson, who is a senior at Harvard, was not in his apartment, but Stewart Robinson had freedom of the room, and the part of friends accompanied him there.

Stumbles and is Hurt. It is understood that shortly after his arrival young Robinson stumbled and fell in crossing the room and struck heavily on his forehead, receiving a painful injury. His friends say they put him in his brother's bed, and after raising the window of the bedroom a few inches, went away a short time later, leaving him apparently asleep.

That was the last they heard of young Robinson until they were told that his body had been found on the sidewalk this morning.

It is believed that after his friend left him, Robinson, feeling ill, got out of bed and walked toward the window to open it wider. It is thought that as he leaned over the sill he became dizzy and, losing his balance, fell out of the window which is about four feet from the floor, to the pavement, six stories below.

Policeman Finds Body.

It is not known how long the body lay there. It was discovered by a policeman, who after notifying Medical Examiner Swan had it removed to the Cambridge morgue. The body was then warm, but life was extinct.

The young man's parents were at once notified, and it was expected they would come here to-night to take charge of the body. His brother, Monroe Robinson, is said to have been in Washington last night.

Stewart Robinson was a member of the sophomore class at Harvard. He was a substitute goal on the varsity hockey team. The young man's mother is President Roosevelt's sister.

Stewart was well known among his classmates, and was prominent in the social life of the university. He was a member of the Sphinx Alpha Delta Hasty Pudding, Institute of 1770 and the Delta Kappa Epsilon.

An examination of the body showed that the skull was badly fractured and that both hips were broken. Medical Examiner Swan said that death was due to accident.

THANKS.

(By J. B. McNeely.)
Fellow Teachers and Readers of the Educational Page.

As one of the Associate Editors we desire to thank every teacher and friend of education for their contributions that have appeared in their columns. We hope they have all been read with profit. And you Mr. Editor, deserve the thanks of the entire teaching and educational force of Crittenden county for your kindness in extending us a page for your valuable paper. The Record Press, and may you and your Press live a long and prosperous life, and as our schools are about all closed, this closes our efforts as a scribbler for the educational page. Respectfully,
J. B. McNEELY.

WALK ON BRINK OF NIAGARA.

Four Men Stroll From American Side to Goat Island.

Niagara Falls, Feb. 28.—For the first time since the white man saw Niagara Falls, a trip across Niagara river from the American shore to Goat Island within a few feet of the brink has been accomplished. It was made by four residents of this city yesterday afternoon.

At several points along the route the men were in grave danger of slipping on the ice, losing their balance and being dashed to pieces on the rocks below.

The men kept close to the brink on the entire trip except where they crossed the small open channel, twelve feet wide, where the water courses its way between the rocks. Here they found an advantageous point to cross some thirty feet from the brink.

ALLEY STALLION'S SALE

FRIDAY, March 12th

1909, (instead of Saturday.)

What you say goes a long way with a woman—
But, how you look goes further.

There will be no doubt about your looking the part if your clothes are made to order. We guarantee that you will be fashionably dressed if your clothes are tailored by

S. E. Perlberg & Company
Merchant Tailors, CHICAGO

Anybody can make a suit of clothes for \$20, but to give the suit all the fit and finish that you expect to find in clothes costing at least \$5.00 more—that's S. E. Perlberg & Company's way of doing business.

If we can't give you the best suit of clothes you ever had for \$20.00 we don't want your money.

We show a large assortment of fabrics—all the latest designs and fabrics.



TAYLOR & CANNAN

TOBACCO TIDINGS READ WITH CARE

Theory of Farmers' Co-Operation is Sound and Sane, and Therefore Not To Be Gainsaid.

CO-OPERATION IS ALRIGHT, IF FARMERS ARE WILLING AND KNOW HOW TO CO-OPERATE.

All Things Considered, the Farmers of the Five Counties Have in the Main Proven Themselves Loyal, Patient, Persistent, courageous and Resourceful.

WILL THE ASSOCIATION SURVIVE WITHOUT A BREAK IN ITS CONTINITY?

The theory of farmers' co-operation is sound and sane, and therefore not to be gainsaid. The difficulties arise when the attempt is made to put that theory into practice. And more especially is this, the case when an attempt is made to put an unassailable theory in practice where organized capital is bent on defeating that attempt. Co-operation is alright, if only farmers are willing to co-operate and know how to co-operate. That farmers can and will co-operate I am fully persuaded from my knowledge of the history of the stemming District Tobacco Association. The farmers of this district were as green as gourds in a knowledge of practical detail of co-operation five years ago; as were also the leaders of the movement. True, the leaders had acquired a pretty thorough knowledge of the theory of co-operation, but even they had, experimentally, to learn how to frame a practical working plan to fit the theory. Earnest, zealous, capable leaders they were; and the same may be affirmed of the successors to those pioneer leaders, all backed by a zealous loyal rank and file of membership. And I, who know the history of this association to the minutest detail, solemnly affirm that all things considered, the Association has accomplished things little short of the miraculous.

All things considered, I say, the farmers of the five counties have in the main proven themselves loyal, patient, persistent, courageous and resourceful. And while I hold in mind the exceptional instances running counter to the foregoing affirmation, I wish to record right here, in

it is patent to every observant, reflecting member the present sale system is radically defective. Without circumlocution or elaboration I shall content myself for the present to let drive at the bull's eye and ring the bell.

It is all right to sell and deliver a crop loose from the wagon when the Association can get a remunerative price.

But—Failing to get that price, members must be ready, willing and resolute to prize.

Must be ready, willing and resolute to prize, without the promise of a dollar in advancements.

Unpreparedness and irresolution on the part of members last fall to carry out the program outlined above cost one dollar a hundred on all the tobacco produced in the district in the year 1908.

I heard members proclaim last fall that they had rather take six cents average than price. Men like that never make a success of the association. And this declaration was made, too, in face of the fact that all sales of tobacco prized by the association had netted members \$7.35 per hundred.

The Association will be in a position to say the buyers in October:—The price on this 1909 crop is so much average; we hope you will take it, for loose deliveries have proven mutually satisfactory; only let us have your decision by the 15th of October, for if you decline our offer we will rent factories and prize the crop.

Men, true men—men who are resolute to thwart a merciless despotism: men, Kentucky men, who love the wives and children dependent on them, will be prepared to stand right back of an executive committee saying just that.

Will the Association survive without a break in its continuity?

I don't know. The tobacco growers of the district will make decision. There may be a break in the continuity of the Association.

But—Co-operation will survive, for the game of co-operation played by a lot of suckers has won out—has proven a marvelous success. Only imagine what untold millions may be won at the game when played by veterans wise to the game.

Reflecting members, taught by experience, now know—a crop may be sold at an average price, loose delivery, or, failing to get that price, the crop must be prized; and if necessary cut a crop out.

Co-operation in the past four years has brought millions of dollars to this district in excess of the amount which had been realized in the absence of an association.

A member said to me yesterday: "I won't sign up my crop this year—I don't want no guardian."

"But you must make a choice," I answered. "Either the Trust or the Association must be your guardian."

JAMES N. BANKS, Secretary.

SUMMER NORMAL.

I have received a few inquiries as to whether I intended to conduct a Normal School after the close of the regular Spring Term of the Marion Graded School. In reply to these and to any others who may be interested, I would say that if as many as twelve teachers or prospective teachers will signify their intention to attend such a school, I will arrange to conduct a Normal beginning May 24 and continuing for a term of four or six weeks as may be desired.

Teachers, and those preparing to teach,—if you would like to have a chance to review and qualify yourselves to do better work in the schools of our county this fall, you can do so. Better times are in store for the teachers of Kentucky. If you wish to share in these better times, you must be better prepared to do the work of the teacher; for "better salaries" means nothing if it does not mean better preparation on the part of the teacher.

Last fall there were more schools in this county than there were licensed teachers. This is a lamentable and wholly unnecessary condition, for there are plenty of bright young men and young women in Crittenden county who could, with such training as may be obtained in a Summer

Normal, pass the required examination and successfully conduct all our schools.

I understand that there are enough free scholarships in the State Normal at Bowling Green to furnish every teacher in Crittenden, county free tuition this summer. If for any reason you can not avail yourself of the opportunity to attend the State Normal, join with us in a good, lively County Normal. If the number wishing to enter be large enough to justify me, I will engage a competent assistant and we will have, with all due respect to former years, one of the best Normals ever held here. The expenses of the course shall be reasonable. If you are interested drop me a card at once stating kind of work desired. JNO. P. KING, Marion, Ky.

Near Death in Big Pound.

It was a thrilling to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave her intense suffering she writes, 'and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Then Dr King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years.' Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond Pa. It works wonders in coughs and colds, sore lungs, hemorrhages, grippe, asthma, Croup, whooping cough and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Jas. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor.

OBITUARY.

The death angel visited the home of Will and Annie Gilland, of Salem, Oct. 12, '08, and took from the embrace of a fond father and mother one of their brightest jewels, Eddy L. Gilland, aged 24 years.

He possessed good morals and was blessed with obedience and industry. He is a great loss to his parents and the neighborhood.

