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TOBACCO MEN COME TOGETHER

And Unite Interests in
One Organization.

DIVISION NARROWLY AVERTED

Practically All Large Grow-
ers, Formerly Out, are
Now Members.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

President—Henry S. Berry. Vice President—S. R. Ewing. Board of Control—Davies county—Hiram Marksberry, J. P. Crabtree, T. S. Coke, J. A. Jameson and Alex. Weller. Breckenridge county—B. A. Whitinghill and D. S. Moorman. McLean county—John S. Cullin and E. B. McEwen. Hancock county—Henry Schaffer and H. D. Brown. Ohio county—Joe Balmain and S. F. Whitely.

The Green River Tobacco Growers' Association is the name under which the tobacco growers of the counties of Davies, Breckenridge, Hancock, McLean and Ohio are now organized. Those growers who formerly constituted the A. S. of E., and a very large per cent. of the independent growers are in the organization and there is every prospect that the Home Warehouse company will shortly join the forces.

Officers have been elected, a constitution and by-laws have been adopted and all of the preliminary work has been done. These things were done at a mass meeting of growers held in Owensboro on Saturday. The board of control will meet in Owensboro on Saturday of this week to elect a secretary-treasurer and perfect plans for operation.

800 GROWERS PRESENT.

About 800 tobacco growers participated in the meeting of Saturday and the vote by which the constitution was adopted was almost unanimous. The result was not accomplished, however, without some friction, and at one time there were indications that the meeting would break up in a wrangle.

The formation of the new organization is the culmination of efforts that have been in progress for weeks. Two meetings of the A. S. of E., one of the Home Warehouse association and conferences of independent growers have been held to consider it, and there has been a great amount of personal work. The constitution was worked out and agreed upon by a committee of twenty-seven tobacco growers, equally divided among the Equity, the Home Warehouse and the Independent growers.

STRONG ORGANIZATION.

The new organization is generally regarded as an exceptionally strong one. The president, Henry S. Berry, was, for a time, president of the Davies county union of the A. S. of E. and was untiring in his efforts to bring the independent growers into the organization and to hold the then warring factions within the society together. He was not immediately successful in either—in fact separation of the Home and Louisville storage factions occurred during his term and caused him to resign—but the new organization in which all are likely to be consolidated is largely the fruit of his efforts both during and since his term as president.

S. R. Ewing, the vice president, has not heretofore affiliated with any tobacco growers' organization. He is a man of sound business judgment and of broad experience as a tobacco grower. His influence will add strength to the organization. [Owensboro Inquirer.]

Pain anywhere, can be quickly stopped by one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Pain always means congestion—unnatural blood pressure. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets simply coax congested blood away from pain centers. These Tablets—known by druggists as Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—simply equalize the blood circulation and then pain always departs in 20 minutes. 20 Tablets 25 cents. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., for free package. Sold by all dealers. m

New Post-Office Established.

The Central City Argus says: A new post-office has been established by the Government about 2 1/2 miles from Central City on the new

Kentucky Midland railroad, recently built out of this city. It is named Wheeler, in honor of M. W. Wheeler, the popular and efficient chief engineer of the Kentucky Midland. Wm. Noffsinger is the Postmaster. At present the mail is carried to Gibson by the regular star route carrier and from there to Wheeler. Wm. Noffsinger has a store at the new town, which seems destined to become a place of some importance. The cars will soon be running out quite a distance on the Kentucky Midland.

Rich Feast of Good Things.

If you are a Sunday School worker, of course you are planning to attend the Institute to be held in the Methodist church in Hartford next Monday. A richer feast of good things has never been offered to our workers and those who have it in charge know how to serve it to the queen's taste. If you cannot attend every session, attend every one you can. If you cannot attend a full session, attend a part of a session. Come and go as you please. The meeting is entirely informal. Be sure to attend the evening session and hear about the great awakening in Sunday School work, not only in our own State, but all over the world. The International Convention, which is to be held in Louisville, June 18-23, will be explained at this session. You'll miss much if you miss this. Everybody is invited and every Sunday School in the State should be represented by at least a few.

John Albert Johnson.

Governor of Minnesota.
Born July 28, 1861, at St. Peter, Minnesota; 47 years old.

Editor of Democratic newspaper at St. Peter.
Elected to State Senate in 1898 and secured passage of gross earnings tax law, making railroads pay 33-1-3 per cent more taxes.

Elected Governor of Minnesota in 1904, carrying the State by 7,000, while Roosevelt won by 161,000.

Re-elected Governor of Minnesota in 1906 by 72,000 majority.
About six feet one inch tall; weighs about 175 pounds; blue eyes, brown hair, smooth shaven, strong, angular face.

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Druggists. 46m6

Public Sale.

