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# PADUCAH DAILY REGISTER.

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## NEW SEWERAGE SYSTEM WORK

Mr. Burdick and Assistants Are Now Starting Work

TAKE SEVERAL MONTHS TO GET UP THE PLANS.

Cross Creek and Bradshaw Creek Cannot be Crossed, According to Speculation.

AFTER GRADES GOTTEN DISTRICTS BE CHOSEN.

The assistant to Mr. Charles Burdick, the civil engineer, has arrived from Chicago and they expect to start to work tomorrow getting up the grades and data for the storm sewer and sanitary sewer plans and specifications, to be used when these systems of sewers are constructed in this city.

Mr. Burdick will have only one engineering assistant from the Windy City, while he has secured several local men to help in the work that will be rushed through as soon as possible, taking about three months to complete.

The city engineer yesterday said that the new sewer system would not go any further up through the southern portion of the city than Jones street, where now ends the present sewers. The men will survey up as far as Jones, and then west as far as Cross creek which runs just east of the Illinois Central railroad tracks and yards. The creek will not be crossed, says the engineer, because the depth of the hollow makes it so that the sewer pipe would be exposed out in the open on passing through there. The engineers will make their survey cover everywhere between Ninth, Jones, Cross creek and Kentucky avenue, so as no provision will be made to run the piping through the creek and under the railroad yards which means that Worten's addition will not get sewerage.

To get around Cross Creek the engineers then go out Broadway with their surveys, and getting to Twelfth street go back over towards Huntington row and include everything in that section and on out Kentucky avenue, Broadway, Washington and other streets where is encountered the deep Bradshaw creek which prevents the mains from being run farther out that way.

Getting over on the north side of Broadway the engineers survey as far out as Bradshaw creek and going north will include Terrell's fountain park addition and all that territory between Ninth street, the creek, Broadway and Trimble streets. The surveys will be made for only a block or two below Trimble street, as it is not believed the expense of constructing the system down that way would justify the people most of whom own small homes.

"You understand, we will survey all the territory mentioned above," said City Engineer Washington, "and not before it is completed and the grades gotten can we tell just how far out the new sewerage will run. To tell how far out we go, we have to first have the data showing the elevation and depth of the street grades, this evidencing how much of a drop all the streets have leading towards the river. In order the sewers drain off the sewage, they have to be far down under the ground at the river, and then gradually rise towards the earth's surface in going back west under the city, so the natural decline will keep things flowing through the mains and not let them get clogged up. Now the grades of the streets have to be gotten before we can decide how far back in the western part of town we can go."

"Yes this system in contemplation will be connected with the old district now down, and the sewage from both flow out by the pumping station at Third and Clay streets. To build this new district the work has to be started at Ninth and Jefferson streets and carried west, as the main piping for the present district is on Jefferson, and to this the additional district has to be tapped.

"We are going to try and cover as much ground as possible, but these

hollows at Bradshaw creek and Cross creek stop us because we do not want the piping above the surface of the low parts of the creek, for fear they may get broken.

"As to how much of the new district we will get down this year, I would not estimate, but expect to get down a few miles anyhow. Arrangements for the plan were started so late it will be nearly fall before the specifications and surveying are done, hence good weather will not last much longer for a great deal of the work to be effected. We start at Ninth and Jefferson and think we can have the main part of that thoroughfare, Broadway and abutting streets finished before cold weather comes."

These plans Mr. Burdick is getting up for us will be very useful ones, they providing for storm sewers when we want to put them down.

## CITY WEAHER RETURNED HOME

CAPTAIN MENDOL JOHNSON NOT BENEFITTED BY DAWSON SOJOURN.

Mayor Yeiser Waiting For Return of Dr. Murrell Before Assembling Commissioners.

City Weigher Mendol Johnson returned yesterday from Dawson Springs, where he has been sojourning for the past month in seek of health, on account of his ailing condition. He comes back apparently unimproved, and will not resume charge of the city scales just yet. During his absence, the weighing is being done under direction of the acting weigher, Mr. Frank Dunn.

Awaiting One Member.

Mayor Yeiser said yesterday he learned Dr. D. G. Murrell would return today from New Orleans, therefore the former would call the public park commissioners together tomorrow afternoon or evening for the purpose of organizing the body which he appointed several days ago. Dr. Murrell is one of the board chosen, and his return from the Confederate Veterans' reunion has been awaited by the mayor before assembling the officials who will have charge of all the public parks in this city.

Island Creek Bridge.

When the question of a new bridge across Island creek was brought up, it was referred to Chairman Harry Hank, of the public improvement committee for the aldermen; Chairman R. S. Barnett, of the similar councilmanic committee, and City Engineer L. A. Washington, the latter to represent the board of public works, these three to confer with General Manager John S. Blecker, of the street railway company, and see how much of the bridge cost the car line will bear. Yesterday, Mr. Hank said he would see the city engineer tomorrow, and if he had time to be present at a meeting in the evening, he would assemble the officials to take up the proposition.

NOT WANTED HERE.

Robert Lee Hawkins Locked Up at Crossville, Tenn.

Marshal J. B. Angel, of Crossville, Tenn., has written Chief James Collins that William Zist, Robert Lee Hawkins and Wm. Lee are locked up there on a charge. Angel wanted to know if the trio were wanted here for anything, and the chief responded they were not. It is believed Hawkins is the young fellow arrested here on the charge of going to different people and getting them to give him money, provided he procures a job for them. He would claim to the parties that this money was to pay their fees to get them into the union, it being impossible for him to procure the positions for them if they did not affiliate with organized labor.

Card of Thanks.

The ladies of the First Christian church wish to express their appreciation to the Paducah Light and Power company, Rhodes & Burford, Ganner Bros., Scott Hardware company, East Tennessee Telephone company, Kirby's and Mr. E. G. Boone for courtesies shown them on Odd Fellows' day.

## CURB AROUND THE LIBRARY

MR. BAGBY WANTS TO USE THAT NOW PILED ON LIBRARY GROUNDS.

The President Has Never Yet Received the Negative of the Skibo Castle Picture.

President E. W. Bagby, of the directory for the Carnegie library, will tomorrow see the board of works for the city, and ascertain if the latter body will not let the library board take the city stone piled on the library lot and use what needed of it to build a curbing around the Ninth street and Kentucky avenue side of the grounds. A stone coping was placed on the Broadway side when the concrete sidewalks were built in front of the property, many months ago.

The city apparently has no pressing need for the stone which was taken from the gutters down in town when the many thoroughfares were reconstructed with paving brick and bitulithic. It has been piled on the library lot for some months, but the trustees want to take some of it, have it chiseled down smooth and then use same as a curbing. It would make a most excellent curb, as the stone is of the hardest variety and would last for years. Mr. Bagby believes it would not cost any more to smooth it down for the curb than it would to move the accumulation.

Never Arrived.

Some weeks ago the president wrote to the private secretary of Mr. Carnegie, asking for the negative from which the small picture of Skibo castle was made, but as yet Mr. Bagby has not received the negative, which he wants, so a picture from it can be made in large form for adornment of the library walls. The castle is the home place of Mr. Carnegie.

\$500,000 WILL BE RAISED.

To Put the Old Lincoln Farm in Condition to Be Used For Public Park.

Robert Collier and Clarence H. McKay, of New York, returned to Louisville from Hodgenville, where they went to make a personal investigation of the old Lincoln homestead farm, which is to be turned into a National park through the efforts of the Lincoln Park association, organized by Collier's Weekly. The two representatives of the association were accompanied by a well known landscape gardener of the East, who went to make suggestions and receive impressions as to what shall be done with the farm where Abraham Lincoln was born.

Collier's Weekly, of New York, conceived the plan of taking practical steps to save the Lincoln birthplace from the vandal and the speculator, and bought the property a year ago. Later they organized an association calling for subscriptions of from 25 cents to \$25 each and realized a sum which Mr. Collier said yesterday would meet any requirement. The cost calculated on is about \$500,000.

WOMAN'S DEATH.

Inquest Will Not Be Completed Until Stomach Analysis Comes From Louisville.

Justice Charles Emery had no intention of calling the coroner's jury together last evening to finish the inquest into the death of Jimmie McClesney, colored, of one month since, as erroneously announced by The Afternoon Sun. The justice will wait until there comes tomorrow from Expert Woody, of Louisville, the analysis showing what was found in the woman's stomach, which was sent to him for examination. When the woman died, Justice Emery conducted the inquest, on account of Coroner Frank Eaker being ill at the time. She is the one thought to have taken morphine for quinine. The inquest cannot be completed until the stomach analysis comes.

## MOTHER'S CLAIM AGAINST HESSIG

WITNESS SAYS MOTHER LOANED SON ONLY \$8,000.

William E. Ellis Has Nothing Which to Pay His Creditors, Therefore No Trustee Needed.

Sensational testimony was given yesterday in the bankrupt court of Referee E. W. Bagby when a witness testified that he overheard Mrs. Catherine Hessig, mother of Dr. H. T. Hessig state she left her son have \$8,000, instead of \$17,000 which she claims her son owes her. The witness was W. N. Levan and gave testimony while there was being tried yesterday the exceptions filed to her claim of \$17,000 against her son who is being forced into bankruptcy by creditors.

In enumerating his liabilities Dr. Hessig's schedule showed he owed his mother \$17,000 that he borrowed from her on collecting it from the estate of his dead brother Fred Hessig of Memphis, Tenn. When the mother set up her claim for this amount, other creditors excepted to it on the ground that the son did not owe her that much, hence what pro rata of the available assets would go to satisfy her claim, should come to them. The referee commenced hearing testimony on these exceptions yesterday and Levan on taking the stand said he heard Mrs. Hessig remark that when the \$17,000 was collected from Fred Hessig's estate, she kept \$9,000 of it and loaned \$8,000 to her other son Dr. Herman T. Hessig. The referee has not finished taking all the evidence yet, but on doing so will decide whether Mrs. Hessig's claim is a just one against the bankrupt. Levan is the father of Dr. Hessig's second wife who died last year.

No Trustee Needed.

Referee Bagby yesterday issued an order directing that no trustee be named for the bankrupt estate of William E. Ellis of this city, on account of there being no necessity for one, as the bankrupt has nothing with which to pay his creditors. This order virtually loses this matter as the only thing left is for the referee to recommend to Judge Walter Evans that Ellis be given a discharge, wiping out all his indebtedness.

ANOTHER DISASTER.

