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Self-Preservation. THE CAUCASIAN'S POLICY ADOPTED. PAYMENT OF THE GIANTIC SWINDLING COUNTY DEBT TO BE REGISTERED TO THE BITTER END.

STERN, ABSOLUTE, INEXORABLE NECESSITY—NOT DISHONEST. Never since the war, has such a convention assembled in Lafayette county, as the one that met Monday in the court-house.

COMMUNICABLE. In three days of Railroad monopolies it is so seldom that we see anything really new.

MINORITY REPORT. The minority report leave to report their concurrence in all the reports of the majority and in addition thereto, to offer the following resolution: This convention shall sit with closed doors except for newspaper reporters.

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derous, bankrupting load, may take notice. Nothing but another "Ewing Order No. 11," can enforce the collection of the private levy, by depositing the county. Our people are law-abiding, but they are pledged to each other, as one united, powerful band of brothers, to resist confiscation. Here is an outline of the work done and the positions taken:

MONDAY'S PROCEEDINGS. The convention assembled at the court-house in Lexington, at 10 o'clock, Monday, December 18, 1874. On motion of Boone Major, Capt. A. A. Lesueur was made temporary chairman, and Robt. Hale temporary secretary.

LEXINGTON. On motion of J. F. Smith, Geo. Davis, M. L. DeMotte, T. A. Webb, John Catron, Robt. Hale, B. M. Lankford, A. A. Lesueur, R. B. Taylor, S. F. Smith, W. B. Steele, L. B. Gordon, Thos. Shelby, Wm. Hays, E. J. Smith, John McFadden, St. G. Westworth, Thos. Young, W. G. McCausland, Geo. Graddy, John R. Ford, Geo. S. Rathbun.

WASHINGTON. John A. Prather, M. E. Henry, David McKinney, Robt. Matthews, J. A. Brown, Edward Baxter, alternate A. B. Hatch, D. Sherwood, Doves.

CLAY. Samuel Nell, Thos. McCleary, J. C. Armstrong, M. M. Robinson, Wm. Corne, L. M. Ferguson, John S. Renick, Benjamin Hammer, P. A. Gibbs, Sam. Greasy, C. Kirtley, John W. McCarney, Geo. H. Barnes, John W. Brown, F. M. Gladdish.

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WANTS HIS BAGON. The Contract Which Mr. Montgomery Made with the Lafayette County Court. And Which He Claims Has Not Been Lived Up to by State Treasurer Salmon.

Special Correspondent of the St. Louis Democrat. Jefferson City, December 31, '74. Under act of Congress known as the Swamp Land Indemnity act, several counties of this state have received lands and money, which by law, goes into the school fund of the county.

It appears that by terms of the contract, the plaintiff received all the money due him for the school fund of Lafayette county, leaving actually nothing for the school fund as contemplated by law there should be.

It is resolved by the resolution of the county court, that the school fund of Lafayette county, as originally intended, be restored to the school fund of Lafayette county.

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Wanted in Now in the State of Missouri. Mr. Wm. Allison of this county. Mrs. Allison is the aunt of Prof. Kemper of Booneville and Governor Kemper of Virginia.

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