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TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

"On the Home Stretch" Four More Days of the Great Popularity Contest

Just a Short time left to Decide the Winners of this Great Race for Fame and Fortune. Don't Lose a Minute of this Valuable Time but Gather in Every Available Subscription. You still Have a Fighting Chance and if You Hustle From Now Until the Finish You can Still Turn Defeat into Victory.

Make Your "Favorite" a Winner

Friends, Don't Let your Candidate lose but hand her your subscription at Once. Many Prizes have been lost in Contests just for Lack of One Subscription and you would feel mighty mean if your favorite lost by this Narrow Margin and you had not Given her a Subscription.

Four days more remain of the Interior Journal's Great Popularity Contest. Not a very long time, to be sure. Just enough however, to defeat more than one candidate in the race unless some very strenuous efforts are put forth this week. Every vote counts and as many subscriptions as possible should be turned in. Call on those see-you-later friends; get all the promises to subscribe fulfilled this week. Subscriptions turned in after Saturday at 9 p. m., will be of no avail for at that hour the great contest will come to a close.

Help You Favorite Today
A little help now is worth more than all the consolation in the world after the race is lost. Don't neglect any possible opportunity to secure votes and subscriptions. Call on every person that you can possibly think of, and do so as early in the week as possible. After the contest is over, you will probably be able to think of scores of subscriptions that you might have had if you had only called on those friends. Get all your promises off your hands now and then any that you think of later in the week, you will have time to secure. It certainly would be mighty irritating to lose the \$350 Piano by a narrow margin of 5,000 votes. But that is just what may happen if you don't get busy this last week. It is always better to have too many votes than not quite enough.

Outside Contestants Attention.
Those depending on the mails to send in their reserve should mail them not later than Friday so that they will reach the Interior Journal in time for the final count. The contest closes at 9 p. m. Saturday and subscriptions will only be accepted from contestants and their friends who are in the office at that hour. However, no one will be allowed to enter after that hour to turn in subscriptions.

The contest manager will make his last count Thursday night and the result will be published in Friday's issue. This will be the last list published until the final standing is given. It will be better for those living outside of Stanford to bring in their reserves and subscriptions personally and cast them. But those who cannot do this should mail them early so that there will be no doubt as to their getting here on time. The race may be lost on account of delay.

Read Carefully
When you turn in subscriptions, be sure that you have the names and addresses written on the center part of the receipts furnished by the contest department. All contestants have or should have these receipt books in your possession now. If you have not, ask for them. Be sure that you don't leave any of your vote ballots at home. Gather them up and bring them in Friday or Saturday. Vote ballots are the

IMPORTANT
The best offer of the Contest closes promptly at 9 o'clock tonight. Get in every available subscription before that time for at no future time during the contest will it be possible for you to get as many votes as during this offer. Subscriptions sent by mail will be counted on this offer if the envelope is postmarked not later than 9 o'clock tonight. At 9 o'clock tonight, remember, the doors of the office will be locked so don't get left if you have subscriptions to apply on the biggest offer of the contest.

ballots given to you when a subscription is paid and they will not be counted unless they are returned to the contest department before 9 P. M., next Saturday night.

Don't Be a Quitter.
Don't stop work now. Stick to the finish and gather in every available subscription. There are still four days left and many and many a prize can be won or lost in that time. In some contests, prizes have been lost by a very narrow margin of 3,000 votes just because the contestants did not keep on working up to the last few minutes before the close.

Come to town Saturday and call on your friends here. As told in another part of this issue, we are going to have a big celebration on Saturday and hundreds of your friends will be here for that occasion. See them about their subscription. Possibly the subscription which you get the last few minutes before the close will make you the winner of that \$350 piano. If there is any mistake in your votes up to today, be sure you call the attention of the contest manager to it before next Thursday night. Otherwise the standing will be taken as correct up to date.