Avalanches of Mud, Sand, Ashes and Cinders in Vicinity of Vesuvius.

Naples, April 28.—Another disaster has occurred in the Vesuvius region. Throughout the past night torrents of rain fell, accompanied by a heavy gale of wind, causing large avalanches of mud, sand, ashes and cinders to fall over Somma and Santa Anastasia, destroying bridges, blocking the roads, flooding many habitations, interrupting communication by telegraph and carrying away portions of the railway. Troops and military wagons were hurriedly dispatched to the assistance of the sufferers.

The inhabitants of the stricken places mentioned were awakened by a roaring, rushing sound, which was absolutely new to them, and on running out of their homes, they found their property threatened by a new horror, the fall of avalanches of sand, ashes, etc. Their terror was extreme. The women and children fled, screaming with fright, into the open country, but in spite of the avalanches, flood and gates, no loss of life had been reported up to the time this was filed.

It is believed that while the storms rage, Vesuvius is liable to be a continual menace to life and property, and that the people in the region of the volcano may have visitations of more serious nature than last night's avalanches.

A Reduction for Smith.

At the request of Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Lovett, there was reduced from detaining a woman, to assault and battery, the charge against Berry Smith, colored, and he was then allowed to plead guilty and be fined \$50.

ports, showing how many people reside in these respective wards that are of schooling age. Mr. James H. Wilcox, enumerator for the Fifth and Sixth wards, has not yet finished his work, but will have to have his report in by tomorrow, as that is the last day in which the census can be taken. The report of Mr. McGuire showed the following decrease of about eighty above last year, while nearly that much of a decrease was shown for the Third and Fourth by Mr. Nunn.

School Board Tuesday.

Tuesday evening being the first of May, the school trustees hold their regular monthly meeting at the Washington building on West Broadway. Quite a number of important questions come before them for consideration.

## TRIED TO END HIS OWN LIFE

EDWARD LATHAM OF TELEPHONE COMPANY, STABBED HIMSELF.

He Committed the Deed in the Resort of Fanny Wilson on West Court Street.

Edward Latham, an electrician employed by the East Tennessee Telephone company, is at Riverside hospital with a knife wound in his left breast, the result of his attempt at self destruction. The blade of the dirk used struck a rib and did not penetrate very far underneath the skin, thereby creating only a slight flesh wound which does not endanger the young man in the least, so stated City Physician Bass yesterday.

Latham is a young man of striking appearance and dresses well. It is said that he married a young lady worth \$250,000 in Mr. Vernon, Ind., and has been a frequent visitor to Fanny Wilson's resort on West Court street. He spent Friday night there and yesterday morning about 4 o'clock while in the room with the woman Leon, pulled a long bladed dirk knife. She tried to grab it from him and got her hand cut. Then laying down on a sofa, Latham tried to stab himself to the heart, but the blade struck a rib and glanced off. Officers McCune and Wood were quickly summoned and called Dr. Eass who dressed the injury and sent the young man to Riverside hospital where he is now under treatment.

Latham had been drinking pretty hard that night and it is thought that while crazed by whiskey, he made the desperate attempt on his life on account of jealousy.

## ADDRESSES FOR SCHOOL OPENING

MR. BAGBY SPEAKS TUESDAY AND MR. HERNDON WEDNESDAY.

Prof. Payne, of the high school, has secured Hon. E. W. Bagby to make an address Tuesday to the scholars of that department as their opening ceremony. The following day, Captain Thomas Herndon, the well known tobaccoist, will speak to the children at their opening.

State Normal.

Next Sunday, Prof. Payne will go to Louisville, to be present the following day, when there are opened the bids being placed in by cities over the state, wherein these towns want to be located within them one of the two state normal colleges to be started by the commonwealth. A number of cities are bidding for the institutions, and Prof. Payne, being one of the state commission to decide where the normals go, has to be at the gathering in Louisville, where the remainder of the members also arrive for this object.

Two Enumerators Done.

R. H. McGuire, for the First and Second Wards; Henry P. Nunn, for the Third and Fourth wards, have turned into the hands of Secretary Pitcher, of the school board, the re-

## DISTILLERY IMPROVEMENTS

They Will Be Made After Plant Closes Down July 15

NEW SECTIONS FOR OHIO VALLEY DOCKS.

The Palmer Hotel Tenants Will Not Have to Vacate Their Quarters Tomorrow.

SEVERAL SALES OF AUTOMOBILES.

Mr. Adolph Weil of the wholesale liquor house, has their distillery in Mechanicsburg running full force, and yesterday said they would continue doing so until July 15th, at which time they will have about 400 barrels on hand for storage in their present warehouse. They will then close down the distillery for several months, and while the plant is idle the improvements to it will be made, they consisting of a large grain elevator, new storage warehouse, and many other additions that will cost close to \$50,000. Mr. Weil has already contracted with an expert distillery man to come here and superintend installation of the improvements which will make the plant one of the best of its kind to be found anywhere in the country.

Build More Sections.

General Manager J. K. P. McCarthy of the Ohio Valley Docking company, will tomorrow commence constructing two new sections for the flotilla that is moored in the Tennessee river at Mechanicsburg. There additional docks are required to take care of the large rush of business, this plant is always undergoing. They have three sections now, and these two others will make a total of five. The new ones will cost about \$2,000 apiece, and take several weeks to complete.

Good Business.

The retail merchants down in the business part of town reported a good business for last night and yesterday afternoon. The snap of warm weather is bringing out many purchasers in the garment line, they getting their thin wearing apparel in shape for the summer period.

Takes Charge Tomorrow.

Tomorrow Mr. Robert E. Moshell will take charge of Hotel Lagomarsino at Second and Broadway, he having purchased the hotel and bar-room several days ago. He has been running the saloon at The Palmer, but the management of the hotel has procured another manager to take charge.

The Palmer Tenants.

One month since the management of The Palmer served legal notice upon all the tenants except Mr. Stutz of The Columbia, that the renters must vacate their quarters by May 1st, as the hotel people want to convert to their own private use the quarters rented by the tenants. Under this order tomorrow would be the last day in their respective places by the tenants, but as the hotel management is not yet ready to use these quarters themselves, the company has notified the occupants Sold Automobiles.

Mr. Charles E. Gridley, the retired capitalist, yesterday sold his automobile to a Fulton gentleman. Mr. Gridley then bought the one Mr. Ben Weille has owned, the latter intending to purchase a new machine at once.

that they can remain indefinitely, but that they will be given ten days notice by the management to vacate, when the latter find they are ready to use the rooms themselves, Messrs. Brunson, Harmeling and the others have not yet selected a new location, but time to do this will be given them.



# THE WEEK IN SOCIETY.



## For Bridal Couple.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rudy will this week issue invitations for the reception they intend according to Mr. and Mrs. James Rudy May 9, at their home on Kentucky avenue. The bridal pair will be back by that time from their wedding tour.

## Evening Social.

A number of friends were charmingly entertained Wednesday evening by Mrs. C. L. Dunlap of 1630 Clay street with a delightful social gathering during which time diversions of a varied nature furnished joyful amusement, while delicious refreshments were served.

## Children's Hour.

Miss Alice Compton will speak to the little folks of the city during "Children's Hour" next Friday afternoon at the Carnegie library. Her talk promises to be one of the most entertaining of the series, as she is a very talented and interesting woman.

## D. A. R. Meets.

The May meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Friday afternoon with Mrs. S. DuBois of Fountain avenue. "Some Famous Colonial Buildings" will be the general topic for discussion, while a report of the recent national convention will be made by Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells, the regent.

## Odd Fellows Ball.

The largest attended gathering of the past week was the grand ball given at the Palmer by the Paducah Odd Fellows for entertainment of the many hundred of visitors who were here attending the Interstate Association's annual gathering that day. Many hundred were on the floor at different times during the evening and had a gay time indulging in the pleasant pastime.

## Season's Last Session.

The ladies of the Delphic club will Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock hold in the library at Ninth and Broadway, their closing session for this season, it to be in the nature of an afternoon tea. The gathering will be an invitational event and promises to sparkle with many delightful features under supervision of the literary ladies who are bringing to an end a most charming and beneficial season during which time they studied features pertaining to French government and characters.

The club resumes its meetings next fall.

## Nelson-Wolfe.

Miss Emma Nelson and Mr. Elijah Wolfe were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride in 1323 Jefferson street, only the immediate families and a few friends witnessing the ceremony that was performed by Rev. W. E. Cave of the First Presbyterian church.

The couple are exceedingly popular and well liked by everybody, the bride being the dainty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abe S. Nelson, while the groom is the efficient attache the Fowler-Wolfe sheet iron and metal works of Broadway between First and Second streets.

## Matinee Musicale.

The meeting Wednesday afternoon of the Matinee Musicale at the Eagles' hall on Sixth and Broadway, was one of the most entertaining sessions conducted by that musicale body which is composed of the eminent talent of this city, both vocal and instrumental. The interest evidenced was increased from the fact it was an open session and the members each brought visitors with them to assist in spending an afternoon with Wagner and Liszt under direction of Mrs. George B. Hart. The programme and discussions brought out many entertaining compositions of these eminent men.

The ladies of the club are jubilant over the appearance here at the Kentucky next Saturday of the Walter Damrosch orchestra as it was mainly through their efforts that this great band of musicians visit Paducah. A crowded house will enjoy the appearance of the orchestra.

## Radford-Richardson.

Miss Ora Radford and Mr. Robert Richardson were united in wedlock Monday evening at the bride's residence in 700 South Eleventh street, and yesterday returned from Memphis, Tenn., where they spent a short honeymoon. The nuptials was performed by Rev. W. E. Cave of the First Presbyterian church, while only a few friends outside the family were in attendance.

No young couple stands higher in the estimation of many friends than the contracting parties who are popular with everybody. The accomplished and cultured bride is one of the city's most beautiful young ladies, being blessed with many attractions admired by all. She is the daughter of Mr. J. M. Radford of the Illinois Central railroad.

Preeminent in his profession

stands the efficient groom who is an expert civil engineer and is assistant to City Engineer L. A. Washington. He comes of a family very prominent for its engineering ability, and socially is a congenial and well liked young man.

## Charming Luncheon.

Miss Elizabeth Scott, of Clarksdale, Miss., was the honored guest for the elegant luncheon given Monday evening by Miss Susie Thompson at her home on West Broadway. It was a very attractive gathering of young people, the table centerpiece comprising beautiful vases, artistically arranged. The course luncheon was very elaborate, and partaken of by Miss Elizabeth Scott, Miss Myrtle Decker, Miss Helen Decker, Miss Fannie Taylor, Mr. Fred Wade, Mr. Morton Hand, Mr. Philo Allcott, Dr. I. B. Howell.