While he never made a public profession of faith in Christ, he was a strong believer in God and Christianity and we are led to believe that in his dying hour as he passed so peacefully away, that he sank out of self into Christ and went home to rest.

To know Eddy was to love him, as he possessed such a sweet disposition and during his short stay here on earth he made many friends to mourn his loss, and while we, his loved ones, can no more see his sweet face and listen to his angelic voice as he sang and played so beautifully on the guitar, we hope to meet him in the brighter world above.

He was laid to rest in the Union cemetery Oct. 13, leaving six brothers and three sisters, a father and mother to mourn his loss. We would say to the bereaved, weep not for Eddy, for God doeth all things well.

O mother, why not release your hold And lay me down to sleep? Our Savior will gather his lambs to his fold,

Now mother, do not weep.

This old earth is cold and drear,

Poluted with vice and sin,

Its habitations without rest and cheer,

Christ came my soul to win.

Now fold my hands across my breast,

And gently lay me down to sleep.

O mother, how peaceful the rest,

My joy is full, do not weep.

Now mother and father, when life is o'er,

And you are wearied with strife,

Meet me, your darling boy, on vonder shore,

And enjoy the Heavenly life.

His Uncle, B. L. Yates,

Cadiz, Ky.

The Lurid Glow of Doom

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son H. M. Adams of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema, for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But" writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitter completely cured him." For Eruptions Eczema, Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by J. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor.

6,000 Killed in Quake of Jan. 13th

Tehern, Persia, Feb. 24.—News was received here today showing that the violent earthquake recorded Jan. 23rd, at almost every scientific observatory in the world where seismographs are installed had its location in the province of Luristan in western Persia. Sixty villages in this district were wholly or partly destroyed and the resultant loss of life is placed between 5,000 and 6,000. This information was conveyed in belated reports to the government. The districts of Barujurd and Selahor in Luristan province, were the center of the greatest violence and here the heaviest casualties occurred. Several villages are reported to have been completely engulfed. The destitute survivors are flocking into the town of Barujurd, whence appeals for assistance are now reaching the government. The peasantry lost practically all their herds and it is estimated that from 10,000 to 12,000 head of cattle perished.

This is the first exact location of the violent earth shock of Jan. 23rd, it having been supposed up today that the disturbance had centered in western Asia in Asiatic Russia or even in the waters of Indian ocean. The records showed that the tremors were practically the same as those of the Italian earthquake on Dec. 28.

The province of Luristan is mountainous and sparsely settled. It is about 200 miles southwest of Teheran and the only communication with the Persian capital is by courier. The inhabitants are chiefly Bakhtyars, an offshoot of the Iranian people, San Juan, Porto Rico, Feb. 24.—Heavy earthquakes were felt throughout the island of Porto Rico at three o'clock this morning. The inhabitants were awakened and their alarm was great. No damage, however, was done.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Feb. 24.—A heavy earth shock was experienced here this morning. No damage was done.

Kills Would-be Slayer.

A merciless murderer is appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Chills, Malaria, Headache and Indigestion. 25c at J. H. Orme and Haynes & Taylor.

A Letter from Carsville

Carsville, Ky., Feb. 25, '09.
Editor Record-Press:

I herewith send money to renew my subscription to your paper. I have been a subscriber for the last thirty years and can not do without it.

J. A. Trimble.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the good

neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness of our dear Brownie, who died February 2. May God's blessings rest upon you is our prayer.

Mrs. Mary C. Lofton
and family.

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 all by druggists.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our dear mother.

F. L. DANIEL AND SISTER.

Boyd Winchester Dying.

The Hon. Boyd Winchester, lawyer, statesman, writer, orator and traveler, and one of the most distinguished men of the South, is dying at Norton Memorial infirmary in this city. Mr. Winchester has been confined to his apartments at the infirmary for several months, suffering from nervous prostration, and now the end is only a matter of a few hours.

Mr. Winchester was born in Louisiana in September, 1838. He served two terms in congress and in 1885 was minister to Switzerland.

Hungarian Orchestra, March 5th.

The Singers and Players' Club, which was to have furnished the next number of the entertainment course, has cancelled its Southern dates, and in its stead we have secured a much higher priced company, Schalk's Hungarian Orchestra.

This orchestra was first brought to the United States during the World's Fair, and consists of eight performers, each an artist. Mr. Schalk is one of the greatest flute soloists in the world.

We are indeed fortunate to have secured such a superior company for our course. It is without doubt the finest orchestra ever heard in Marion. Their program covers a very wide range and there will be music for every taste, for they play everything from "Turk in the Straw," to the "Spring Song," the overture of Orpheus and Euridice.

Offers \$8,000 to Feed Animals.

Adolph Meltzer, a retired millionaire soap manufacturer of Evansville, said had offered \$8,000 to the state legislature to establish a bureau in the state for the purpose of feeding dumb animals whose owners were unable to buy feed for them.

Two Others Fall.

Fremont Bonnett, Modoc, Ind., says: "I used two other remedies and lost twenty-six out of eighty-five head of hogs. I then used Boarhog Hog Cholera Remedy and it cured my hogs." Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

When you think of eating, think of

J. C. SPEES
The Old Reliable
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Pierce Building, Salem Street.

Meals and Lunches Served at all Hours. Tables Supplied with the Best the Market Affords.

Try me once and you're sure to come back for you always get a square meal, and of course its natural for one to go where he can get the best meal for the least money, and this is the place.

J. C. Spees, Marion, Ky.

ELECTION OFFICERS APPOINTED

For The Republican Primary Election to be Held Saturday March Thirtieth.

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINE.

MARION No. 1: J. M. Freeman and Charles Elder, judges; H. A. Haynes, clerk; Marc, Belt, sheriff.

MARION No. 2: W. C. Bryant and U. S. Graves, judges; H. Kolinsky, clerk; E. R. Merriock, sheriff.

MARION No. 3: E. M. Duvall and I. C. Hughes, judges; Jim Tolley, clerk; R. H. Elder, sheriff.

MARION No. 4: J. R. Clark and Will Crayne, judges; Aaron Bebout, clerk; A. M. Henry, sheriff.

MARION No. 5: W. A. Woodall and A. J. Duvall, judges; B. L. Wilborn, clerk; J. Frank Conger, sheriff.

FRANCIS: W. E. Asbridge and J. T. Matthews, judges; C. W. Fox, clerk; Robert Rushing, sheriff.

DYCKSBURG: J. N. McKinney and Jesse Grimes, judges; J. E. Turley, clerk; Hugh Dalton, sheriff.

UNION: Berrv Allison and J. L. Settles, judges; R. A. LaRue, clerk; R. M. Pogue, sheriff.

SHERIDAN: Henry Bealmer and T. J. Hoover, judges; A. J. Bebout, clerk; J. J. Porter, sheriff.

TOLU: C. W. Taylor and Harry, judges; J. H. Myers, clerk; J. N. Belt, sheriff.

FORDS FERRY: C. M. Clift and F. E. Watson, judges; T. N. Wolford, clerk; J. M. Ford, sheriff.

BELLS MINES: J. B. Hida and J. R. Sarlis, judges; M. A. Wilson, clerk; Chas. Brown, sheriff.

ROSE BUD: A. H. Metz and S. A. Dillard, judges; A. A. Fritts, clerk; Ed Powell, sheriff.

PINEY: R. S. Edwards and B. H. Crowell, judges; J. N. Walker, clerk; M. K. Givens, sheriff.

SHADY GROVE: George Lamb and I. W. Talley, judges; W. M. Babb, clerk; J. T. Clayton, sheriff.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
COUGH SYRUP

FOR SALE

A farm of 124 acres, two miles from Salem on the Smithland road, 30 acres in white oak timber, balance in grass. Plenty of stock water, springs and creek, mineral vein located by state geologist. Box house two rooms, log stable. Possession any time before April 1.

J. T. Cobb,
Salem, Ky.

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How to Cure
Constipation

Simple Home Remedy That Is Safe and Pleasant

Few people escape constipation. Catching cold, over eating, worry, lack of exercise, failure to answer promptly the calls of nature, diseased or weakened system or strong medicines may cause it. The too common practice of taking salts, or pills or some such violent cathartic has always done more harm than good. They make the bowels act quickly and violently simply because they irritate them, and leave them in a worse condition than before.

What is needed is a mild easy herb laxative, that gives regular daily movements in all cases, yet does not pain or gripe, and which will strengthen the bowels and tone up the system instead of depleting it.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin taken at night before going to bed will bring an easy pleasant natural movement in the morning even in the most obstinate cases and without any bad effects. No pain, no gripe and it is so safe and pleasant to take, mothers give it to their babies with splendid results. It is an aid to digestion and tones up the system as well as cures bowel trouble. Dr. L. E. Covey, Savannah, Tenn., writes: "I get better results from it than any Pepsin I ever used." Dr. T. Jones, Osgood, Mo., says: "I consider Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin the best of all laxatives." Mrs. Almon Willis, Jamaica, Vt., says: "I truly believe it saved my little boy's life." Rev. A. J. Fletcher, Rutherford, Tenn., says: "I am 80 years old and your Syrup Pepsin has cured me of dyspepsia and bowel trouble."