I will offer for at public auction at my residence in Williams Mines, Saturday, May 2, one mare and buggy, one good milk cow and entire lot of household and kitchen furniture. Also a lot of other things too numerous to mention. I will also receive sealed bids from now until May 2 on 5 shares of capital stock in the Williams Mines Amusement Co., and one lot in East Hartford Addition (drawing to take place soon.) Will sell separately or together. I reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Information on request.

Terms, \$5 and under, cash; over \$5, 6 months time with note and approved security.

CHAS. R. CARSON.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest Coffee Imitation ever yet produced. This clever Coffee Substitute was recently produced by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis. Not a grain of real Coffee in it either. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee is made from pure toasted grains, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for Coffee. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. "Made in a minute" says the doctor. Sold by Gross Williams. m

Peculiar Fatal Accident.

Cloverport, Ky., April 17.—Christopher DeJarnett, one of the most prominent farmers of Breckenridge county, was burned to death in a most peculiar manner. He went to the barnyard to shoot a hawk, and that was the last seen of him until his charred body was discovered by members of his family lying in the vicinity from which the sound of the shooting was heard. It is generally supposed that his clothing became ignited from a spark from the gun and he was burned to death before he could attract the attention of the family. He leaves his wife, who was Miss Mollie Withers, and three children.

ManZan Pile Remedy comes ready to use, put up in a collapsible tube with nozzle attached. One application proves its merit. Soothes and heals, reduces inflammation and relieves soreness and itching. For all forms of Piles. Price 50c. Guaranteed. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford. m-a-m

MINERS ARE OUT FOR THE PRESENT

Quit Work in Western
Kentucky Mines.

AN AMICABLE TRUCE DECLARED

Until Wage Scale Agreement
is Signed—Suspension
Not a Strike.

Four thousand union miners of Western Kentucky have laid down picks and shovels and will not take them up again until a wage scale agreement between the miners of district 23 and the Western Kentucky Coal Operators' Association is signed. This action was ratified at Louisville by the joint session of both miners and operators after almost two weeks of disagreement on the question of shot-firing and the length of term for the agreement to run. The joint scale committee will meet again about May 1 to arrange a satisfactory scale for the ratification of the joint session, which will not be called until such an agreement is reached in the meantime no coal, except that necessary to keep the mines free of water and the boilers going, will be mined in the union mines. These include the mines in the counties of Ohio, Muhlenberg, Butler, McLean, Davies, Webster, Henderson and Union.

Both President Smith, of the miners, and D. Stewart Miller, commissioner for the operators, emphasized and reiterated the statement, that in no sense was the situation at the strike stage, that it was merely a truce whereby time for deliberation for both sides might be had, and no non-union labor will be employed at the mines. To the miners it gives the opportunity of awaiting developments from the other States on the same propositions, and especially from the Toledo National Conference of Ohio, Indiana and Pennsylvania. To the operators it will give time to fill outstanding orders with the coal now on hand and none of them expressed dissatisfaction with the arrangement as made. The temporary settlement was of an entirely amicable nature, the suspension being an entirely friendly one and agreeable to both sides, being unanimously approved by the miners and operators.

We are informed that a vote on the subject as to whether the contract when made should be for one or two years, was taken in each local union in Ohio, Muhlenberg, Butler, McLean, Davies, Webster, Henderson and Union counties last night and our informant was of the opinion that the vote would be in favor of two years.

Johnson Doubts It.

Lindsborg, Kan., April 20.—In an interview to-day Gov. Johnson said: "What Bryan says or does will make no difference and will cause no change in my plans. I am not seeking the nomination for President and might say I do not care whether or not I get it. As I have often reiterated, I will be a candidate in case the people decide I am the most available candidate and can get the most votes. I have been told by some of Bryan's friends that I would be a stronger candidate than he, but I am inclined to doubt that."

Notice.

Dr. C. G. Baxter, graduate veterinarian, has located at Hartford and if your stock is hurt or sick, call or phone him at once. Don't wait. Stock needs attention the same as men. Have your work done by a man that understands his business and save stock and expense. Office, Dodson's barn, Center street, Hartford, Ky.

Night riders in Fayette county threatened to burn every barn on the farm owned by two lone women, only a short distance from Lexington, and as a consequence of the warning letter, the owners have abandoned their plan to grow tobacco this year. They dug up their only plant bed.

Many Women Praise This Remedy.

If you have pains in the back, Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble, and want a certain, pleasant herb cure for woman's ills, try Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf. It is a safe and never-failing regulator. At Druggists or by mail 50cts. Sample package FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y. 154

"LOST PARADISE" WILL BE RESTORED

And Made to Take on Former
Realities.