## Brilliant Event.

The social event of the past week was the nuptials of Miss Louise Cox and Mr. James Henry Rudy, which occurred Tuesday evening at 9 o'clock at the Broadway Methodist church, which was packed with the elite of the city and others witnessing the gorgeous wedding, that bound the hearts and lives of two of the city's best known and most popular young members of prominent families.

Following the nuptials, Mr. and Mrs. Armour Gardner entertained with an elaborate reception at their handsome home on Fountain avenue, while the next morning the newly married pair left for their bridal tour, from whence they will return the last part of this week.

## The 500 Club.

At the home of Mrs. Saunders Fowler, on West Broadway, the 500 club gathered Wednesday afternoon and enjoyed themselves delightfully, whiling away several happy hours over the card tables.

Seven tables were filled with players, while the home was beautifully arranged with floral decorations of much beauty. Mrs. Henry Bradley captured the club prize, while that for visitors went to Mrs. Charles F. James, of Evansville, Ind. Dainty refreshments were partaken of during the assembly.

Those there in addition to the club members were Mrs. Isaac Peters, of Memphis; Mrs. Clarke Knowlton, of Memphis; Mrs. Gregory Hicks, of Macon, Ga.; Mrs. Charles James, of Evansville; Miss Anna Parks, of Nashville, Tenn.

## Confederate Daughters.

The May meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy was to have been held the coming Tuesday, but on account of the ladies being engaged in charge of the Country Store at the carnival, the gathering has been deferred until the Tuesday following, at which time Mrs. Frank D. Cobourn will be hostess and have the members meet with her in the Sanders flat on West Broadway.

The carnival promoters have tented the entire control of the store to the ladies, and the following will have charge on the days mentioned: Mrs. Bertie Campbell, for Monday; Mrs. Horace Cleugh, for Tuesday; Mrs. Will Gilbert, for Wednesday; Mrs. Luke Russell, for Thursday; Miss Mary K. Sowell, for Friday; Mrs. Frank Coburn, for Saturday.

The ladies assisting those in charge are: Mrs. E. P. Noble, Mrs. Joseph W. Thompson, Mrs. John Webb, Mrs. R. B. Phillips, Mrs. John W. Keiler, Mrs. M. G. Cope, Mrs. Wm. Anderson, Miss Laura Anderson, Mrs. James M. Buckner, Mrs. W. A. Bishop, Mrs. Gleaves, Mrs. Fred McEller, Miss Sowell, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Rankin, Misses Terrell, Miss Martha Davis, Misses Coleman, Miss Taylor, Miss Susie Thompson, Miss Kirkland, Mr. Roy McKinney, Mr. Douglas Bagby, Miss Hisey, Mr. Hollins, Mr. Dow Wilcox, Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. Leila Lewis, Miss Patterson, Miss Helen Powell, Miss Elizabeth Sebree, Miss Yeiser, Mrs. J. Victor Voris, Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, Mrs. W. B. Mills, Miss Frances Herndon, Miss Marjorie Crumbaugh, Miss Lula Reed, Miss Angie Thomas, Misses Park, Miss Anne Bradshaw, Miss Mary Boswell, Mrs. David Sanders, Miss Mamie Noble, Miss Kathleen Whitfield, Mrs. James Koger, Miss Henrietta Koger, Mrs. W. L. Burnett, Mrs. Thomas Settle, Mrs. Joseph Gardner, Mrs. Gardner Gilbert, and others.

## Evening at Corbett Home.

The As You Like It club gathered Friday evening at the residence of Hon. and Mrs. Hal S. Corbett, of Ninth street, and were charmingly entertained. Eight tables were filled with players, and during the game Mrs. J. Campbell Flournoy and Mr. Henry Overbey took the club prizes, while that for the visitors went to Mr. I. D. Wilcox and Mrs. Wilcox. Spring flowers, profusely arranged in an attractive manner, formed pretty room decorations, while the tempting luncheon served comprised many delicacies.

A number of home visitors were

present in addition to the members, while the out-of-town ladies were Miss Anna Parks, of Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Torian, of Evansville, Ind.

The club meets next Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hughes, of West Broadway.

## Meet Next Wednesday.

The 500 club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Mitt G. Cope, at her home on West Broadway.

## Informal Euchre.

A number of friends were received Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. Victor Voris, of West Broadway, and charmingly entertained informally with an eight-handed euchre. The honored guests were Miss Elizabeth Scott, of Clarksdale, Miss.; Miss Anita Wood, of Wichita, Kan., and Miss Josephine Gardner, of Quogue, Long Island, while the remainder of the guests included the young ladies being visited by the honorees, Misses Helen and Myrtle Becker, Faith Langstaff and Ethel Brooks.

The gathering was one of exceeding pleasure, marked with many interesting features.

## TRANSFERRED PROPERTIES

### TITLE OF LIGHT, GAS AND OTHER CONCERNS CHANGED.

Herndon and Company Got Judgment for \$90 Against M. A. Lane for Violation of Contract.

There were lodged yesterday in the county clerk's office documents showing legal transfer of the properties bought here by the Stone and Webster people. One deed stated the Paducah City Railway company transferred to the Paducah Traction company the street railway system of this city. In another document The Paducah Gas and Fuel company transferred to The Paducah Light and Power company the gas plant on North Third street, while in the third The Paducah Steam Heating company transferred its heating system to The Paducah Light and Power company.

### Herndon Got Judgment.

Herndon and Company, the tobacco dealers, yesterday got judgment for \$90 against M. A. Lane in the quarterly court. Plaintiffs claimed they contracted with Lane, who is a farmer, whereby the latter agreed to sell his tobacco crop to the former for a certain price. After the crop was cut, Herndon claims Lane sold it to someone else. Herndon sued Lane for \$140, claimed lost by reason of Lane not filling the contract. The court gave Herndon \$90 damages.

### Property Sold.

G. W. Scott and wife sold to R. L. Harris for \$350 land out in the county. The deed was lodged for record yesterday.

T. C. Leech bought from the Western District Warehouse company for \$250 property on Harrison, near Girard street.

John A. Williams bought from G. W. Eskridge for \$100 property on Langstaff avenue, in Rowlandtown.

### Part of Wickliffe Sinks.

Though we have not experienced any severe shaking up and tearing down like out in San Francisco, we have experienced a "sinking spell" that is somewhat of a sight itself. There are two places within the city limits, one place on the small farm of O. P. Beck, formerly owned by F. Arrows, and another place southeast in the woods, where the earth has given away and settled at least four feet, the ground being cracked and torn as if by earthquake.

Whether the recent disturbance at San Francisco caused the land here to sink or not, we do not know, but we do know that the land went down, and that it looks a little skittish to a fellow up a tree.

The sunken place on Mr. Beck's land covers about two acres, and it is cracked and chipped up to such an extent that it looks dangerous to be near. Several parties have been out to see the place, but no one has as yet ventured an opinion as to the cause.—Wickliffe Yoeman.

### Genuine Broadway Bargain.

Five room 2 story home lot 50x165, between Twelfth and Fourteenth, \$1600 cash. Lot is worth the money. Whittemore Real Estate Agency Fraternity building. Both phones 835.

Mesdames Charles A. Mohr and Georgie K. Gage, of Mobile, Ala., will arrive next Thursday to visit Mrs. Birdie Campbell.

# SMART SPRING NOVELTIES

## at OGILVIE'S

### Time For Carpets Now

And we are showing the largest and best selected stock. Our reputation for selling the best Carpets for the least money has been established for years. To hold this prestige our utmost care and great purchasing ability are joined together in selecting such Carpets that fill our purpose. Notice these splendid values:

Union Ingrain Extra Super Carpet, half wool, nice patterns and good colorings; special value, a yard ..... 35c  
5 pieces Extra Super Carpet, all wool, new spring designs in cheerful colorings, worth 70c a yard; our price ..... 60c  
Tapestry Brussels Carpet, handsome quality and handsome designs, including laying and lining; a yard ..... 70c  
Tapestry Brussels Rug, size 9x12 feet; this is a new lot of carpets; each ..... \$15.00  
9x12 Crex Rugs ..... 90c  
Straw Matting, per yard ..... 12 1/2c

### A Remarkable Suit Special

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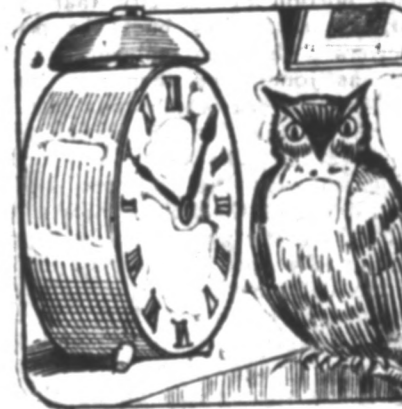
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# MINISTER HEARD FROM

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Woman's Home Mission Society Meets With Mrs. C. P. Houseman Tomorrow—Church Matters.

The pulpit committee of the First Baptist church yesterday received a letter from Rev. Calvin Thompson, of Denver, Colo., wherein the latter acknowledged receipt of the invitation to come here and take charge of the Paducah congregation as pastor. He said that he would announce his decision in a few days and notify the committee here, whether he would accept.

**Mission Closes.**  
This evening, the mission that Rev. Fathers Lambert and Murphy of Chicago have been conducting at the St. Frances de Sales church will close. They have been holding four meetings daily and all were attended by crowded houses, especially after nightfall. Both are strong workers and their forceful sermons were evidenced in much redounding to the good of church and community.

**Home Mission Society.**  
The Woman's Home Mission society of the Trimble street Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. C. P. Houseman of 1621 Harrison street.

**Christian Science.**  
Christian Science services will be held this morning at 10:30 o'clock at 527 Broadway, the subject being "Adam and Fallen Man." The testimonial gathering is next Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

**Very Large Gathering.**  
Many hundreds of people were out at Little Cypress yesterday attending the dedicatory services for the New Methodist church recently completed. The big basket dinner was spread upon the grounds, and some excellent sermons and singing enjoyed.

**This One Continues.**  
The protracted meeting at the Tenth street Christian church continues indefinitely, as it is right now in its most interested and effectual form, large crowds nightly attending and hearing the strong discourses delivered by Rev. Hudspeth. Many conversions and church accessions have been made.