Closes Saturday at 9 P. M.
The Interior Journal's contest will come to a close next Saturday night, June 29th, at 9 P. M. At that hour the doors of the office will be locked and no one will be allowed to enter and turn in subscriptions. Subscriptions will be accepted from the contestants and their friends who are in the office at that hour. If you are present at that time your report will be received but if you come after the doors are locked, you will be the loser. Every contestant, no matter where they live, must bring or mail in their subscriptions, and ballots before 9 P. M. Saturday. If there is anything about the contest that you do not fully understand, ask or telephone the contest manager. Immediately after the last settlements have been received next Saturday night and the last of the vote ballots have been deposited in the ballot box, the judges will begin the work of counting the votes. This task will be no small one and must not unnecessarily be delayed. After the contest manager makes his final count next Thursday night, the key of the ballot box will be turned over to the judges and they will count what votes are put in after that time.

The Schedule of Votes
During the remainder of the contest will be as follows: Triple the usual votes and 2,000 votes on every dollar. This schedule while not quite as large as the biggest and best offer of the contest which closes at 9 o'clock tonight, will make your subscriptions bring a great many votes and may be quite a deciding factor in the race. It is as follows:

25 years 131,000 votes
20 years 103,000 votes
15 years 75,000 votes
10 years 48,800 votes
8 years 38,500 votes
5 years 23,500 votes
3 years 13,200 votes
2 years 7,000 votes
1 year 3,800 votes

Contestants if they wish, may poll enough votes for Friday's paper to place their standing 100,000 votes above the leader in today's issue. However, we would not advise you to poll that many for it will simply weaken your reserve vote and you will need them all at the end. All contestants should return the mailing lists they now have in their possession before next Monday night.

JUDGES OF THE CONTEST

The following well-known gentlemen have consented to act as judges of the Interior Journal's Great Prize Popularity Contest which comes to a close Saturday, June 29th, at 9 P. M.

MR. M. B. SALIN,
Cashier State Bank & Trust Co.
MR. W. W. SAUNDERS,
Bookkeeper First National Bank.
MR. J. W. ROCHESTER,
Asst Cashier Lincoln County National Bank.

HOW THEY STAND TODAY

District No. 1.

Miss Annie Middleton 152,275
Miss Mary K. Dudderar 152,275
Miss Lena Palmer 152,275
Miss Ida H. Pettus 152,275
Miss Rose McCormack 152,275
Miss Margaret Holtzclaw 147,920
Miss Elizabeth Higgins 143,820
Miss Kate Anderson 136,920
Miss May North 130,465
Miss Emma Meier 122,205
Miss Anna Warren 116,850
Miss Lucile Crow 112,625
Miss Elsie Coleman 111,625
Miss Bessie McCormack 110,715
Miss Delia May Lawrence 107,630
Miss Ruth Tanner 107,105
Miss Minelle Pruitt 102,355
Miss Mary D. Beck 102,375
Miss Elizabeth Stagg 84,585
Miss Mary E. McKinney 75,970
Mrs. Mary Horton 75,880
Miss Elsie Singleton 70,990
Mrs. L. L. Sanders 69,080
Miss Josephine Morris 62,625
Miss Elizabeth Fox 61,325
Miss Bertie McClure 56,260
Miss Isabella Reynolds 51,935
Miss Elizabeth Carter 51,800
Miss Martha Broughton 50,125
Miss Clara Collier 46,175
Miss Florence Dawes 45,480
Miss Effie Drye 41,570
Miss Roxie Jennings 33,150
Miss Gertrude Wilkinson 32,985
Miss Eva Horton 31,095
Miss Ruth Coking 27,670
Miss Bessie Riffe 24,720
Miss Mary Moore Raney 24,350
Miss Dollie Wulcher 23,255
Miss Lucy Goeh 22,740
Miss Nell Buck 21,730
Miss Hettie White 17,120
Miss Mary Russell 15,710
Miss Mamie Holman 13,190
Miss Lulu Coker 12,125
Miss Madie Butler 11,955

District No. 2.

Miss Sara Richardson 136,470
Miss Jennie Rankin 134,895
Miss Bertha West 112,020
Miss Susie Roberts 77,670
Miss Azile Elam 66,540
Miss Ada Wesley 52,980
Miss Willie Wilkinson 37,270
Miss Lillie Henry 32,985
Miss Daisy Shuttles 31,620
Miss Elsie Morris R-2 21,320
Miss Alma Cosby 17,425
Miss Lavinia McGraw 13,650
Miss Lottie Westerfield 13,495
Miss Annie Pollard 8,290
Miss Sadie Anderson 8,630



Miss Sara Richardson

A charming young lady from Junction City who has become one of the strongest candidates in this great race. While Miss Richardson got rather a late start, she has more than made up for it the past few weeks and we look for her to be among the leaders on June 29th. Hundreds of friends are watching her race with eagerness and doing everything possible to help her.