W. D. Jackson, Burns Station, Tenn., says: "I was afflicted with constipation and dyspepsia for nine years, and found no relief until I used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin." All druggists sell it at 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

We are glad to send a free sample to any reader of this paper who has never used it and will give it a fair trial. Write today to Pepsin Syrup Co., 203 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL.

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Marion People Know How to Save It.

Many Marion people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is a Marion citizen's recommendation.

M. Schwab, Main St., Marion, Ky., says:

"For several years I suffered from kidney complaint and I am glad to say that Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me promptly. I had a dull ache in my back and when I did any stooping or lifting, sharp twinges seized me and caused much misery. I felt languid, was nervous and often suffered from dizzy spells. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Haynes & Taylor's drug store and their use according to directions, effected a cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

A SQUARE DEAL

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Is assured wide-awake people qualified in commercial and stenographic branches.

UNQUALIFIED Position, uncertain. Salary, poor. Promotion, doubtful.

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Don't delay.

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Fresh, Reliable, Pure Guaranteed to Please

Every Gardener and Planter should test the superior merits of our Northern grown seeds. SPECIAL OFFER FOR 10 CENTS

FAMOUS COLLECTION

1 lb. White Clover	10c
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1 lb. Sweet Vernalis	10c
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Spring Suits are now coming in, So Don't buy elsewhere until you have seen ours.

We still have some "close out" lots of Suits and Extra Pants. You'll certainly miss a bargain if you miss getting some of them.

15.00	Suits	7.50	\$4.50 & \$5. Pants	\$2.50
14.00	"	7.00		
12.50	"	6.25	\$3.50 to \$4. Pants	\$2.00

We mean to close out in the next Two Weeks.

The most up-to-date line of Ladies and Misses Spring Jackets ever brought to Marion. Don't fail to see them, they are direct from the Factory to Us, you know what this means to you. **TRY THEM.**

Don't forget that we have plenty of tobacco canvas, Shipped to us direct from the mill that weave it. Don't fail to see it if you need any.

Spring Gingham; Laces and Embroideries. Wide Bands and Wide Embroideries. Lace and Swiss All-Overs.

SHIRTS

New line of Spring Shirts You know what this means. We are leaders in this line.

HATS

If you want the Best Latest and the Cheapest Hat in the County get one from us.

The Shoes that Wear Longest and Fit Best, Look Better and Give Most Comfort ought to please you. We have them and they don't cost you any more than many others not half so good. **TRY THEM.**

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F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building

Mrs. R. F. Haynes is visiting Miss Lily Cook in Paducah this week.

Mrs. H. C. Love, of Sheridan, was the guest of her son Eugene last week.

Don't forget Dan Hubbard's restaurant.

Charles Flannery, of O'Hara, were the guests of his mother Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George Roberts and her little daughter have returned from New Orleans.

Compare our work with new stuff, Morganfield Laundry, Enoch Fritts, Agent.

William Barntt, the Tolu planter and capitalist, was in the city several days last week.

Henry Bennett, formerly of Dycusburg, now of New Albany, Ind., was in the city several days last week.

John G. Miller, of the law firm of Hendricks, Miller & Marble, Paducah, was here last week on legal business.

Hopkinsville Steam Laundry, the old reliable—don't change hands every week. Roy Gilbert, Agt.

Miss Leaffa Wilborn returned Friday from a week's sojourn at Providence, where she was the guest of Misses Nelle and Rebecca Williams.

W. H. Clark has located his located in Hoxie, Kansas, and has "hung out his shingle" to practice law. Mr. Clark's friends here wish him much success.

Hon. L. H. James, who has been in Louisville an at Frankfort on business before the court of appeals, arrived home Friday.

Mrs. J. F. Wyatt, of Fredonia, was the guest of her nieces, Mesdames Roberts and Wilson Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Best Laundry in the state is at Morganfield. Send your work to them, it costs no more—Enoch Fritts, Agent.

Dr. G. W. Stone

OPTEMETIST.

Eyes Tested, Glasses Fitted Exact to Test.

WORK GUARANTEED.

Office.—Press Building,

Permanently Located.

MARION, KENTUCKY,

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building Born to the wife of Alves Stephens March 2, a son.

When you give your laundry to me I send to Hopkinsville Steam Laundry. I will stay in business until it gets back. Roy Gilbert, Agt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sumnerville of Mattoon, were guests of her parents Sunday.

Born to the wife of E. J. Hayward, February 27, a daughter.

W. D. Crowell left Wednesday for Montgomery, Ala., on a business trip.

The seventh annual Kentucky State Fair will be held at Louisville, Ky., Sept. 13th, to 18th, inclusive 1909. J. W. NEWMAN, Secretary, 320 Paul Jones Bldg.

Mr. Burl Williams, of Providence, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Gugenheim, while her husband is in the markets.

FOR SALE—Pure Buff Plymouth Rock eggs, 50 cents per sitting of 15.—Mrs. FRED CRUCK, Route 2 Marion, Ky. 39 3t

Maurice Horning, of Iron Hill, left Tuesday for Oklahoma to visit his brother-in-law, Gus Lemon.

Miss May Jackson, of Fredonia Valley, was the guest of Rev. M. E. Miller and family Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Koon was the guest of Rev. Martin E. Miller and family Sunday.

Mrs. Addie Clark, of Springfield, Mo., arrived this week to spend a month visiting her father, Thomas Conyer.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs paid his thirtieth subscription to this paper this week. Few have done as well—None better.

WANTED—2nd hand bags and burlap; any kind, any quantity anywhere; we pay freight. Richmond Bag Co., Richmond, Va. 37 10t

Calvin Clark, of Rosa Clare, Ill., was here this week. He reported everything dull over there except the river which is booming.

FOR SALE—Two hundred soft maple trees at 20 cents each. Two years old.—W. D. HAYNES, Marion, Ky.

Thomas W. Moore, of Fredonia, was the guest of his brother, Joel Moore, this week.

O. A. Barbee, who conducted the meeting here at the C. P. church, left for Sturgis Monday afternoon.

Miss Mary Wyatt and little Miss Mary Gholson, of Fredonia, were the guests of Mesdames Roberts and Wilson Sunday.

Mrs. Zula Love, who will be the fore lady at Mrs. Hubbard's millinery store, has returned from the eastern markets, where she purchased the spring goods for Mrs. Hubbard's Emporium.

Special bill of fair County Court day at Hubbard's restaurant.

Charles B. Hina, of Sturgis, was here Saturday and Sunday, the guest of his wife's brother, C. E. Weldon.

Logan Moore, of Crider section, was here Monday.

Only white skillful workmen at the Morganfield Laundry.—Enoch Fritts, Agent.

W. A. Pierce, John Butler, H. W. Grimes and H. G. Howard, all of Salem, were in the city Friday on business.

Miss Myrtle Stone, an attractive little lady of the Post Oak section, was the guest of D. J. Hubbard and family last week.

We use only distilled water and natural tallow soap for washing. Morganfield Laundry, Enoch Fritts, Agent.

J. Q. Lawson and nephew, Jack Lawson, left Thursday for Decatur, Ala., where Lawson Bros., have a timber deal on foot.

H. V. Stone and J. M. Brown, who attended the Mardi Gras festivities at New Orleans, returned home Thursday.

Morganfield Laundry does the best work. I will call for and deliver your work.—Enoch Fritts, Agt.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs has been called to Repton as pastor of the Baptist church and will probably accept.

Leave your laundry at Ramage's Tin Shop and I will appreciate it, Enoch Fritts.

Mrs. J. W. Belt and sons, Roy and Courtney, are in St. Louis, the guests of her brother, James E. Hill. She will be absent two or three weeks.

Allen Paris, son of Dr. W. J. J. Paris, of Cave-in-Rock, Ill., who formerly lived here and attended the Marion Graded School, is now clerk on the teamer "Electra" which runs between Nashville and Evansville.

Ernest Paris, who formerly lived here, has now a fine position in Blytheville, Ark., with a big drug concern. He formerly worked for R. F. Haynes and is a graduate of the Marion High School.

WANTED.—Second hand bags and burlap; any kind, any quantity anywhere. Write for prices. RICHMOND BAG CO., 40 10t Richmond, Va.

Dr. W. J. J. Paris has sold out at Cave-in-Rock and will probably hunt a new location this fall. He does not give position until October, which gives him ample time to arrange all his business affairs there before removing.

In a few days call and see the newest and most exclusive designs in Spring Millinery at Mrs. E. L. FRANKLIN'S, Salem, Ky. 4t.

When looking for a place to get dinner. Remember Fortman George cooks for Hubbard.

J. A. Dunn, of Crider, was here Monday.

Charles N. Bird, of Fredonia, was in the city on business Monday.

E. T. Franklin and son, Hollis, of Hebron, were here Monday.

We use only highest priced supplies because they give best results. Morganfield Laundry, Enoch Fritts, Agent.