**First Christian.**  
Rev. Stephens of Louisiana will this morning and evening conduct services at the First Christian church. He is a worker for the Home Missions maintained by this denomination, and delivers talks here pertaining to this subject. He is a very earnest and able man who will be greeted by large congregations.

**Revivals.**  
This evening the series of protracted meetings will be brought to a close at the Second Baptist church by Rev. E. B. Farrar who has been

assisting Rev. E. H. Cunningham, the pastor. The revivals have been in progress for over a month now at that church and 87 additions were made to the church, while over 100 conversions were effected altogether. Rev. Farrar preaches this morning and evening, and then departs shortly for his home in Utica, Ky.

## W. C. T. U.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL PURITY WAS DISCUSSED.

An interesting meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held last Thursday afternoon in the lecture room of the First Baptist church under the department of social purity. The superintendent, Mrs. Jettie M. Elliott had charge of the exercises.

Some of the questions discussed were whether ignorance of the most sacred truths of life is necessary to innocence, whether there should be any difference in the training of girls and boys, the relation of cigarettes to moral character, and the relation of intemperance to moral character. In response to this last topic, Mrs. Fannie Dunn read an article from last Sunday's Register, entitled, "An Honest Saloon Keeper."

A paper written by Mrs. Emma Rose, entitled, "The Parents' Gift of Pure Thoughts to Their Children," was read by Miss Christine Mayers and is here given:

"What higher conception of our purpose and destiny can there be than the realization that the measure of our intelligence and the quality of our conscience, determines the whole destiny of the race, its capacity for happiness and its ability to achieve. Its power to bring purity out of debasement and in the full light of wisdom, to work out the manifest designs of the Almighty, depends on us on what we each contribute.

What greater reward can we enjoy than to be surrounded by bright, healthy, pure-minded children? What joy is so pure and deep as that which comes to us from the noble achievements of our children? Only by transmitting to them the heritage of purity can we invest them with the attributes that will enable them to enjoy the happiness arising from the discharge of duty.

To leave all to chance is to insult the wisdom of the Creator, set His laws at defiance and seek to place ourselves above the mighty forces that rule the universe.

"The future of society," says Dr. Beaufort, "is in the hands of the mothers. If the world was once lost through woman, she alone can save it," and the haughty Napoleon uttered a great truth when he said "The future destiny of the child is always the work of the mother."

Mrs. H. H. Daley favored those present with a selection from the pen of Will S. Hays, the Louisville poet, entitled, "The New Magdalen," representing the plea of a fallen woman for help to return to a pure life once more. The lines are full of tender pathos and were most admirably rendered.

On Tuesday evening, May 15, Mrs. Mary E. Balch, state corresponding secretary for the W. C. T. U. will deliver a lecture in Paducah under the auspices of the local union.

On Saturday, May 5, the union will give a cake sale in connection with the White Ribbon flavoring extracts. Any contributions from friends will be very gratefully received.

The next regular meeting will be held Thursday afternoon, May 3, and will be devoted to the evangelistic department, conducted by Mrs. Julia Miles, superintendent.

# DOG KILLING THIS WEEK

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Over 100 animals are now in the big pound that sits down below the Illinois Central railroad incline at the foot of Campbell street. Of all the yelping, snarling, fighting and bluffing ever seen goes on inside the big cage, where can be found bird dogs, little fice, pug dogs, curs, hounds, Newfoundland, and, in fact, representatives of every known species of the dog family. The bulldog is the "king bee" of the assembled aggregation, as his reputation is too well known amongst his brethren as a bloody fighter, so he is left seriously alone.

Everybody whose dogs are missing are being given a good opportunity to go down and identify the animals so the license can be paid and the canine saved from death, but before the week is over the existence of the unclaimed ones will be brought to an end and their remains turned over to the "animal crematory" that is moored nearby in the river, where the canines will be ground up into soap grease, made into oil and put to other good and remunerative uses.

The dog catchers continue going over the city daily and are bringing

in load after load of stray animals, who go to join the pound gang that will shortly be numbered among the silent majority.

## FINED AND JAILED.

Aaron Wimburly, Colored, Fined \$25 and Sent to Jail for Ten Days, Aaron Wimburly, colored, was fined \$25 and costs and sent to jail for ten days for carrying concealed weapons, on being given a trial yesterday morning before Judge Sanders in the police court.

Charles Deerman and J. D. Reeves were fined \$5 and costs each for a breach of the peace.

Charles Wade and Walter Williams were each fined \$5 for engaging in a fight.

## ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSION BULLETIN.

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Lexington, Ky.—Spring Races—Dates of sale April 24th to May 1st, limit three days. Rate for round trip \$12.15.

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Monday, April 29, 1906.

## A Queer "Vindication."

About the latest excuse for a "vindication" we have ever read appeared in the Paducah Sun of yesterday. In a column account about Mark Worten and the notorious chain gang suits he brought against the City of Paducah. The Sun reports a ruling of Judge Evans of the federal court, and then with a column of garbled stuff, undertakes to make it appear that by the simple act of overruling the city's demurrer that Worten is "vindicated." Many of the lawyers of the city are laughing at the pitiable effort made to make the people believe Worten has been vindicated.

The facts in the case are that yesterday morning the clerk of the federal court received the ruling of Judge Evans, overruling the city's demurrer, and the clerk says "the case will now come up on its merits." This is all that the ruling means. In almost every case in the state or federal courts demurrers are entered and overruled, the case goes to trial and is then decided on its merits. In other words, Judge Evans simply says he will hear the case in his court.

The Sun undertakes to give a history of the chain gang cases, but makes it in such a way as to mislead its readers, and quotes an interview from Worten which is not supported by the statements of other people in a position to know a great deal about his connection with those suits. The whole article is written for a purpose, and seems to be an effort either to extricate Worten from the plight into which he now realizes that he has brought on himself by those suits, or for the purpose of making it appear that the administration of several years ago went contrary to the law. The Sun states "He (Worten) advised against working prisoners fined in police court on the streets, but the city failed to uphold him in his view of the matter." This is a deliberate misrepresentation of facts. Mayor Yeiser, City Judge D. L. Saunders, the chief of police, the city jailer, and every member of the general council interviewed state positively and emphatically that Worten never, while he was drawing a salary as city solicitor, opened his mouth to them about working prisoners on the chain gang, or advised them not to work them on the streets. We guess the word of those gentlemen is as good as that of Worten or The Sun. Worten was city solicitor for twenty-one months after it became a second-class city, and the general council met every two weeks, yet the records do not show that Worten ever gave any such advice.

The Sun says "Prisoners were worked on the 'chain gang' and Attorney Worten brought suits for several of them." We do not hesitate to brand that statement as a deliberate lie, for the records of the McCracken circuit court show that Attorney Worten brought sixty-seven chain-gang suits against the City of Paducah, each for \$10,000, or a total of \$670,000; and in addition thereto there were thirteen other suits against police officers for the same class of people.

The Sun further says "The suits were filed in circuit court and fought to the appellate court, which decided against the plaintiffs. Attorney Worten, intent on vindicating himself, brought them in the federal court." The fact of the business is that last summer Judge Speer of the federal court in Georgia created

much comment throughout the country by charging the grand jury in his court to investigate the working of prisoners on the chain gang in that state, and it developed into what was known as the "peonage cases." A mention of those cases was made in the Paducah Sun, and from the circumstances, Worten seems to have taken his cue from that, and brought suits in the federal court here in Paducah, and up to yesterday not one word has been said to the public that Worten was seeking "vindication," the general belief being that he was prosecuting those suits for the money he expected to get out of them. For it is a fact that Worten in 1904 had a notice served on Mayor Yeiser, warning the city not to compromise or settle without his consent any of the suits he had filed against the city, and gave the names of fifty-odd persons for whom he had brought the suits; and in that notice, signed by J. M. Worten, in his own handwriting, he said "My employment by each and all of said parties is on a contingent fee, of a sum equal to 50 per cent. of amount collected;" and closed the notice with these words: "I give you this notice that the City may understand that I am interested in the claim of these people against her, and will look to the City for my fees, a reasonable attorney fee, for representing said parties, in the event any settlement should be made of any of said claims without my knowledge and consent. Respectfully, J. M. Worten." There is not one word about vindicating Worten in that notice. Over his own signature he admits that he is interested in each and every one of those suits, and from what he said everyone would readily suppose that it was fees, and not "vindication," that he was seeking.

The Sun then proceeds to give Worten's statement, the first paragraph of which reads:

"I want to say this in regard to the suits," Attorney Worten stated. "I have been fought hard by the City, and the only reason I have continued the fight was to vindicate myself; and I think I have beyond a doubt done so. The court has sustained my allegations, saying that I have good grounds; in plain words, that the City has no right to work prisoners on the street."

Worten now says that he had been "fought hard" by the city. What else was the city to do when it had suits aggregating \$670,000 brought against it? There is not a single responsible individual in the country who would not have "fought hard" to keep from paying out \$670,000 and especially on such character of suits, and when brought by a man who had just ceased to draw their money for legal advice. Worten started the fight and the city had to fight or have judgment go against it for \$670,000, one-half of which according to Worten's "notice" was to go to him. Surely Worten does not think he can bring suit after suit against any one, and not expect them to defend themselves. Such rot as that is silly. The city did not press the fighting, it merely defended itself.

Worten says his "only reason" for continuing the fight was to "vindicate" himself. We doubt if the public will take any stock in that peculiar plea. If Worten was seeking "vindication" why did he not bring one suit only against the city and let that settle the question of whether he was right or wrong. But no, he prepared sixty-odd petitions against the city, and in each case, so we are told the city had to pay about seven dollars in court costs, because it could not be made off of Worten's clients, and at that figure the city is out about \$500 in court costs and something like \$1,000 for extra attorneys fees on account of those suits. One case would have settled the whole question, but Worten kept on bringing the suits until the highest court in the state decided in favor of the city.

Worten says he thinks beyond a doubt that he has been "vindicated" and that the court has sustained his allegations and make the court say the city has no right to work prisoners on the streets. Worten knows that in the demurrer set up by the city that reference was made to his failure to set forth the ordinance under which the prisoners were worked on the streets, and that the court was not fully advised on anything like the merits of the case, and that his ruling simply covers legal

points and means that he will hear the case. Worten also knows that often after a judge overrules a demurrer and begins to hear a case, that he throws it out of court; and from Worten's anxiety to drop the suits now, one might well suppose that he may have an idea that such would be the fate of his chain gang suits.