A SHORT SKETCH OF AIRDRIE

And Its Famous Manager,
One of Kentucky's Most
Noted Generals.

Rockport, Ky., April 18.

Airdrie, the place where ominous silence and desolation has reigned supreme for over half a century, has taken on new life and now bids fair to become a thriving manufacturing town once again. A party of well known capitalists, headed by Mr. Shelby J. Giff, of Central City, have purchased 4,000 acres of the vast estate located near Rockport, on the banks of the beautiful Green River in Muhlenberg county, and active preparations are being made to put new life into this obsolete village which is known all over the Green river country as the "Lost Paradise" of Kentucky.

Located on a rugged and picturesque elevation, 250 feet above high water mark, abounding in beautiful and artistic scenery Airdrie has become noted for its grandeur and beauty. Although almost the silence of death has reigned there for many years and the slightest intrusion is resented by hundreds of bats and other fowls of the air, who make the welkin ring with unearthly screaming and chattering, with the coming of spring, new life has sprung into existence and active preparations are being made to develop the vast resources there. The home of the wild fowls of the air will be destroyed and although their nests and roosting places be hidden in the giant smelters and other machinery, which fifty-five years ago was running night and day and which to-day stand idle and are almost ready to fall with rust and decay, they will have to vacate to make room for renewed activities. Airdrie was managed by General Don Charles Buell, before operations ceased there just after the Alexander heirs of Scotland came into possession of the estate after the civil war. General Buell was one of the Kentucky generals to win fame in the great civil strife, when Grant and Sherman, with their gallant soldiers, were about to be captured by the Confederates under Sydney Johnson, at Shiloh. General Buell arrived opportunely upon the scene with 60,000 men and saved the day.

With 100,000 men he pursued Bragg, and ran him out of Kentucky with his powerful army and wagon train into Tennessee. General Buell was in many desperate battles of the great civil strife and was desperately wounded near Churubusco.

Some fifty-five years ago Airdrie was noted for its iron mines and smelting works. Many of the old buildings are standing to-day, a silent memorial of bygone days. The old prison, which was used to confine the convicts from the State penitentiary who were employed in the mines, is remarkably well preserved. It is three stories high and built of the finest Kentucky stone. Its walls are three feet thick and to-day it would cost \$10,000 to erect one like it. The lower part of the building was used to shelter the giant machinery. This old building is particularly interesting to those fortunate enough to see it and hear its history. At one time, it is said, a convict confined in prison made a rope out of the bed clothing in his cell and after squeezing himself through the small iron bars which separated him from freedom, he let himself down to the ground, a distance of sixty feet, and escaped. It looks almost impossible for a grown man to get through such a small opening, but the bent bars are there, giving silent evidence.

To the right of the old prison stands the high smelting tower. A remarkable feature of this immense mass of brickwork is that a large cedar tree has been growing on top of it for a number of years. To the left is located the famous stone steps. They are supported by a cliff some fifty feet in height.

The old Airdrie hotel was only recently dismantled on account of its dangerous condition.

When General Buell took charge of the works the future prospects were flattering, but when the State sold

Green River privileges to Green & Barren River Navigation Co. the works shut down, owing to the greed of the company in forcing them to pay exorbitant charges on all of their productions.

General Buell fought his last battle in 1898 when he tried to conquer death, but the irresistible forces of nature were against him and he lost the most important battle of his life. Surrounded by his relatives and a priest of the Catholic Church, General Buell bade farewell to the world and started on the journey from whence no traveler ever returns. As the beautiful springtime enveloped the earth in gladness, General Buell was laid to rest in the silent city of the dead and the career of one of Kentucky's most noted generals was ended. The old home of the Buells was only recently destroyed by fire.

L.R.T.

Two Lectures.

Mr. John P. Foster will deliver a lecture to the people at the Beda school house on Saturday night, April 25th, 1908. Subject: "The New Tobacco Association and its Relations to the A. S. of E." He will also deliver a lecture at the Noecreek school house on the Friday night previous, on same subject. The public invited to attend.

Gov. Willson Should See It.

The Carlisle Mercury says: The picture of the Hedges children published by the Carlisle Advocate in other papers, is a splendid witness as to the justice of the cause of the tobacco raisers. Mr. Hedges had been a worker in the tobacco field for twenty years—and his wife and children worked in the field with him—and when he was killed he did not leave enough money to buy his children clothes and shoes, and the entire outfit of furniture in his house would not sell for fifty dollars. Governor Willson could learn something of the condition of the people if he would venture out among them now and then and see if they "often get more for one crop than their farm is worth."

HERBERT.

April 19.—Mr. Morton Holbrook, of Whitesville, was here to-day.

Mr. Jim Ford and daughter, Miss Sallie, went to Whitesville Thursday, shopping.