Miss Mamie Glasgow, of Kuttawa, is the guest of Miss Effie Vaughn this week.

Mrs. E. L. Franklin is now in the markets selecting the most stylish and up-to-date line of Spring Millinery ever shown in western Kentucky.

S. Gugenheim left Sunday for the markets to purchase the spring stock for the Yandell—Gugenheim Co.

Dr. Jos. A. H. Miller of this city, and Dr. J. N. Todd, of Fredonia, are attending the railroad surgeons' meeting at Memphis.—Princeton Leader.

Norbourne Farris, of Salem, passed through the city Tuesday enroute to Memphis, Tennessee.

A. M. Wigginton and wife, of Fredonia, were the guests of her mother, Mrs. H. P. Long.

Henry Macabee, of Curlew, who was the guest of his brother James Macabee, several days this week, has returned home.

W. D. Crowell, who went on a prospecting tour, returned home Saturday.

James Macabee, who has been confined to his room at the McConnell hotel, has so far recovered as to be able to go to Curlew to visit his parents.

Rev. Ramsey, who was expected to preach Sunday at the Southern Presbyterian church will not be here on that date.

Former Judge Aaron Towery was in the city Tuesday enroute to Brown's school house where he spoke at night to the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America.

Mrs. Eugene Love returned last week from Nashville, where she has been selecting the spring stock millinery for Mrs. C. B. Hubbard. She will assist Mrs. Hubbard through the season.

Rev. A. J. Thompson, of Kuttawa, filled the pulpit at the 11 o'clock service at the Presbyterian church U. S. A. Sunday morning. He called in the evening appointment on account of the protracted meeting at the Cumberland church.

CLOVER SEED FOR \$6 AT FARMERS' GROCERY.

Rev. M. E. Miller and family, Mrs. Fannie Koon and Miss Mary Jackson, of Fredonia Valley, were the guests of Monday and Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Asbridge on Wilson Hill.

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Revs. J. F. Price, of Marion, J. N. Andre, of Fredonia, A. J. Thompson, of Kuttawa, E. H. Bull, of Hopkinsville, and J. R. Henry, of Paducah, attended a business meeting of the Princeton Presbytery in this city Friday.—Princeton Leader.

Mrs. J. W. Martin and family, who visited her mother, Mrs. Franklin, and her brother, E. T. Franklin, of Hebron section for the past month, left for their home in Missouri Monday afternoon.

The National airs were sung at the oratorical contest by a choir of fifty of the children from the first four Grades of the school and 'twas as sweet as could be. The children, each and every one, carried their parts and all kept good time and 'twas a genuine treat to hear them.

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Rev. and Mrs. L. O. Spencer, of Elizabethtown enroute from Marion, where they were called on account of the death of Mrs. Spencer's father, Maj. F. M. Clement, spent Wednesday and yesterday in the city with friends. Rev. Spencer served as pastor of the Southern Presbyterian church here covering a period of nineteen years, and is therefore well and fondly remembered by our people, who were delighted to see him and Mrs. Spencer.—Princeton Leader.

NEW SALEM.

Miss Edith Beard is on the sick list. The candidates are as thick as fiddlers in Georgia.

Most of our people attended the funeral J. A. Davidson.

No more roads before May.

Mrs. Agnes Beard has moved from Wheatcroft to New Salem sec-

Leave your laundry at Ramage's Tin Shop. Enoch Fritts, Agt.

Tobacco crop about all delivered in this section.

Mrs. B. Hopkins and son, Robin, left for their home at Howard, Colo., this week after spending the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Harpending.

Richard Bobout and sister, Miss Kate, of Sheridan, spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of T. A. Harpending and family.

John Holloman and wife, of Hannas were the guests of Mrs. Holloman's parents last week.

Bro. Woodruff filled his regular appointment at New Salem Saturday and Sunday.

We understand that there is a prospect of a grist mill being put at New Salem. Let her come.

Preparations are being made for a full crop of tobacco in 1909.

Bread stuff promises to be higher this summer than in the past twenty years.

It is about time that some one was coming out as a candidate to represent this and Livingston counties in the next legislature.

Rollie Clark and wife, of Dawson, are the guests of Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ladd.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Friday, March 12th, on account of my bad health, resulting from an attack of measles last March, I have decided to sell all of personal property on the above date (if not sold at private sale before that time.) Sale will take place at my farm, two miles North of Shady Grove and Fishtrap road. The following is a partial list of what I will offer for sale:

Two horses, three mares heavy in foal, three mules, four milk cows, other stock cattle, stock hogs, and sheep, lot of corn and hay, two wagons, one buggy, two binders, two mowing machines and rakes, two corn planters, single and double, farming implements of all kinds, household and kitchen furniture.

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, an American, a Massachusetts man marooned by authorities at Valparaiso, Chile. Being interested in mining operations in Bolivia, he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding. At his hotel his attention was attracted by an Englishman and a young woman.

CHAPTER II.—Stephens rescued the young woman from a drunken officer. He was thanked by her.

CHAPTER III.—Admiral of the Peruvian navy confronted Stephens, told him that war had been declared between Chile and Peru and offered him the office of captain. He desired that that night the Esmeralda, a Chilean vessel, should be captured. Stephens accepted the commission.

CHAPTER IV.—Stephens met a motley crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions.

CHAPTER V.—They successfully captured the vessel supposed to be the Esmeralda, through strategy.

CHAPTER VI.—Capt. Stephens gave directions for the departure of the craft.

CHAPTER VII.—He entered the cabin and discovered the English woman and her maid.

CHAPTER VIII.—Stephens quickly learned the wrong vessel had been captured. Lord Darlington's private yacht, the Sea Queen, was being taken aboard. He explained the situation to her ladyship.

CHAPTER IX.—Then First Mate Tuttle laid bare the plot, saying that the Sea Queen had been taken in order to go to the Antarctic circle.

CHAPTER X.—Tuttle explained that on a former voyage he had learned that the Donna Isabel was lost in 1783. He had found it frozen in a huge case of ice on an island and contained much gold.

CHAPTER XI.—Stephens, however, consented to be captain of the expedition. He told Lady Darlington. She was greatly alarmed, but expressed confidence in him.

CHAPTER XII.—The Sea Queen encountered a vessel in the fog. Stephens attempted to communicate, which caused a fierce struggle and he was overcome. Tuttle finally squaring the situation. Then the Sea Queen headed south again.

CHAPTER XIII.—Under Tuttle's guidance the vessel made progress toward its goal.

CHAPTER XIV.—De Nova, the mate, told Stephens he believed Tuttle, now acting as skipper, insane because of his queer actions.

CHAPTER XV.—Stephens was awakened by crashing of glass. He saw Tuttle in the grip of a spasm of religious mania and overcame him. The sailor upon regaining his senses was taken ill.

CHAPTER XVI.—Tuttle committed suicide by shooting. Upon vote of the crew Stephens assumed the leadership and the men decided to continue the treasure hunt, the islands being supposed to be only 30 miles distant.

CHAPTER XVII.—Tuttle was buried in the sea. Lady Darlington pronouncing the service. Stephens awaiting from sleep the ghost, supposed to have formed the basis for Tuttle's religious mania.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Upon advice of Lady Darlington, Stephens started to probe the ghost. He came upon Juan Sanchez, the drunken officer he had humbled in Chile. He found that at Sanchez' inspiration, Engineer McKnight played "ghost" to scare the men into giving up the quest.

CHAPTER XIX.—Stephens announced that the Sea Queen was at the spot where Tuttle's quest was supposed to be. The crew was anxious to go on in further search. De Nova and Stephens conquered them in a flat fight. Lady Darlington thanked him.

CHAPTER XX.—The Sea Queen started northward. She was wrecked in a fog. Stephens, De Nova, Lady Darlington and her maid being among those to set out in a life boat.

CHAPTER XXI.—Ten were rescued. Stephens saw only one chance in a thousand for life. Lady Darlington confessed her love to Stephens and he did likewise.

CHAPTER XXII.—Lady Darlington told her life story, how she had been bartered for a title, her yearning for absent love. She revealed herself as the school chum of Stephens' sister. She expressed a wish to die in the sea rather than face her former friends and go back to the old life. A ship was sighted.

CHAPTER XXIII.—The craft proved to be a derelict. They boarded her. She was frozen tight with hundreds of years of ice. Stephens found frozen bodies.

CHAPTER XXIV.—They accomplished the gruesome task of cleaning the cabin of the frozen bodies and rendering it fit for habitation. The vessel was the Donna Isabel, lost in 1783, 126 years previous.

CHAPTER XXV.—They read the log of the Isabel, which told how the Spaniards had died from cold, one by one. Lady Darlington sang to prevent the men from becoming moody.

CHAPTER XXVI.—The crew commenced the hunt for treasure. They found the iron chest, said to contain part of 3,000,000 pesos, firmly imbedded in ice. Lady Darlington expressed the belief that it would never benefit the men, for she said the Donna Isabel would never reach port.

CHAPTER XXVII.—The men got a hint for gold. Stephens quailed at the thought of the gold. He showed indications of sinking. They prepared to depart with what treasure had been found.