In the second paragraph of Worten's statement or interview he claims that some of the prisoners who were worked on the street came to him and he brought the suits. That statement is calculated to make one believe that those people sought Worten, it might be true in some cases, but it is a fact that there are in existence many letters sent out by Worten to ex-prisoners who were worked on the chain gang in which Worten asked them to call at his office, and some of those people who went there in answer to those letters state that Worten placed before them the matter of bringing suit against the city for working them on the chain gang and that they entered into a contract with Worten to bring the suit and to pay him a fee equal to 50 per cent. of the amount recovered.

Now Worten figures out in his own mind that he has been "vindicated," and will not push the matter any further. How is this to be reconciled with the oath that every attorney takes to faithfully perform his duties as an attorney to his clients? If Worten has contracts specifying his fee, is it not reasonable to suppose that those very contracts impose an obligation on him as the attorney for those people? What is to become of the claims or the rights of those people to damages from the city for "unlawfully" working them on the chain gang? Worten says in his Sun interview that the court (Judge Evans) says "in plain words, that the city has no right to work prisoners on the streets." If the court says this then Worten's clients are entitled to recover from the city for its unlawful act, but according to Worten's statement, the very minute the court says the city has no right to work prisoners on the streets, Worten says he will drop the cases and push them no further. What is one to think of such peculiar conduct while the state courts decided against him that "the federal court is considered of more weight." If that be true why does he not prosecute his suits in the federal court? His clients are certainly entitled to some consideration, many of whom, no doubt, had no idea of suing the city until they received Worten's letters to call at his office and there entered into some sort of an arrangement with him to bring the suits. Having influenced those people to employ him to bring those suits, Worten now drops them as soon as he is satisfied, at least he says so, that they have good grounds for recovery. If every attorney would drop his cases as soon as the courts began to decide in his favor, the clients would be in fix. That kind of rot might do to work off on such people as work out fines on a chain gang, but intelligent and fair minded people will think it queer, very queer.

In our opinion, to sum the whole thing up, it looks very much like Worten has at last realized the seriousness of his connection with the chain gang suits, and has become convinced that by his conduct he has placed himself in a bad attitude towards the people of this city from whom he drew a salary for two years as the legal adviser of the city. We learn that he went into the transaction with his eyes wide open for we are told that he was warned by his friends and relatives not to bring those suits against the city—other lawyers advised him that there was nothing in them, and the fact that not another lawyer in this city would have anything to do with them was enough to convince him that he was making a mistake. But in the face of all that he rushed headlong into the courts and for a year or more, every few days he filed \$10,000 suits against the city. In his interview he says "It is a fact that I brought the suits at first with view of financial profit, like any other lawyer would do." The public will agree with him on the first proposition, but we be-

lieve that the lawyers of Paducah as a whole will resent the inuendo against them, as well as the one made by the Sun. The loss of standing incident to Worten's conduct is, perhaps, not the only motive for his dropping the suits. For while Judge Evans may hear the cases that does not mean that they will be against the city. Judge Reed decided for the city and so did the seven judges of the court of appeals. Judge Cochran of the federal court decided that he had jurisdiction in the Caleb Powers case but the United States supreme court reversed him, so everything considered, and Judge Evans having only passed on the legal phase of the case, the results thus far clearly show that Worten has no case against the city. If this be true the city can sue Worten for malicious prosecution for advising and bringing the suits against it without good and probable cause and not only recover the expense to which it has been put but also damages for annoyance and loss of time. Worten simply got himself in a serious predicament and after exhausting his powers to harass and put the city to an expense he finds that he is in danger of being made to suffer and having done about all he can do to injure the city he is ready to quit. But as a lesson to all who might wish to indulge in such conduct in the future the city should push the fight that Worten inaugurated, to the bitter end. If ex-prisoners are entitled to damages let the city pay the bill, if they are not, then force Worten to reimburse the city for all expense and any damages it may have sustained in defending itself against those notorious suits brought against it. Both Worten and the Sun attempt to cast odium on the city, now make him finish the job, and prove to the public that a mere overruling of a demurrer means that he has won the case. Out of all that he has filed against the city he has not won a single case.

What a pity there were no first-class reporters and snap-shot men present when the Fall of Man occurred. Also when Lucifer fell and the twin cities, Sodom and Minneapolis, suffered. The great flood should have been written up, too, and a list of the victims printed. But then there were so few surviving friends, it would have been sweetness, or, rather, printers' ink wasted on desert air.

## BAR ASSOCIATION.

Yesterday morning the special investigating committee of the Paducah Bar association met and organized, selecting Judge James Campbell as chairman and Lawyer J. S. Ross, secretary. They talked over the rumors of unprofessional conduct on the part of some of the local attorneys, and adjourned, to meet again tomorrow afternoon at Judge Lightfoot's office in the county courthouse.

## Government By The Newspapers

An editorial in the Wall Street Journal credits the newspapers as being the most powerful factor in the government of this country, and now occupying the place the legal profession once had. It says:

It was Edmund Burke who first used the term, "the fourth estate," in speaking of the press. At the time that Burke used the phrase the power of the newspaper was just beginning to be felt. The time has now arrived when it may be said that it has become the ruling power. It is not very far from truth to say that the government of the United States is a government by newspapers. A leading lawyer of this city said a night or two ago: "We lawyers used to be the governing class in this country. I admit that we made many mistakes and are justly subject to criticism. But now you newspaper men have usurped our place and it remains to be seen whether you will do any better than we lawyers did."

There are several causes for the declining power of the legal profession. One of these is the fact that oratory is growing out of favor. There is very little of it in the courts and not much more on the stump. The people get their information and their inspiration from the printed page and not from the platform. It is no longer necessary for a great lawyer to be a great public speaker nor is it necessary for success in politics that a man should be a brilliant, witty and ready stump speaker.

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years ago Thomas Jefferson expressed in very strong terms his distrust of lawyers in public life. He thought there were too many of them in congress. Nevertheless the lawyer should be by training the best fitted man for public service. The legislator is a maker of laws. The duty of the executive is to enforce the laws. It is the business of the lawyer to study and expound laws. Therefore he ought to be the best trained man in the community for service in legislative halls and executive departments. But it would appear that in recent years lawyers have largely given up the profession of law and are now devoting themselves to the business of law. They have become more and more merely business agents, the hired servants of financial interests rather than independent members of a profession. The commercialism of the legal profession is one of the causes of its decline in public estimation.

Meanwhile the newspaper and the magazine have become more and more independent and more and more the moulders of public opinion. The people will not go to listen to speeches, but they will read the newspapers, and necessarily all that they know concerning public issues and public men comes to them through the vehicle of the press. What the newspaper has to say therefore, becomes the most important factor in every public movement. Few men can withstand the constant censure of the press. No issue can be successful without its support. We have reached a point, or have at least very nearly reached it, where it may be said that this country is governed by its newspapers. The fourth estate has become the first estate.

What are the newspapers going to do with this opportunity and power? This has become a really vital question in this country. The answer will depend in a measure upon whether the newspaper man shall be the member of a profession or of a business. If the newspaper is to become commercialized, the organ merely of financial interests which shall use it without scruple to further their ends, or, if it shall become the mere slave of its own circulation and advertising, and to serve them shall pander to ignorance, passion, envy there is danger indeed. If newspapers become either mouthpieces of yellow sensationalism or the court circulars of corporate interests, they will do more harm to the country than all the lawyers put together could possibly accomplish.

Undoubtedly the country is passing through a great historical period. The problems which confront it are as important any which have ever come before the people. If the newspapers prove false to their opportunity and misuse their power, it will take decades, and perhaps even centuries, to repair the mischief they can do. There is a golden opportunity for the newspapers of this country in the present crisis to advance civilization and peace to heights never before attained. They can do this by walking in the middle of the road, neither turning on the one side to the service of interests which would use their power for oppression and wrong and the overthrow of liberty, nor, on the other hand, to the service of those who through ignorance or fanaticism or greed or anger, seek to destroy the social order.

But whether government by newspapers shall long continue or not, one thing is certain there can never be free government without newspapers.

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## ABUSED WOMAN IN HIS COMPANY

MAN GIVING NAME OF WM.  
HENDERSON PUT UP \$5  
FOR HIS FINE.

Big Fight Had at Ninth and Jackson Streets by Some White Men  
—Other Police News.

Yesterday a couple went to the hotel over Bud Quarles saloon near the Union depot, to wait until the 1:40 o'clock passenger train going towards Louisville this morning. They had not been in their room very long before the man commenced abusing the woman, he being intoxicated from strong drink. The woman summoned the police and the man was arrested by Officer Aaron Hurley. In getting to the hall he pleaded guilty to a breach of the peace and put up \$5 and costs to be entered up against him tomorrow morning in the police court. He gave the name of Willard Henderson, but it is not thought this is his proper name. He was released on paying the assessment.

### Big Street Fight.

Last evening about 9 o'clock Acting Lieutenant James Clark received a telephone message from several people of the Ninth and Jackson street neighborhood, saying several white men were engaging in a fierce fight out on the corner. The lieutenant telephoned Officer Hurley at Tenth and Husbands streets to go down and arrest them, but by time the patrolmen reached Jackson, the scrappers had gone. All he could find out was that they fought fierce for some moments, but he has not yet learned their names which will probably be gotten today, after a little investigating.

### Drunkenness Charged.

John McClure, white, was arrested yesterday in the I. C. railroad yards and locked up on the charge of drunkenness, by Special Police Dick Tolbert for the yards.

### Grafters Gone.

The crowd or grafters following the Cole brothers circus left yesterday morning with the show and are now far away from here. Chief Collins found them operating cigar machines in the afternoon of the show here, and gave his permission for this, but after supper he discovered the machines were of a combination nature, and money was being bet on them, so he quickly made them close down. The grafters got a good snug sum from the susceptible before the chief closed them out. Murray people who followed the show here, tried to have them arrested for skinning the men of that city out of several thousand, but they could not get the names of the parties operating the machines. They got out warrants for Cole Bros. then, but as the proprietors are in New York, and the identity of the oper-

ators could not be ascertained, no arrests could be made. The Murray people filed suits here in the court to recover the amounts lost by several.

## NOW WORKING ON NEW SWITCH

THE WORK ON WEST BROADWAY WILL BE FINISHED THIS WEEK.

Today First Sabbath Open-Air Concert Will Be Given at Park—Mr. Grant Distributes.