Miss Mabel Miller returned home from Fordsville Tuesday after a few weeks visit with relatives and friends there.

Mr. O. T. Bardette's children have whooping cough.

Mr. Carl Floyd, wife and little son Chester, went to Scythia yesterday to visit relatives until Sunday.

Miss Mattie Barnett went to Pellville yesterday, shopping.

Miss Hallie Miller went to Whitesville Tuesday, returning Thursday.

On account of the recent rains the farmers are very much behind with their work.

Mr. Wm. H. Anderson, M. D., of Soda Springs, Ida., says that Bees Laxative Cough Syrup has relieved coughs and colds where all other remedies failed. Its gentle laxative effects especially recommend it for children. It is pleasant to take. For coughs, colds, hoarseness, whooping-cough. Money refunded if not satisfied. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m-a-m

MATANZAS.

April 20.—The farmers are greatly behind with their farm work on account of so much rain.

Mr. Ross Bennett, of Hartford, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. E. Evely, few days last week.

Mr. U. M. Evely and wife of Herin, Ill., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. J. N. Nall and son, Raymond, went to Owensboro last Friday.

Rev. L. W. Tichenor, who has been confined to his room with rheumatism for quite awhile, is able to walk around some. He filled his regular appointment at West Point last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Jno. D. Bell is suffering very much from a sprained ankle.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

Mr. Thos. Stenton, postmaster of Pontypool, Ont., writes: "For the past eight years I suffered from rheumatic pains, and during that time I used many different liniments and remedies for the cure of rheumatism. Last summer I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and got more relief from it than anything I have ever used, and cheerfully recommend this liniment to all sufferers from rheumatic pains." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists. m

BROUGHT TEARS TO MANY EYES

When He Spoke of Mar-
tyred Governor.

A BROTHER'S TOUCHING PLEA

Urging That Pardons be De-
nied Caleb Powers and
Jim Howard.

When Arthur Goebel, brother of Kentucky's martyred Governor, finished his plea before Governor Willson at Frankfort, last Friday, urging that no pardons be granted Caleb Powers or Jim Howard, there were portions of his talk that touched the spectators to tears.

He talked in a calm voice and told why he thought pardons should be denied to the men accused of complicity in the murder of his brother. The large crowd listened breathlessly to every word he said. He spoke like a trained criminal lawyer.

Mr. Goebel closed his appeal to the Governor with a peroration so eloquent and pathetic that it brought tears to the eyes of many. He said:

"I protest against the pardon of Jim Howard and Caleb Powers. I refer you to the record in the cases. I ask you to make an analytical and comparative study of the evidence of every witness who has appeared at every trial, so that the capability and the interest of every witness to tell the truth may be judged.

"The best criterion is not what I or they may say, but the evidence itself. The record shows that Powers is as guilty as can be. For eight long years I have assisted the Commonwealth in this battle. I have done nothing that was not strictly in conformation with the law. I ask you to let the law take its course.

"There are those, many in number, and many have said it to me, who seem to think even though Powers is guilty, that he has suffered long enough and should be pardoned. That is mercy. If this is to be a question of mercy, I ask you to listen to the requiem of the winds which chant over the grave of William Goebel and to consider that his life and liberty were as dear to him as theirs is to them."

There was silence throughout the hall for half a minute. Mr. Goebel turned and walked out.

A Corporation Candidate.

Mr. Bryan says: Secretary Taft seems to be regarded as the representative of the reform element, and yet he has so little of the reform spirit and his record is so barren of any work in behalf of reform, that he will hardly satisfy the expectations raised among Republicans by some of the President's regulations.

His advocacy of perpetual franchise in the Philippine islands, coupled with a perpetual guarantee of income, shows that he looks at the corporation question from the standpoint of the corporation rather than from the standpoint of the public.

Chamberlain's Has the Preference.

Mr. Fred C. Hanrahan, a prominent druggist of Portsmouth, Va., says: "For the past six years I have sold and recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a great remedy and one of the best patent medicines on the market. I handle some others for the same purposes that pay me a larger profit, but this remedy is so sure to effect a cure, and my customer so certain to appreciate my recommending it to him, that I give it the preference." For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists. m

Killed by Copper Cent Swallowed in Boyhood.

Laporte, Ind., April 20.—A large copper cent, swallowed sixty years ago today, caused the death of James Hucks, 67 years old, a farmer. The coin became encased in the lining of the stomach, and remained there until recently, when an abscess formed and acids in the stomach began to dissolve it. Poisoning ensued, causing death.

ManZan Pile Remedy, price 50c, is guaranteed. Put up ready to use. One application prompt relief to any form of Piles. Soothes and heals. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m-a-m