CHAPTER XXVIII.—The next morning they departed. Stephens went back to try to rescue Cole, a gold-crazed negro, who was hunting treasure in the hold. Stephens plunged into the icy sea a moment before the Donna Isabel sank. His mates rescued him, the negro being lost.

CHAPTER XXIX.—Exposure made nearly everyone but Lady Darlington and Stephens insane. He loved her but kept him buoyed up through the terrible days and nights at sea in the open boat. One sailor jumped overboard his pockets laden with gold. Sanchez broke his leg. Stephens' mind became blank.

CHAPTER XXX.—Two days later they were rescued by a steamer. For three days Stephens hovered between life and death. Arouned to consciousness and finally health, he was told how Lord Darlington had been stabbed to death by Sanchez, who fleeing, joined the pirate party and died the day of the rescue. Stephens and Lady Darlington plighted their troth.

CHAPTER III.

In Which Opportunity Comes, A period of decided depression fol-

lowed, the earlier vision of youth fading swiftly as I realized what the message of this card plainly meant, and contemplated the social gulf yawning between myself and this woman of the English aristocracy. A cat may look at a king, and a South American adventurer might venture to gaze admiringly upon this beautiful gentlewoman, yet vaulting ambition should have a care lest it overleap itself. Oh, well, it was not much I had to overcome—merely an impression, a fugitive admiration which would early perish, for it was hardly probable we should ever meet again, in spite of his lordship's stiff invitation, and her exceeding warm glance secretly sending it.

I smiled grimly at thought of so insane a dream of love at such a time and place. Here was I, alone, unable to change my environment, every movement bringing new danger, almost certain of early detection, the result imprisonment or death; yet turning aside to quarrel with one only too glad to denounce me should he discover the truth, and totally forgetting every caution in sudden admiration for a girl never seen before, probably never to be seen again. But a smile can leave a deeper wound than a sword, and my mind would recur, in spite of other intervening thoughts, to the pleasant mystery behind her gracious words and action. I was thus

lingering over the bits and pieces, dreaming a fool's dream, and I was doing at the cause of that endless racket in the streets below, with the chorus of vivas arising from the crowded plaza, when the open window facing my table became suddenly darkened by a burly figure. Before I could push back my chair, the unwelcome intruder on my privacy was politely bowing before me, one hand pressed upon his heart.

"Pardon, senior, my so abrupt appearance"—and I gazed curiously into a round, bronzed face, guarded by closely clipped side-whiskers, and illumined by steady black eyes—"but the waiter said I should certainly find you alone here, and my need was most urgent. I address the Senior West?"

It was the name I had assumed, and, with closely pressed lips, I bowed in silent acknowledgment of my identity, feeling little doubt about the man's mission. The round, rather complacent face broke into a genial smile of relief.

"Must fortunate I am thus to discover you with such facility," he continued fluently, using both hands in gesticulation. "Senior, it is now a great favor I would ask. Could you yield me the honor of a private interview in my own room?" pointing upward impressively. "It is upon the floor above."

"If your mission is in regard to the Sanchez affair, senior," I returned somewhat coldly, "privacy is hardly necessary. The preliminary details can all be arranged here."

He gazed at me in surprise, rubbing his hands together swiftly.

"The Sanchez affair! I know not as to that, senior. The matter on which I come is most delicate, most secret; it is not for other ears. 'Tis because of what I would communicate that I seek private audience."

I remained motionless, looking straight at him, my teeth clenched on my cigar, my mind busy with expedients. If his call had nothing whatever to do with my quarrel with Sanchez, it must be an arrest. Yet why was the fellow so mysterious? What did he require of me in private audience? Ah! a bribe, probably—he desired to learn first what amount I would give for an opportunity to escape. I arose to my feet, the whole affair settled within my own mind, and cool enough to take advantage of every opening thus presented.

"Very well, senior; lead the way and I will follow."

"Bueno!" He laid one hand upon my shoulder, his eyes darkening with delight. "You have the courage, senior, the audacity of the brave soul. 'Tis in the face, the eye, and gives me hope of my mission already. We will go by the outside stairway, so as to be unobserved by those within."

I followed him silently up the steep iron steps and along the narrow, dimly lighted hall. He paused finally, unlocking a door, and stood politely aside while I entered. A moment he lingered outside, peering suspiciously up and down the deserted hallway, and, stepping within, closed and bolted the door, even carefully lowering the transom before turning up the gas lights. He hastily crossed the room, shut down the single window, and drew closer the heavy shade. I watched these evidences of excessive caution with considerable amusement—undoubtedly bribery of the Valparaiso secret police was considered a most serious affair. A table occupied the center of the room, and with a wave of his rather fat hand my mysterious companion invited me to occupy a chair beside it. The perplexity exhibited by his troubled face caused me to

smile again.

"So, senior, to you it was all fun," he said, gravely, gesticulating with vigor. "But I appreciate the danger, the peril of discovery. Everywhere lurk the spies, and what I have to say is not for other ears. Senior, I have addressed you as the Senior West, for so I was bidden; but the man I really seek is not in truth of any such name," his voice sinking to the merest whisper, as he leaned impressively toward me across the table. "It is Senior Estevan."

I crossed my legs in apparently careless indifference, my fingers resting on the butt of the revolver in my pocket, undecided yet whether this was to be war or peace, but prepared for a bold play in either case.

"I am Jack Stephens; so you may proceed, senior."

"Ah! 'Tis as I was told!" his face brightening instantly, his hands delving within an inside pocket of his coat. "This card—see; it is written in the English—it will tell you if I be trusted, if I be all right. You know the handwriting, senior, the man who wrote it?"

I accepted the bit of pasteboard curiously. It was the business card of a well-known sugar firm, and I ran my eyes hastily over the few lines dimly traced on the back: "Bearer is all he represents himself to be; you may do business with him safely.—G. P. L." I glanced upward at the anxious face of the man opposite; he was evidently tingling with excitement.

"You know him, senior? You know the handwriting? You believe him? What is it he says? I read not the English."

"Yes; we are acquainted. He is George Loring, a friend of mine. He says you are what you represent yourself to be, and that I may transact business with you in perfect safety. Now, then, what are you—an agent of the police?"

He shrugged his broad shoulders, spreading his hands deprecatingly.

"No, no; Cleio, no! Does he not tell you my name?"

I shook my head negatively, my interest already deeply increased.

"No! He was most cautious. It was best so; but now I tell you, and you believe." Again he leaned forward, his voice sinking to a mere whisper. "I am Don Emilio de Castillo."

My face must have expressed no familiarity with the name, for he sprang briskly to his feet, shaking a fat, official-looking envelope before my eyes.

"What! you recognize it not? Caramba! then I shall show you, senior. You read Spanish, si? This will tell why I speak with the authority of my nation. See—I am admiral of the Peruvian navy. I have the power, the right, the authority, to say what I now speak to you. You believe that, senior?"

"Yes," I replied, soberly, by now fully awakened to the fact that this was to be no ordinary meeting. "I believe all you say; more, now I remember your name, Don Emilio; but what are you doing here? What is it you desire of me?"

"You know not! You know not what all this means!" he questioned, pointing with trembling finger toward the window. Before I could answer he burst forth vehemently: "It is war, senior; war, disgracefully declared this very day between Chile and my country—the pigs! the cowards! the bull-

He sprang to his feet as if crazed with sudden excitement, and began pacing the room, waving his hands with wild gesticulations. "They think to fright us, senior, but they will learn a lesson. We will fight, senior; fight to the knife. It will not be vivas they will shout—these Chilean dogs—when the Peruvians come to their country. Then they will be begging on their knees for mercy, Sangre de Cristo! but we will show them what war means!"

I watched him earnestly, already beginning dimly to perceive in all this a possible opening for my own escape.

"War!" I repeated. "And declared today? It has come suddenly, although I am aware there have been months of controversy. Did Peru expect such a result? Is she prepared?"

He paused in his nervous walk, his hands outspread on the table, his dark eyes glowing with mine.

"Both yes and no, senior. We knew well that nothing save war could ever wipe out the Chilean insults to our country. Yet we hoped for more time in which to prepare. Cleio! it is not lack of men—no! no! the army is strong, valiant, senior; it will fight to the death. But the navy! Dios de Dios! we have not the ships, senior."

They come not yet, those we have bought in Europe. 'Tis that which has brought me here in disguise to Valparaiso; 'tis that which brings me now to you."

I watched him closely without venturing response, and he sank into a chair, his elbows on the table.

"Si, now I explain it all to you," his voice falling so low I could scarcely follow. "We know for two weeks past war was to come. We have only a few warships, one, two, three; not enough to fight Chile, or even guard our own coast. We have the men sufficient, but not the ships, senior. What could I do? I, the admiral? There was but one hope—the audacity of surprise. They must be taken from the enemy; we must strike the first blow, and at the very heart of the Chilean navy. I come here incognito; I come before war has been declared; I study and observe. To a brave man chances for action come, senior, and so I found what I sought. You know about the Esmeralda, senior?"