General Manager John S. Blecker of the traction company, has started a large force of men to work excavating and re-arranging the rack so there can be installed the new switch that goes down on Broadway between Sixteenth street and Fountain avenue. He believes he will have the work completed by the last of this week, when the laborers will then be taken out to Jefferson street just beyond Fountain avenue, and take up the old switch that has existed there for several years, and which will not be needed after the new one is finished. This latter will equalize the distance between the Ninth and Broadway switch, and that at the old fair grounds near Wallace park.

### Opening Concert.

This afternoon at Wallace park the initial open air concert for the summer will be given by Professor William Deal's band which has arranged a fine programme that will be enjoyed by many, if the day is pretty and pleasant. Each Sabbath afternoon thereafter the concerts will be given like they have been for a number of years past.

Manager Grant of the Seattle, Washington, lighting and railway system owned by Stone & Webster of Boston, has been named by the governor of Massachusetts as the party to distribute amongst the San Francisco sufferers the supplies and money contributed by the entire state of Massachusetts. Stone & Webster own the Paducah street railway, gas, steam heating, and electric lighting companies, and Mr. Grant is remembered by many here where he visited for a few days last fall while en route back to Seattle from a trip to headquarters at Boston. He has been instructed by his company to drop all other business matters, and devote his entire time to relieving the sufferers, with what is sent by Massachusetts.

### CHAUTAUQUA MAN.

Mr. James A. Shaw Will Return This Week From Bloomington, Ill.

Mr. James A. Shaw, of Bloomington, Ill., has written that he will be here between now and next Friday for purpose of completing arrangements for the Chautauqua to be given at Wallace park during June. He left for home last Sunday, but on his return will remain here until everything is completed in the nature of preparations for the gathering that promises to be very large and successful, as it will present features never before enjoyed by Paducahans here at home.

## MAMMOTH CROWD OUT

INTERESTING CEREMONIES  
AT LITTLE CYPRESS YES-  
TERDAY.

New Methodist Church Dedicated,  
While Mission Delegates to Bar-  
low Conference Were Named.

The gathering yesterday at Little Cypress was very largely attended, it numbering about 600 people, who spent the day most beneficially, participating in the new Methodist church dedicatory ceremonies and quarterly conference for the Paducah City Mission churches. Great interest is being taken in the new church constructed there, and it promises to have an unusually large and flourishing congregation.

The meeting opened with a grand song service at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, this continuing up until nearly 11 o'clock, when Presiding Elder J. W. Blackard preached. It was then announced that about \$80 yet remained on the church debt of \$300, and within a few moments much more than the balance was contributed and the church made free of indebtedness. Dr. Blackard then dedicated the structure, assisted by the other ministers in attendance.

At noon an immense basket dinner was served upon the grounds, everybody having come well laden with tempting things to eat, and the picnic repast was hugely enjoyed. Following the meal, the business meeting for the quarterly conference was held, and reports showed in excellent condition all the congregations included in the city missions. During the conference there were chosen delegates who are to attend the Paducah district conference, which meets in June at Barlow, down in Ballard county. The representatives named are G. C. Leonard, of Little Cypress; E. Futtrell, of Lone Oak; B. N. Brockman and T. A. Ewell, of LaCenter, and T. A. Robertson. The alternates are Professor Keener Rudolph and Mr. Joseph Ragsdale, of Lone Oak.

Rev. R. E. Brassfield, of Barlow, remained at Little Cypress, where he preached last evening, and does likewise again this morning, before coming through here on his way back home. Presiding Elder Blackard this morning goes to Bandana, where today he preaches, while tomorrow he will hold the quarterly conference for the Methodist congregation there.

To Rev. T. J. Owen, pastor of the city missions, belongs the credit for having built this new church, which will accommodate the hundreds of Methodists in that section. Dr. Owen is one of the most earnest workers in the field, and Presiding Elder Blackard yesterday paid him a high compliment, by remarking that he believed Rev. Owen had built more new churches than any other one worker the elder ever knew of.

## BOILERMAKER CAN SIT UP

WAS SERIOUSLY SCALDED  
SEVERAL WEEKS AGO IN  
BOILER.

Chief Surgeon Murrell Will Today Return From Confederate Re-union—Railroad News.

Boiler-maker Frank Rhea is able to sit up at the Illinois Central Railroad hospital, where he has been confined for several weeks past with serious burns, caused by getting scalded. It will be quite a while, yet, before he is able to leave the institution. Several weeks ago he crawled into a boiler in the local yards to repair the boiler, when suddenly escaping steam and scalding water rushed in upon him and he was badly burned before he could get out.

Chief Surgeon. Chief Surgeon D. G. Murrell will return today from New Orleans, where he has been attending the re-

union of Confederate veterans. During his absence, the hospital has been in charge of Assistant Chief Surgeon Dr. J. Q. Taylor.

**New Cairo Train.**  
Commencing this evening, the passenger train out of here for Cairo will leave at 6:15 o'clock, instead of 7 o'clock, as heretofore, in order to connect at 7 o'clock at the Egyptian city with the Chicago fast flyer. Heretofore, while the train was leaving at 7 o'clock, the mail for this train closed at 6:15 o'clock, but now, under the changed schedule, all mail intended to go out on this train has to be in the local postoffice by 5:15 o'clock each afternoon.

**Depot Burned at Barlow.**  
Yesterday morning about 3 o'clock the freight and passenger depot at Barlow burned to the ground, entailing a total loss to the I. C. Barlow is 21 miles below here, on the Cairo division, and the same building was used for passenger and freight purposes, with H. H. Hughes as agent. He resided in the second story, but at the time was visiting in Calvert City. The fire was discovered by passers-by, who quickly called out the bucket brigade, but the blaze had gained such headway, everything was destroyed, both the building and its contents. Not much freight was inside. The depot was insured, but Mr. Hughes' furniture was not. Incendiarism is thought to have been the origin.

**Chairman Hill.**  
Chairman John A. Hill, of the joint protective board for the Railway Carmen, will arrive from St. Louis tomorrow to visit the local brethren on business pertaining to the schedule of wages the carmen want the I. C. to pay them, commencing June 1.

**Telegraphers Bettered.**  
The telegraph operators in main over the I. C. system have been given higher salaries by the officials, who estimate that the total increase to all combined salaries will amount to \$40,000 each year. Some operators occupying certain positions wanted more money and wanted the work graded. This was done.

**SPRAINED ANKLE.**  
Mr. Newton Painfully Hurt Himself Yesterday—Mrs. Aker Struck by Rock.

Mr. J. W. Newton, of 620 South Thirteenth street, was driving past Fourth and Broadway yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, when he stepped from his wagon and sprained his ankle. While down in town last night about 10 o'clock, he fainted at Fifth and Broadway, and had to be sent home in a cab.

Mrs. C. F. Aker, of 1626 Jones street, was standing in her yard, when someone from the street threw a rock that struck her eye, which is painfully injured, but the sight is not destroyed.

Will Kyle ran a nail through his hand at the Wooten blacksmith shop, in 307 Jefferson street, yesterday.

**To the Traveling Public.**  
Commencing Sunday, April 29th, Illinois Central train No. 801 will leave Paducah Union Depot at 6:15 P. M., instead of 7:00 P. M. This train runs via Cairo and carries the St. Louis sleeper, and will connect at Cairo Junction with train No. 8 for Chicago.  
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# Baseball

YESTERDAY'S GAME:

PADUCAH, 5; ALTON, 0.

A good crowd witnessed the game at Wallace park yesterday afternoon. Stone and Webster were on hand with obstructing line car, but patrons of road and game got to the park after awhile and got back home after awhile.

The Altons are a husky, wide-out looking set of fellows, and seemed willing to get in the way of the ball, catch it once in awhile and bat at it frequently. In the first inning it was a case of one, two, three out for both sides. Nothing doing in the second. In the third Redman sent a good one to Taylor, who promptly fired it to Mr. Haas, who did a good business at Bag one. Zoeller struck out. Mr. Turner of Alton sent a bad one to Mr. Gilligan of Paducah, and Mr. Gilligan, with true Kentucky style, passed it over to Mr. Haas.

Chenault took a base on balls. Ames hit to pitcher. Turner, at second, fumbled. Taylor lifted a fly to third baseman. Gilligan knocked a good one, but a blue man was under Mr. Wetzel hit, but was retired at first. In the fourth inning the gentlemen in blue garments went out one, two, three time. Dr. Haas "earned" a base on balls. Perry made a little 30-cent hit, and the ball reached Bag one before he did. Miller did a ditto. By this time D. Heady Haas was on third. Lloyd sent a skyscraper to right field, and it was well cared for in a beautiful running catch by Hartman. Nothing and nothing, so far. Not even red lemonade. But the fifth! Oh me, oh my, oh Momer! Colver, by a good contortion act, got a ball on his starboard kidney, and between grunts reached first; he earned it. But the poor fellow died 'twixt first and second of injured kidney, Haas and Gilligan. Left-hand Held held the bat and the ball wouldn't hit it. Carney reached first on balls. Redman out at first. In the Indians' half, Chenault walked, Ames hit for first. Taylor hit to base line 'twixt first and second, and then a series of fumbles let in Chenault and Ames. Taylor made a great sneak to third. Wetzel fied out. Haas out. Side out, but with three runs to the good.

About this time a Mr. Windy made some remarks. A little billy goat came in, wagging his all too brief narrative for flytime, and the sixth inning began with Zoeller out by fly to Perry to first. Turner sent one same way. That man Perry is a Johnny on the Spot, and it don't matter where the spot is. Bene fanned. Perry needed liniment and walked. Miller hit to second, out at first. Lloyd's high fly to right let Perry make third. Chenault drove a grounder to far center, and Perry came in. Ames out at first. In the seventh Alle hit to center. Hartman struck out. Alle tried to reach sec-

ond base—thought it was St. Louis—but was pitched on the bridge by Haas and Gilligan. Colver struck out.

Taylor hit to Alles, out at first. Mr. Gilligan did same stunt. Wetzel sent a darling to right. It looked safe for a three-bagger, but Zoeller caught the ball just three-sixteenths of an inch from the bosom of Mother Earth. In the eighth inning Held knocked a hot grounder to Gilligan. Carney also went out at first, and Mr. Redman fanned.