Excursion dock at Eagle Park, Grand Island, Niagara River, collapsed under the weight of a crowd Sunday night and over 300 persons were thrown into the Niagara River, and drowned. About 20 bodies have been recovered.

EDITORIAL

Harvey Helm's Position On Temperance Legislation

Col. Jack Chinn, of Harrodsburg, withdrew from the race for Congress in this district Monday, announcing his withdrawal in a speech at Lancaster in which he proved the belief of many democrats that he had merely been a stalking horse for Judge Sullivan throughout the entire contest.

In attempting to injure Harvey Helm all he could in his valedictory Col. Chinn declared that the fight would now be waged between Sullivan and Helm with the Whisky Democrats backing Helm. As Col. Chinn has frequently stated in his own canvass that if the "night riders, toll gate raiders and fox hunters" would vote for him the other fellows could have the "preachers and prohibitionists" one might be inclined to wonder whether Col. Chinn gave the subject sober thought before asserting so positively that the whisky men have made such a sudden switch in their preference.

Col. Chinn wants to know what is Congressman Helm's attitude and asks if he will oppose the shipment of liquor into dry territory.

The Interior Journal is hardly inclined to believe that Mr. Helm will feel violently constrained to give Col. Chinn a categorical answer to this question, in view of Chinn's own conduct in the present race.

As a temperance newspaper at all times, however, the Interior Journal feels inclined to state right here for itself that it knows Congressman Helm's position on this matter, and is completely satisfied with it. It knows that he stands pledged to support the Shepard-Kenyon bill in Congress, which will prohibit the inter-state shipment of liquor into dry territory. It further knows that leading temperance men in the district who have inquired his position on this bill—the only measure the temperance people have asked him to support—have been fully satisfied that he is heartily for it and pledged himself for it long before Col. Chinn or any one else with an ulterior purpose to serve, thought to embarrass him by asking him such a question.

The charge that Harvey Helm has aligned himself with the whisky interests is as base a falsehood as the accusation made by a Danville paper that he fought McCreary and his friends.



Miss Elsie Singleton

A most popular and ambitious young lady living near Waynesburg who is to be reckoned with on June 29th when the great race comes to a close. There are very few people in that section who do not know Miss Elsie and her many friends are giving her all the assistance they can so that she may pull down a big prize next Saturday.

It is worse than useless to take any medicine internally for muscular or chronic rheumatism. All that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment for sale by Penny's Drug Store.

"CONTEST DAY" TO BE CELEBRATED SATURDAY

McKinney Brass Band To Give Public Concerts and Big Crowd Expected to Attend.

The Interior Journal is making ready for a grand celebration of "Contest Day" in connection of the close of the Great Popularity Contest—the greatest newspaper enterprise ever attempted by any country paper in Kentucky.

Arrangements have been made for a grand free open air Band Concert during both next Saturday afternoon and evening. The concert will be given in front of the I. J. Office by the McKinney Band, one of the best bands in this part of the state, and a rare musical treat is in store for those who attend.

Everybody cordially invited to bring pa and ma and the kids, also uncle, aunt and the cousins and don't forget to bring the friends and acquaintances who have helped you in this big race.

A number of people have told us that they are going to get up a hay ride parties and come down on that day to attend the band concert. That certainly would be a good idea so you had better get up from your neighborhood and follow the merry crowd. Bring your horns and make all the noise you wish.

During the afternoon the plant of the Interior Journal will be thrown open for your inspection and a cordial invitation is extended the general public to avail itself of this opportunity to acquaint itself with the details of newspaper making.

Youngster Broke His Arm

Five-year-old Shelton Saufley, Jr., fell from a pony while riding in the yard at the home of his grandfather, S. H. Baughman in the country Sunday afternoon and sustained a compound fracture of the bone of the left arm just above the elbow. The injury is very painful, but the little fellow is so vigorous and strong for his age, the physicians believe it will heal rapidly.