I sat up suddenly in my chair, gripping my cigar between my teeth.

"The Esmeralda! You mean that steam yacht the Chilean government purchased from Brazil?"

"Si," his eyes glowing eagerly; "you are a sailor, and so would know of her. She is beautiful, strong, swift, a most dangerous vessel if well handled. Have you ever seen her, senior?"

"Only through field-glasses from the balcony of the hotel. She rode at anchor well off the government mole in the roadstead the last I remember."

He clasped his fingers on my arm, leaning eagerly forward until his face was pressed close to mine.

"She lies there yet, senior, but only for tonight—Dios de Dios! only for tonight! To-morrow they warp her in beside the quay, her crew comes aboard, her armament, her provisions, and she is made ready for sea. Holy mother, such a chance, and only for tonight! Think of it, senior, and wonder no longer if I seemed crazed. She lies out there now in the darkness, swinging to a single anchor chain, her steam up, the nearest battery a quarter of a mile away, and not a half dozen men aboard her. It is as a gift of heaven. Yet, sangre de Cristo! he who should lead the venture lies delirious from fever. Was there ever such cursed luck before!" He gripped his head between his two hands, but I was already upon my feet, my mind instantly grasping the situation.

"Don Emilio," I exclaimed, eagerly, gripping his shoulder, and compelling him to look up, "let me understand this clearly. You had perfected plans to capture and run off this Esmeralda the moment war was formally declared? You have organized a crew for the work, and they are waiting the word here now in Valparaiso? Their leader is suddenly stricken ill, and you have no one capable of taking his place—is that why you have come to me?"

"Si, si, senior."

"How did you learn about me?"

"From Senior Loring. He has lived in Peru. I have known him long."

"But you must have other officers in your party; what of them?"

He spread his hands in a gesture of utter helplessness.

"Senior, I brought with me only the one. It was not safe to bring more. Besides, what need? This Valparaiso is a great seaport; here we may always find the acumen of the seven seas; here ever are plenty of men glad enough to fight and plunder—'tis their trade. Cleio! we could enroll 100 devils in an hour along the waterfront, hell-hounds of the ocean, caring nothing for the flag above them if the pay be good."

"True; and you have them ready at hand. Where are they?"

"At the wine shop of Rodriguez beyond the plaza. You know the place?"

I nodded, my memory instantly recalling the foul den.

"How many?"

"Twenty—it is enough for a surprise, and they are sea-rats, senior."

"But they are under officers?"

"Of their own kind, yes, but not of our navy. The first officer is a Yankee whaler; the second I know not what, only he is a deep-water sailor."

"I see." I acknowledged, taking a long breath, yet continuing to stare at him. "What you need is some one able to command such an outfit, one who can operate a steamship."

Like a flash the official envelope came forth again.

"Si, si, and you can do that, senior. I know; I have been told. You hate this Chile; you fight her already in the hills; you hide here now for your life. I come to give you a chance to get away free. But I not stop even with that; no, no, my country not stop with that. See! here I possess the commission, all signed and sealed by my government, of a captain in the Peruvian navy. Only is the name left blank for me to write in. I write in your name; that makes you an officer of the Peruvian navy. See you what it means? Chile dare not touch you except as prisoner of war. Is that not right, senior? But I not stop even with that—no, no! When the Esmeralda comes safely to Peru, the government pays you five thousand American dollars in gold. I pledge you that, I, Emilio de Castillo, admiral!"

I walked the floor twice from wall to wall, thinking swiftly, the sudden elgar clinched tightly between my teeth. I could perceive no reason why the deed might not be accomplished if luck favored, and I was sufficiently young so that the danger rather appealed than repelled. Suddenly I wheeled and faced him, still seated at the table.

"You may fill out the blank, senior," I announced, quietly. "I will try a throw of the dice."

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Candidates are plentiful now, and the primary will soon be here and some of them will get to go home and take hold of the plow handles.

Preaching every second and fourth Sundays and Sunday School every Sunday at Pleasant Hill.

Mr. Murray, of Harrison, Tenn., was through this part of the county Sunday enroute to St. Louis. Mr. Murray aims to leave for the west in the near future.

Any one wishing to buy a good span of mules should see Mr. Murray at once.

J. W. Travis was the guest of Will Rice Sunday.

What is it that seems so attractive to Clarence Maves. He is present at church every Sunday.

Mr. Massey, of Marion, visited his son, Will Massey, Saturday night.

Ask the boys around Pleasant Hill about pooling their tobacco, and await the answer.

With best wishes to the RECORD-PRESS and its readers, I remain, A SON.

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S T Brown, R F D No 5
J M McConnell, Shady Grove
A J Stenbridge, Marion
Clarence Crittenden, Shady Grov
C Crittenden, Twidleville
John E Green, Salem
Lee Stallion, Shady Grove
P M McGraw, Joy
Ben Drennon, Iron Hill
Dr W J J Paris, Crayne-Rock
James Hill, R F D No 2
Abe Klyman, Madisonville
Mary Towery, Piney
A L Allen, Salem
Ira T Pierce, Louisville
Eh Gilbert, R F D No 4
Lem Hamble, Blodgett Mo
Wm Vachon, Providence
A Jones, Sheridan
W T Conner, Salem
J W Shaffer, Tolu

Her Only Hope.

Mrs. Newton B. Thomas, Christianburg, Ky., says: "I have used your Bourbon Poultry Cure and know that it will cure Turkey Cholera. It is my only hope of raising the birds next year." Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

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PUBLIC SALE.

On Saturday, March 12th, on account of my bad health, resulting from an attack of measles last March, I have decided to sell all of personal property on the above date (if not sold at private sale before that time.) Sale will take place at my farm, two miles North of Shady Grove and Fishtrap road. The following is a partial list of what I will offer for sale:

Two horses, three mares heavy in foal, three mules, four milk cows, other stock cattle, stock hogs, and sheep, lot of corn and hay, two wagons, one buggy, two binders, two mowing machines and rakes, two corn planters, single and double, farming implements of all kinds, household and kitchen furniture.

Terms made known on day of sale. Two good farms for sale. No. one contains 75 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, 5 acres in timber. House of four rooms, good tobacco barn and stock barn, plenty of water, and a fine orchard. In good community, two miles to church, one fourth mile to school house. Price low and easy terms will be made.

No. two, 140 acres, 125 acres in cultivation, balance in timber. House of three rooms, good barn and stable. Good orchard. Plenty of stock water, and is an ideal stock farm. In good community. Two miles to church, one half mile to school house. Price low and easy terms.

40 21 p ILLEY STALLIONS.

Levias.

Looks like spring
Farmers are about their work between candidates.

Kay Farmer is building a tobacco barn.

Green Belt moved to his new home, the Frank Sawyer place, Monday.

Hanson Barnes, of Hampton, visited relatives here last week.
James Carter arrived home from Missouri last week. Jim says he likes that country, but his folks do not want him to leave them.

Roy Davidson has moved to the house vacated by Mr. Belt in Levis.

Mrs. Mary Franklin spent last week with her son John near Tolu. John's wife has been quite sick.

Glad Threlkeld is building a residence for Carter McDowell on his place.

Rev. Roucher, of Piney Fork, visited W. H. LaRue Friday night en route to Hopewell.

Miss Addie Carter entered the Marion High School last week.

G. R. Brown is confined to his room with rheumatism.

Ben Floyd and his mother, and Mrs. Charlie Davidson are under the care of a doctor.

Wm. S. Lowery, the mineral man, was here last week looking at his property.

Engineer Radehoff, of Muncie, Ind., has taken charge of the Sunny Brook mines. Prospects are flattering for the largest output of lead and spar of any mines in this district.

ASTHMA VANISHES.

So Does Catarrh, Croup, Hay Fever and Bronchitis.
Hymel is a confidence creator. The first time you breathe in this powerful yet soothing, antiseptic air, you will know that it has marvelous curative virtues. There is nothing disagreeable about Hymel. It is a very pleasant and prompt remedy for catarrh, colds, asthma, croup, bronchitis etc.

If your head is stopped with mucus that you cannot breathe a particle of air through your nostrils, Hymel will open them up and give relief in five minutes.
Why will sensible people suffer longer, why will they wheeze and hawk and snort and smother, when Haynes & Taylor will guarantee Hymel to cure or money back. \$1.00 is all Haynes & Taylor ask for a complete outfit.

"I have used Hymel for hay fever, and can pronounce it the best relief for this trouble that I ever tried or heard of. I have had this malady for years, and have doctor'd and used many remedies, but Hymel is far ahead of any of the others, and has my hearty endorsement."—Mrs. M. S. Martin, Cassopolis, Mich.

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No sense in running from one doctor to another. Select the best one, then stand by him. Do not delay, but consult him in time when you are sick. Ask his opinion of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. Then use it or not, just as he says.

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We publish our formulae. We banish alcohol from our medicines. We urge you to consult your doctor.

Always keep a box of Ayer's Pills in the house. Just one pill at bedtime, now and then, will ward off many an attack of biliousness, indigestion, sick headache. How many years has your doctor known these pills? Ask him all about them.