For the Pad Dukes, Haas fanned (he must quit that habit), Perry's hit to pitcher put him out at first. Miller walked and made a great steal of second on a belly slide. Lloyd hit to right and was safe on first by a fumble. Miller crossed the plate and Lloyd made second. Everybody, including the goat and Mr. Windy, seemed happy. Chenault fanned out. The first half of ninth was in one, two, three and out order. Score: Paducah, 5; Alton, 0.

The Game This Afternoon.

The baseball game today between the Alton Blues and the Pad Dukes will be well patronized. They play good ball, and will be able today to give a good account of themselves. The electric line will be in good condition, and there will be no tedious sidetracking, as was the case yesterday.

## STATE POLITICS.

Discussed in Interesting Dispatch to Enquirer.

A dispatch from Franfort to the Cincinnati Enquirer, among other interesting things, had this: Notwithstanding the fact that State Auditor S. W. Hager has not yet made any formal announcement of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for governor, it is learned here that his friends throughout the state are working like Trojans. Therefore, when he does make a formal announcement his fences will be in good shape, and he will have secured a good organization. In this Mr. Hager and his friends are demonstrating that they are clever politicians. Governor Beckham's campaign for senator is being handled in the same way. Neither Governor Beckham nor Mr. Hager is saying a word, but their friends are active and enthusiastic.

Unlucky Number 13.

If you are superstitious about the number "13," you had better give us your quarter dollars, for on each one are 13 stars, 13 letters in the scroll of the eagle's back, 13 leaves on the olive branch, 13 arrow heads and 13 letters in the words "quarter dollar." Now, it's not safe to keep them, so bring them to us and get credit on your subscription for the full amount. —Crittenden Press.

## PAINT THE COURTHOUSE

CONTRACTOR PERRY GIVEN THE WORK YESTERDAY.

He Under Bid the Other Panters and Will Start the Work Immediately.

The first step towards putting the balance of the county courthouse in first-class condition was taken yesterday, when the committee from the fiscal court opened the bids put in by contractors, agreeing to paint the buildings on the courthouse block. The justices of the peace composing the committee found that Contractor W. F. Perry made the lowest proposition, his bid being \$368. There were four others bidding on the work, their figures ranging upward until the highest was reached, it being Mr. Pieper, who wanted \$565 for the work. On the committee seeing that Contractor Perry was the lowest bidder, the contract was awarded to him, and he will start to work right away.

The contract calls for the courthouse interior, and also wooden exterior to be painted, also the county jail, outhouses, and, in fact, all the wood work. This does not include inside the county clerk's office, or county courtroom, as these quarters were freshly painted during the past winter.

With this painting, the courthouse properties will be placed in good condition for several years, by which time it is believed that something definite will be done regarding the proposition to issue bonds to build a new courthouse, and also county jail. The present buildings have been standing for a number of years past, and have declined into a dilapidated condition, especially the courthouse, which was standing long before the war.

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IT IS BEING INSTALLED NOW AT RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Fanny Prince Will Be Sent Home Tomorrow, After Remaining There for Several Months.

Yesterday work of installing the furniture for the new ward at Riverside hospital, was commenced and within a few days all the equipment will be in and ward in completed form. This furniture is being purchased from Rhodes-Burford by the hospital directors. The local dealers get it from Chicago and it is the best hospital furniture procurable. This new ward is down in the basement and will be entirely for colored people. It was plastered, painted and put in first class condition several weeks ago by Contractor William Lockwood. On that being done, temporary furnishings were put in and the darkies have been using the basement ever since. Now on the new equipment arriving, it is being installed and will shortly all be in. City Physician Bass believes it will be sufficient for accommodation of about forty patients. The ward used heretofore upstairs by the darkies has been arranged for white people. This new department in the basement was made necessary, on account of the crowded condition the institution has been in ever since it was started, its capacity being nearly taxed a number of times.

Send Home Tomorrow. Mrs. Fanny Prince will tomorrow be sent to her home out in the city, after remaining confined at Riverside hospital for several months, with injuries she sustained when knocked from the trestle several hundred feet north of the Union depot in the I. C. yards. She is now able to get about.

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Thursday Night ..... The Metropolitan Burlesquers.  
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Program of The Damrosch Orchestra at The Kentucky Saturday night, May 5.

### PART I.

1. Overture, Mignon, Thomas.
2. Larghetto from Symphony No. 2—Beethoven.
3. Peer Cent Suite No. 1—Grieg.  
 A—In the Morning.  
 B—Asa's Death.  
 C—Anitras Dance.  
 D—In the Hall of the Mountain King.
4. Overture, "William Tell"—Rossini.

### PART II.

5. Concerto for Piano with Orchestra—Miss Zudie Harris. Played by the Composer.
6. Prelude and Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin—Wagner.
7. March Slav—Tschaiakowsky.



Mr. Walter Damrosch, Conductor, "The New York Symphony Orchestra," at The Kentucky next Saturday night.

Mr. Walter Damrosch, leader of the famous New York Symphony Orchestra, which is to be heard at The Kentucky on Saturday night is of the opinion that the day of the brass band is waning, while public appreciation of the best orchestral music is steadily increasing.

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### Viola Allen, in "The Toast of the Town."

Viola Allen will present Clyde Fitch's play, "The Toast of the Town" at The Kentucky Tuesday, May 8. In this play, Miss Allen impersonates Betty Singleton, an actress who reigned during the time of George the Third. Her success in this play has been phenomenal. The general opinion as expressed is that Betty Singleton is the greatest role that Miss Allen has ever enacted, and that "The Toast of the Town" is the best made play that has come from Clyde Fitch's pen. However, it should be taken into account, that Clyde Fitch in building a play for Viola Allen was not writing for an actress of limited ability, but one able to run the gamut of the emotions. Viola Allen has no superior as a comedienne; yet, rings true. Her supporting company this year is a very fine one and includes, among others, Isabel Irving, Mrs. Fanny Addison Pitt, Harrison Hunter, Hassard Short, Norman Tharp, and C. Leslie Allen.



Miss Viola Allen, as Betty Singleton, in Clyde Fitch's play, "The Toast of the Town," at The Kentucky Tuesday night, May 8.

## COMMITTEE WILL MEET

SEVERAL OF THEM COULD NOT BE PRESENT YESTERDAY.

The Money Got for the Old Property Will Be All That Is Expended for New Poor Farm.

The county poor farm committee of the fiscal court intended meeting yesterday morning at the office of Justice Charles Emery, on Legal row, and decide what piece of ground they would buy out in the country for the new county poor farm that is to be built. Several members of the committee could not be present, so the session was postponed until next Wednesday. The committee was out all of Thursday and Friday looking over sites, therefore the accumulated business of some prevented them from coming again yesterday, so the selection will not be made until the middle of this week.

One of the county authorities yesterday said they got \$8,000 for the old poor farm property, and that they intended this sum of money should not be exceeded when the new institution is put up. By this, he meant the \$8,000 for the old property would have to pay the entire expense of buying the site for the new buildings, and also defray the entire expense of constructing the latter.

They expect to settle everything in connection with the matter this week, in order to let the contract as soon as possible for the building and get it done within the next few months.

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## BODY SHOT OUT WINDOW

PHILLIP LINSTERN WAS THROWN BODILY THROUGH THE GLASS.

He Claimed His Partner Doc Foster Assaulted Him, While Troutman Is Suspected.

Philip Linstern is now lying in the city jail with there adorning his cap the honor of being pitched through a window yesterday, shortly after noon, during a pitched battle in Broad alley, which is near Island creek, on the south side of town. His right arm is cut in many places where he came in contact with the glass while crashing through the window. It took many stitches for City Physician Bass to close the gashes that extended from wrist to elbow, and some above.

Linstern was about half drunk when picked up in the alley and brought down to police headquarters by Officer Mike Dugan. He resides on a shantyboat moored at the mouth of Island creek, and complained to the authorities that his partner, Doc Foster, had assaulted him, but for what, he did not know.

The police, after having his injuries dressed, locked him up and commenced working on the case. They claimed to have learned that Ed Troutman is the man who picked Linstern up and threw him through the window at Troutman's home, in Broad alley.

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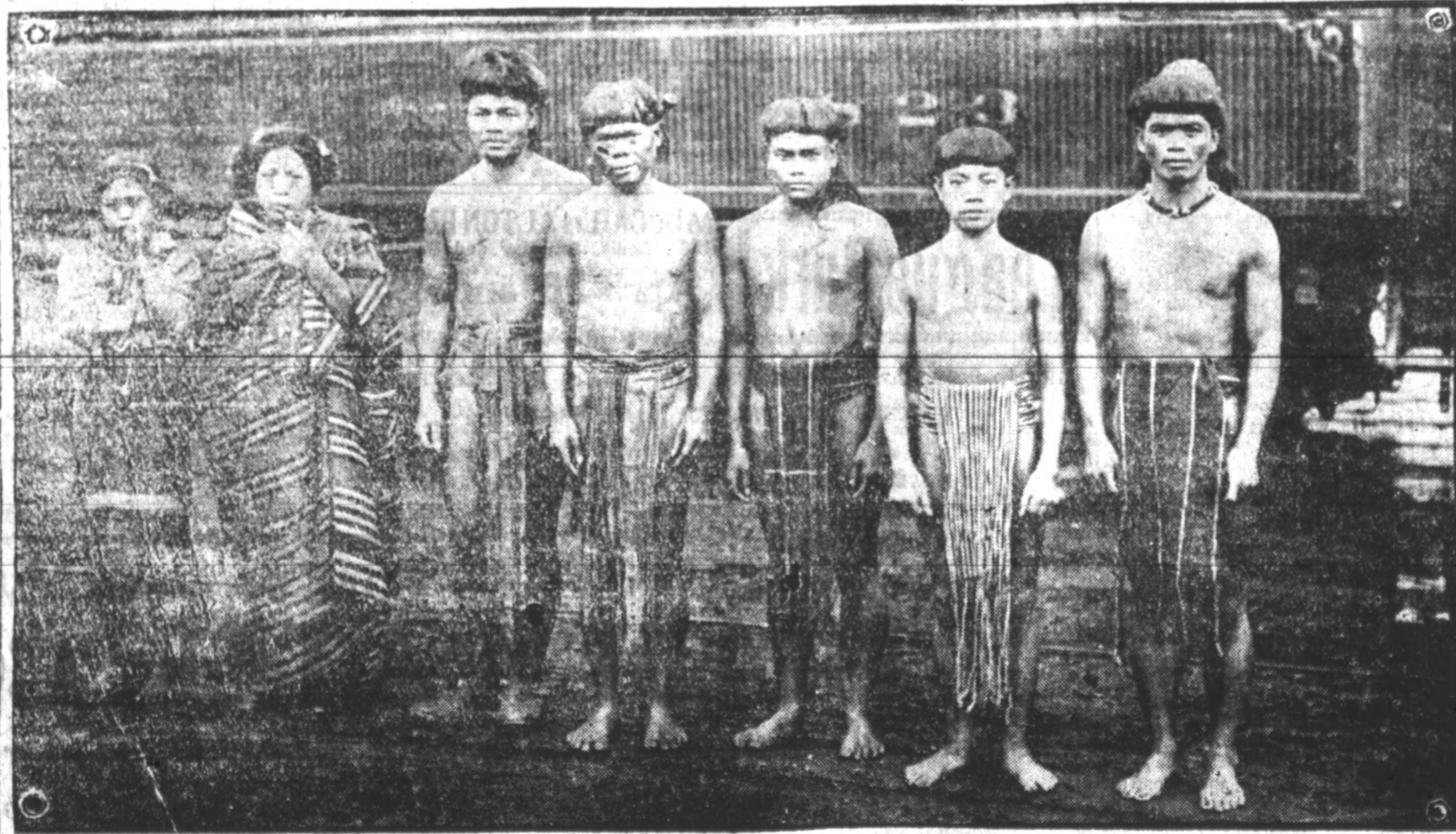
Colonel Jim Davy Watson seems to think we have a grudge against him because he beat us for state senator at one forgotten time in the past. We can assure the colonel that we held that as the only favor he ever rendered us. With the coming of gray hairs has come a truer estimate of the blessings and misfortunes