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PINEY.

Miss Vianna Brantley and Mr. Lihbert McDowell were married Sunday at the residence of Mr. Dow Brantly in the presence of a few friends and relatives, Rev. Lowery officiating. May their pathway ever be bright.

Jim Nals, of Clay, was in this section Saturday.

Joe Lamb and Miss Zilpha McDowell were guests at the infair at Logan McDowell's Monday.

Ed Weldon, of Marion, passed through here Monday.

The farmers have about all delivered their tobacco in this section and all seemed well pleased.

Look out for high water now. It is rising fast and still raining.

My Creed.

This is my creed: To do some good.

To bear my ills without complaining.

To press on as a brave man should.

For honors that are worth the gaining.

To seek no profits where I may.

By winning them bring grief to others.

To do some service day by day.

In helping on my toiling brothers.

This is my creed: To close my eyes.

To little faults of those around me.

To strive to be when each day dies.

Some better than the morning found me.

To ask for no unearned applause.

To cross no river till I reach it.

To always have a worthy cause.

To fearlessly and fairly preach it.

This is my creed: To wisely shun the sloughs in which the foolish wallow.

To lead where I may be the one whom weaker men should choose to follow.

To keep my standard always high.

To find my task and bravely do it.

This is my creed—I wish that I could even live half way up to it.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

We say without hesitation that De Witt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are unequalled for weak kidneys, backache, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary disorders. They are antiseptic and act promptly in all cases of weak back, backache, rheumatism and rheumatic pains. Accept no substitute. We sell and recommend them.

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THIS BOOK FREE.

An interesting book which gives a brief sketch of the lives of many prominent Americans together with an excellent likeness of each has just been issued by Booth's Hymel Company.

Any reader of the CRITTENDEN RECORD PRESS who desires a copy of this book can obtain it free by writing Booth's Hymel Co., Buffalo, N. Y. A postal card will do. Just ask for Booth's Sketches of Famous People.

THE MAN WHO MADE PRETTY SOAP.

Evansville Citizen Furnishes Free Feed For Horses.

Adolph Melzer, for many years engaged in the manufacture of soap in Evansville and said to be worth nearly a million dollars, has inserted an ad in the local paper to the effect that any man who owns a horse or mule and is unable to buy feed for the animal may get a bale of hay free from him by calling at his home. During the holidays Melzer ran an ad in the papers to the effect that all people owning horses and being unable to provide feed for them could have feed free of cost by calling on him. This applied for the holiday week. Melzer is a lover of dumb animals. He became wealthy and retired from the manufacturing business several years ago, and his soap factory was closed.—Shawnee town News Gleaner.

Children Who are Sickly

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powder for Children, for use throughout the season. They break up Colds, Cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders Headache and Stomach troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores, etc. Don't accept any substitute. A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmsted, Ledyard New York.—Mar. 4th. Apr. 15. May 6th. June 17.

Letter From Michigan.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 18, '09.
Editor S. M. Jenkins;

I sent you \$2 Jan. 27 and have been expecting to hear from you either by mail or through the paper, if you received it, so please let me know if you got the money. I have forgotten when my subscription expires and I don't want to miss a copy of my dear old Kentucky home paper.

Mrs. Belle Kirby
59 Abbott street.

HIGH GRADE POULTRY.

Buckeye Reds and Black Minorcas, stock and eggs. For sale. P. P. PARIS.
R. F. D. No. 1, Marion, Ky.

Iron Hill.

G. N. Fox, who has been very sick the last week is improving.

A fine new baby girl arrived at John T. Stewart's Friday.

Rev. Oakley preached at his regular

Easy Confinement

If you have cause to fear the pains of childbirth, remember that they are due to weakness, or disease, of the woman's organs, and that healthy women do not suffer, like weak ones.

The specific, medicinal, vegetable ingredients, of which that famous, female medicine and womanly tonic

WINE OF **CARDUI**

WOMAN'S RELIEF

is composed, will build up the woman's organs to a healthy state and thus prevent needless suffering.

"Before my confinement," writes Mrs. Rose Schubarth, of Mount, Colo., "I had such bearing-down pains I didn't know what to do. Cardui quickly relieved me. Some months later I had a fine 12-lb. baby, was sick only thirty minutes, and did not even have a doctor."

At All Druggists

WRITE FOR FREE ADVICE, stating age and describing symptoms, to Ladies Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. E 35

ular appointment at Sugar Grove Sunday.

Louzo Hardin and family who have been in the far west, will live on Bert Walker's farm in this community this year.

Uncle Henry Stenbridge is trapping considerably this season and, beside the various animals, he has recently caught a fine wild duck and a cat-fish in his traps.

Joe H. Travis and family, who have been in Western Texas for several years, have returned to this community and for the present will make their home on the Buck Tewery farm.

Miss Dora Walker and Rev. O. D. Spence were married Sunday, February 21, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. M. Walker. Rev. W. T. Oakley officiating. A large number of their friends and relatives were present to congratulate and wish them a long, happy and prosperous voyage through life. They will make their home in Blackford.

The best known pills and the best pills made are De Witt's Little Early Risers. They are small, easy to take, gentle and certain, are sold by all Druggists. 40 3m

Homestead Lands.

COME TO YESSO, N. M., Because it is the best land and the best country, and you can get first choice, Fourteen miles square open to settlement. Good sandy land or tight mesquite land, just as you like, one to sixteen miles from the best railroad in the United States. Nine miles west of Clovis on the Belen cutoff. The Santa Fe being the shortest line from Chicago to California, all through trains go over this road after March 1st. The Santa Fe is the leading railroad to a prosperous country. The people are not afraid to go with a good railroad. Yesso is located 20 miles west of the Pecos river, 8 miles north of the Yesso creek and 10 miles south of silo, with running water, making it a sure country for rain. We have the crops to show you, and wells to show you good water. We have crops that were raised last year, and we don't have to wait for a railroad. We have one completed. We have all kinds of deeded lands for sale in New Mexico. Now is the time to come if you want the best. It is about all gone, and then where can you get a free home? We have an altitude of 4,000 feet, just right for good health and warm winters. We have had 24 inches of snow this winter. Gentlemen I traveled all over a hundred by two hundred miles before I filed and saw three crops raised. Don't you think I tried to get the best? I filed one year ago; have bought 240 acres of deeded land, town lots in Yesso and Ricardo and a section of school land, and that is enough to show you what confidence I have in Yesso and Ricardo. They are 14 miles apart and are good enough for me. Don't you think they are for you? After I have invested \$5,000, don't you think you can afford to spend \$24.00 to get a free home? My office at Ricardo is in the Royal Blue Hotel, and just one block north of the depot at Yesso. Come direct to Yesso, N. M., I have better conveniences to show land from there. Will file you on plains land, or in the Pecos valley. Both towns are prosperous ones and all lands are surveyed. Write me or comes to see me at Ricardo, my postoffice address. We guarantee all work. Give us a call.

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H. M. VANHORN, Correspondent.

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griddle cakes, rolls and muffins.

The only Baking Powder
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Review of the Week

Breezy News Items of Interest That Our Reporters Have
Gathered During the Week

Hebron.

Henry Hamilton was in this section Sunday.

The new county bridge at Dun Springs was badly damaged by the high water Tuesday. Repairs will have to be made before it can be used again.

Several persons attended the singing at Ben Fowler's Saturday night.

J. L. Love, of McMullin, Mo., visited relatives here a few days ago.

Fenton Griffith, of Marion, has bought the Al Easley mill and shop.

Mrs. J. M. Martin, of Birch Tree, Mo., who has been visiting in this section for several weeks, left Monday for her home by the way of St. Louis.

John Guess of Tolu was in this section Sunday.

30 Beautiful Post Cards, 10 of them with your name tinselled in gold, worth 75c or \$1, all given free for selling only 10 packages (5 cards per pkg) of High Grade Souvenir Post Cards at 10 cents per package. Everybody wants post cards, so write at once for 10 pkgs to Box 29a, Route 4, Marion, Ky.

Henrie and Bob Easley attended church at Marion Saturday and Sunday.

Ruey, the two-year-old baby of W. J. Belt, who has been sick with scarlet fever, is better.

Jeel Pickens was in this section last week.

Sam Bracy is on the sick list.

Several persons attended the "last day" of Colen school Thursday.

BLACKFORD.

Our little hamlet can boast that we already have two churches, Missionary Baptist and Presbyterian, with flattering prospects for another church which will be Methodist Episcopal.

Two Sunday schools are progressing nicely at this place. One at the Baptist church at 9:30 a. m. and one at the Presbyterian church at 2:30 p. m.

W. D. Crowell and wife, of Marion, visited relatives at this place last week.

J. A. Carnahan, of this place, is talking of going to Oklahoma in the near future.

T. Frank Newcom, of Marion, visited Blackford Sunday.

Harlan Crowell is contemplating a trip to Africa with Theodore Roosevelt.

Presley Perry, Butler Brown, Thomas Black, Linnie White and Curtis Brown, all of this place, are attending school at Sturgis.

Our esteemed postmaster, W. T. Perry, made a flying trip to Wheatcroft Saturday. Don't know, as yet, whether he was hunting ducks or "snipes."

We are having a regular epidemic of Rubella at and around Blackford.

Senator Samuel E. De Haven, of La Grange, Oldham county, was here a few days since visiting his brother, W. M. De Haven.

The Lofa correspondent speaks of a blind-tiger being at that place whose den is in old stables, etc. Your scribe here does not know of any kind of tigers at Blackford, but pool-rooms, shooting galleries, blind or "bull" tigers are so closely allied that it would require a regular optimist to discern the difference.

Blackford has one druggist, A. T. Brown, four physicians, D. T. White, R. B. Black, J. L. Reynolds and J. T. White, three ministers of the gospel, J. B. Lowey, J. R. King and O. D. Spence, and one undertaker, J. S. Justice.

NOVUS HOMO

STARR.

Prayer meeting here every Saturday night.

A great many of our people are

going to Sikeston, Mo.

W. T. Corley, of Marion, visited here Monday.

Rev. J. R. King is being solicited to preach for the church here another year.

Henry Conger and Henry Hamby returned from Paducah Sunday.

J. A. Thomason and family have moved into this part. Mr. Thomason is a lively citizen and we are glad to have him among us.

Miss Ida Cirdler is the accomplished organist at Piney church.

Miss Della Guess has gone to Bowling Green to attend school.

Dr. Travis, of Tribune, was here Sunday.

Linford and Robert Thomason were over in Lyon county Sunday.

There was a singing in this locality Sunday night.

Ed Hunt is getting ready to go to Kansas.

John Swanscy says he has some hope of securing that vote. But the voter don't have to wait until March 13, to cast the ballot—any old time will do.

Miss Pearl Waddell closed her school at Lone Star Wednesday. The patrons are well pleased with the school.

Big rain here Monday night.

Rev. T. C. Boucher came in Monday from Livingston county where he has been to fill his appointment to preach.

Dr. Driskill and Silas Guess, of Marion, were here Wednesday. The doctor was called to see Mrs. Mollie McNeely, who has been very sick.

Shairda Debee and wife, of Fredonia, were in this section Thursday.

John Asher, candidate, was shaking hands here Wednesday; Robert Thomas, candidate, came on in the afternoon; Rufus Robinson, candidate, snuffed the breezes Thursday morning; about noon same day Jno. A. Moore, candidate, came in on the ground floor. Yet these were unfavorable days for candidates.

R. M. Riley passed through here Thursday.

Mrs. Mettie Conger has returned from a visit to Paducah.

At Hunt's sale corn sold at 58 to 62 cents per bushel. Common horses brought \$60 to \$75 a head. One good two-year-old sold for \$90. Household goods and farming implements sold at less than their value. There was a good crowd at the sale.

F. W. NUNN,

DENTIST.

Suite 3, 4 Beehive Block

Press-Building.

Marion. - Kentucky

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Mrs. Berger Dead.

Mrs. Margaret Berger, wife of D. B. Berger, died on Wednesday morning, February 17, '09, after a brief illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Berger is survived by a husband, six children, two brothers, three sisters and a host of relatives and friends. She was a member of Hebron church and the funeral services were conducted there by her pastor, Rev. Robert Johnson. The remains were interred in Dun Springs cemetery Thursday evening.

DO YOU WANT TO GO TO COLLEGE? If so we can help you. We have already put hundreds through by means of our plans. Write to day for full information regarding our offer of a free scholarship in any school or college. Address Robert J. Sherlock, 29.31 East 22d Street, New York City.

Little Girl's Dress Catch Fire.

Fulton, Ky., Feb. 26.—While her parents were out of the house, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Will Roby set her dress on fire at a stove and was fatally burned before the fire could be put out.

All of the child's clothes were burned off and she was burned all over and inside the mouth. Dr. J. M. Alexander was at once sent for and attended the little sufferer. But little could be done to alleviate the pain. The child died a few hours after the accident occurred.

Taft Cabinet.

New York, Feb. 26.—All qualifications of uncertainty in the prediction that Franklin MacVeagh, of Chicago, has been selected by Mr. Taft as his Secretary of the Treasury are hereby removed. Mr. MacVeagh accepted the place, and thereby the Taft cabinet was made complete, as heretofore announced.

No official or unofficial declaration of Mr. MacVeagh's appointment is to be made by Mr. Taft until he promulgates his entire cabinet.

The cabinet as completed with the selection of Mr. MacVeagh is as follows:

Secretary of State, Philander Chase Knox, Pennsylvania.

Secretary of the Treasury, Franklin MacVeagh, of Illinois.

Secretary of War, Jacob M. Dickson, of Tennessee.

Attorney General, George W. Wickersham of New York.

Postmaster General, Frank H. Hitchcock, of Massachusetts.

Secretary of the Navy, George Von L. Meyer, of Massachusetts.

Secretary of the Interior, Richard A. Ballinger, of Washington.

Secretary of Agriculture, James Wilson, Iowa.

Secretary of Commerce, and Labor, Charles Fagel, of Missouri.

Usual Wind Up of Mother's Boy.

Jackson, Ky., Feb. 27.—The men on the board of Beach Hargis who is charged with the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis, surrendered him to Breathitt county officers and he was arrested and taken to the jail at Irvine, Ky. to await his second trial in April. The first trial resulted in a hung jury. Hargis' recent outbreaks in which he created a reign of terror, is said to have caused his bondsmen to surrender him.

Letter From Toppenish, Washington.

As there has been nothing said of Toppenish for some time, I thought I would drop a line, so if this escapes the waste basket I will come again.

We have a nice supply of chinook wind so spring is coming, sun shining beautifully and grass is peeping through the mother earth again, so Toppenish is coming to.

Four brick buildings are being erected at the present time.

Health very good.

Little Howard Cruce is convalescing after an extended illness.

Mrs. Nellie McDonald of Zillah, is visiting relatives at this place.

Roy and Ned Cruce went to Yakima river and got some nice shade trees. That's one thing a Kentuckian will have.

There is talk of a new rail road through here this year. Let 'er come.

Success to Editor, paper and its subscribers.

Big Damage Suits Filed Against Princeton Parties

T. L. Taylor, of Madisonville, has filed suit in the Caldwell Circuit court against Mr. Edward Garrett, of this city, for twenty thousand dollars, alleging slanderous statements in regard to the filing of a libel suit. Mr. Taylor also files a suit of ten thousand dollars against Ed and Wm. Garrett in the Caldwell Circuit court for an alleged illegal issue and levy of an attachment. Attorneys Yost, Headlay & Loffoon; Johnson & Jennings, represent the plaintiff and Gates, Lisansky and Baker, of this city, represent the defendants. In addition to the two above suits we understand that Mr. Taylor has filed a third for \$25,000 damages.—Princeton Leader.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION BY THE UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE ON BLEACHING FLOUR.

Dr. Wiley the United States Chemist, after having analyzed samples of bleached flour from all parts of the country, found by careful analysis that flour bleached by the Electrical process was an adulteration under the Pure Food Law, and Sec. Wilson, Com'r. of Agriculture has so ruled. All mills using the Electrical method of bleaching flour have been notified to discontinue the practice. That on and after June 2, 1909, a heavy penalty will be imposed on any one selling or offering for sale bleached flour.

Prof. Ladd, Com'r. of Agriculture of North Dakota in his investigation and analysis of bleached flour found traces of poison and in his experiments in feeding rabbits, bread made from flour heavily bleached, it killed them like strichnine.

Mills and Flour dealers who are stocked up heavily on this bleached flour will endeavor to dump same on the market at any old price between now and June 2nd. Flour buyers should keep their eyes open and not get caught.

For the information of the public we will state that flour in its natural, and wholesome state has a creamy tint, while flour bleached by the Electrical process has a dead chalky appearance.

After officials of our government, having analyzed bleached flour, and for the protection of its citizens, decided it to be an adulteration and unsafe to be used, then why should anyone jeopardize his health by the use of same in order to save a few pennies?

For the information of their customers and to all whom it may concern, the Marion Milling Co., states that they have never had a bleacher in its mill. Hence they positively guarantee their flour not bleached and to be as pure and wholesome as flour can be made and the quality as high as any in the country.

They also desire to thank all the people of our town and county for their loyal support and patronage they have given them in the past and it shall be their earnest endeavor by honest methods and fair dealing to continue to merit their patronage confidence and good will. Again thanking you,

We are Your Friends,

MARION MILLING COMPANY,

Incorporated.

By R. I. Nunn, Sec. and Treas

(By S. M. Talbot.)
Dear God, I need you awful bad:
I don't know what to do;
My papa's cross, my mamma's sick;
I hain't no fren' but you
Them keenerless angels went and
brung
'Stid of the boy I ast,
Say, God, I wish't you'd take her
back—
She's jest as good as new:
Won't no one know she's second-hand,
But c'eptin' me an' you;
An' pick a boy, dear God, yourself,
The nicest in your fold:
But please don't choose him quite so
young—
I'd like him five years old.
—Farm Journal.

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