which youth and ambition frequently confounded, mistaking one for the other. To nothing, in fact, can we so clearly trace the petrified condition of Colonel Jim Davy's once potent "inflouence," as to his yielding in a weak moment to the promptings of his spleen when he set out to head us off in our fool ambition to reach Frankfort and sit among the solons. —Clinton Gazette.

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## CARNIVAL SUIT

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THE JURY TOMORROW.

The Appellate Bench Mandate Arrives, Affirming Judgment in J.

D. Hollis Suit.

BERRY SMITH GETS

OFF PRETTY LIGHT.

Judge W. M. Reed of the circuit court will tomorrow morning swear in the petit juries and commence trial of action before him for the six weeks' term of civil court. The cases set for trial tomorrow are J. M. Spicer vs. Paducah Carnival Association, G. W. Warnekin vs. G. W. Green, and Buford Harper vs. the Illinois Central railroad.

Spicer was on the Ocean Wave at the carnival last spring at Twelfth and Trimble streets, when the affair collapsed and threw him to the ground, and he now sues for damages.

G. W. Warnekin sues Green about an account for dealing in tobacco, while Harper sues the I. C. for damages because of injuries he sustained.

Yesterday's Business.

There was dismissed yesterday without prejudice the suit of Lawyer A. B. Harper against The Afternoon Sun. The Sun published an article about Allen Free, the shantytowner, free got Harper to bring suit against the newspaper. Harper afterwards compromised the matter without Harper's consent. Harper then sued the paper for his fee.

There was filed the appellate court mandate in the action of Felix G. Rudolph, administrator of J. D. Hollis, against the Illinois Central railroad. Hollis was employed to help build the new Cairo division for the I. C., and one night while riding on the work train was knocked off, run over and injured in such a manner that he died before the train could reach here. His estate sued and got judgment for several thousand dollars in the lower court. The road appealed the case, and the lower judgment was affirmed. The case is stricken from the docket. Hendrick, Miller and Marble were on the winning side, and Wheeler, Hughes and Berry on the losing.

The order setting a day for trial of the suit of Jesse Wicks against the City of Paducah was set aside.

Circus People Sued.

John Brandon, Galen Crogan, F. G. Moss and Luther Wilson, of Murray, Ky., have filed suits in the local court against the Cole Bros. circus to recover money they claim to have lost on a gambling machine operated when the show exhibited at Murray last Thursday. Brandon claims he lost \$40, Crogan \$50, Moss \$150, and Wilson \$80. They claim Cole Bros encouraged and urged them to gamble on the machine where they lost.

DECIDES AGAINST JUDGE

Has no Right to Force Stenographer in Grand Jury Room.

Frankfort, Ky., April 28.—The court of appeals, by Chief Justice Hobson, sustained the motion and granted a writ of prohibition in the case of Commonwealth's Attorney Burkamp against Circuit Judge Berry to exclude from the grand jury room a stenographer in the investigation of the alleged jury bribery cases. The whole court sitting, Judges Nunn and Paynter dissenting.

The court holds the circuit judge was without authority to send the stenographer to the grand jury room; that its proceedings are secret, and a stenographic report would render an indictment invalid.

Germ Theory Known in 28 B. C.

How wise we mortals were a few thousand years ago! Two anticipators of modern scientific theories, have lately been unearthed. Heat was defined as a "mode of motion" in the "Medulla Medicinæ" of J. A. Vander Linden, a famous teacher, in 1642. The passage quoted, when translated from the Latin, reads: "Heat is a vibration of the minutest particle of matter." The other anticipation is still earlier. Varro, who died in the year 20 B. C., in his "De Re Rustica," describing the danger of marshy places wrote: "There breeds a sort of minute, invisible animals that travel through the air and enter the body by way of the mouth and nostrils, causing severe diseases." Except that bacteria are not animals, but vegetables, this is a wonderful guess at the causation of germ diseases, and we might with some philological justification translate "animals," the word used in the original as living organisms.

Mrs. George Powley of Vail, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. J. A. Dickey.

## PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Lyda Howey, of Columbus, Ohio, will arrive next Tuesday to visit Mrs. R. D. McMillan.

Misses Ethel Brooks, Kathleen Whitefield and Anita Wood will return today from New Orleans, where they have been attending the reunion. Miss Wood goes on Tuesday to her home in Wichita, Kan.

Mrs. Thomas Herndon and daughter, Miss Fannie Tempest, leave today for a two weeks' sojourn at Dawson.

City Clerk Hatcher, of Metropolis, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Mesdames Wm. Nagel and daughter, Harry Meyer, returned yesterday from visiting in Louisville and New Albany.

Fireman J. E. Lam and Engineer E. A. Vickery have returned from attending court at Greenville, Ky.

Messrs. George Hughes and Joe Bond have returned from Little Rock, Ark.

Miss Mabel Browne is in Metropolis visiting Mrs. Walter Fardell. Mrs. Walter Shephard has returned to Fulton after visiting here.

Col. Victor Van de Male has returned from a drumming trip to Tennessee.

Lieutenant Wm. Reed of the U. S. army recruiting office at Evansville, Ind., came here yesterday and swore in a number of recruits enlisted at the branch office here. He sent them last night to St. Louis, from whence they will be assigned to different posts.

Mr. L. P. Holland has returned from a trip to Tennessee.

Hon. Henry Burnett of Louisville, returned home yesterday.

Liquid Air.

A correspondent at Paris, France, describes the manufacture for industrial purposes of enormous quantities of nitrogen and oxygen, extracted in a liquid state from atmospheric air. As the liquid oxygen flowed out from the generator it was of a bluish hue, while the nitrogen was colorless. Experiments were made. A forge set up in the grounds showed the wonderful effect of the gas. The fire, which had almost died out, was immediately rendered incandescent by a current of hydroxide from the blowpipe. A bar of iron was brought to a red heat and then melted like lead. Two pieces of iron were welded in a few minutes by the aid of a powerful flame from the blowpipe. Much costly and tedious riveting will be no longer necessary; iron will be welded against iron, copper against copper, etc. The doctors already foresee the possible treatment with liquid air.

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There came back from Cairo last night the steamer Dick Fowler. She lays over until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning, before departing again for that city.

The John S. Hopkins yesterday went to Evansville and comes back here Tuesday.

The Joe Fowler comes in today from Evansville and lays over until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, before skipping away on her return to that place.

The Buttorff gets in today from Nashville, and leaves at noon tomorrow for Clarksville.

Last night the Kentucky got out for the Tennessee river, where she remains until next Thursday evening.

The Clyde comes out of the Tennessee river late tomorrow night, and lays over here until 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, before departing on her return trip that way.

The Peters Lee will get away from Cincinnati tomorrow and reach here about Thursday, on her way down to Memphis.

The City of Sallito left St. Louis yesterday and comes back here again tomorrow, on her way up the Tennessee river.

INDICTED FOR PERJURY.

Former President of Washington Life Insurance Company in Trouble.

New York, April 28.—William A. Brewer, Jr., formerly president of the Washington Life Insurance Company was today indicted by the grand jury for perjury. The charge grows out of a report made to the state superintendent of insurance in 1903 regarding the condition of the company.

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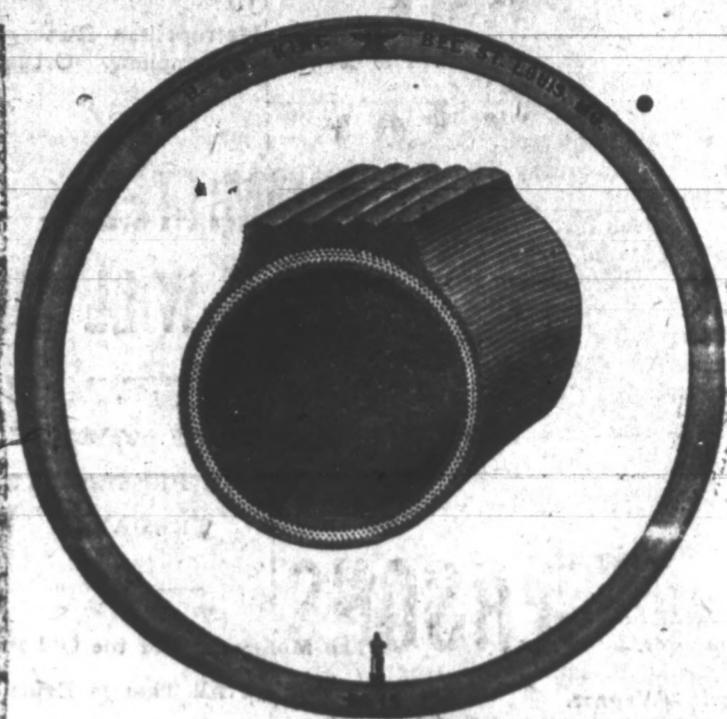
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