Judge Sullivan Here Saturday

Judge Jere Sullivan, of Madison county, a candidate for Congress in this district, paid Stanford a visit Saturday afternoon while en route to Casey county in an automobile. He remained here several hours shaking hands with his friends and discussing conditions. Of course, Judge Sullivan has no hopes of carrying Lincoln county or of obtaining even a respectable vote here for Lincoln is overwhelmingly for its favorite son, Harvey Helm. The democrats gave Judge Sullivan a very cordial greeting here, however, for they recognize in him a worthy democrat, and a leader of his party.

Two Big Rattlers

Ray and Claude Gerkey, twin boys of C. C. Gerkey killed near his place on Green river Thursday, two large rattlesnakes, measuring three feet six inches long, 8 rattles and one button, killed in ten feet of each other. Great snakes! Come on with your snakes, boys.

Waynesburg.

Rev. C. T. Claunch filled his regular appointment at the church Saturday afternoon and Sunday night.

Mrs. C. T. Claunch and little children, Mayne and Marion, visited friends and attended children's day, Sunday.

Miss Julia Clift is at home from Alabama visiting her sisters.

Miss Pearl McKenzie, of Danville, is visiting her cousin, Miss Velma Morgan.

Chappell's Gap.

Miss Annie Brienech returned home from Chicago last week. Her many friends are glad to have her with them again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dishon visited her mother and father, Sunday. Mr. Ernest Pike has gone to Preachesville to work.

Mrs. Andy McKinney, has returned home after a week's visit to her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. James Plummer.

Mrs. John Brienech came in from Chicago Friday to visit her mother, and father, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Anderson.

Mr. James Bogie visited friends at Walnut Flat Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Bogie and two daughters, attended the burial of their cousin, Willie Price near Ruth-ton.

Sunday school is progressing nicely at Mt. Olive.

Miss Nettie Bogie will leave here soon to join her sister, at Rutherford, Ky., to visit relatives and friends there.

Pleasant Point.

Lou McIntosh sold his farm for \$2,500. He and his family have gone to Georgia, where he has a position. Mr. Austin Hale, of Milledgeville, made a short visit to this place.

Mrs. Mary C. Dye is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Hale, of Milledgeville.

Mr. Squire Griffin, formerly of this place, but now living in Independence, W. Va., is with friends and relatives here. Mr. Griffin says there is no place like old Kentucky.

Wesley Bastin and wife of Milledgeboro, Ohio, are with the parents of Mrs. Bastin.

Miss Elizabeth Dye who has a position at Danville, made a flying trip home and returned Saturday. She has made a successful trimmer in the millinery department of Pash-in Bros. store, for the last season.

Mrs. W. T. Flanagan, of Lebanon Junction, is with her mother, Mrs. W. D. Dye for a few weeks.

The wedding bells have been ringing at Pleasant Point again. Urban Singleton, of Waynesburg, and Miss Maude Singleton, daughter of Rev. J. A. Singleton, of this place, were made one by Rev. G. H. Cannon. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

John Henry Steele and Mattie Privett drove to Stanford and were quietly married. The bride is the pretty daughter of Bantam Privett, of South Fork, while the groom is the son of James Steele, of King's Mountain.

Mr. Joe Moffett, our bachelor friend, has about decided he will not live alone much longer. He says it was not intended for man to live alone and he wishes to inform the people that he is a candidate for matrimony. Well some of you girls could do worse than to take Mr. Moffett. We think he will be successful as some of our girls went in and helped him plant his corn. Listen for the wedding bells.

R. F. D. No. 1.

Mrs. R. G. Collier and daughter Miss Tevis, of Somerset are on a visit to their old neighbors and friends at Cedar Creek.

Miss Jennie Coffey of Boyle county, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. H. Newland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Newland spent the day with their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Cummins, of Preachesville.

Miss Delpha Newland has returned from Burnside. She has been staying with her father, O. P. Newland for a couple of months.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Crab Orchard Christian church met with Mrs. H. F. Newland Thursday.

Theo Noland is in Estill county, on a visit to his brother and sisters.

Theo Noland and H. F. Newland delivered to Jones and Co., a bunch of 150 pound hogs at 6 3/4 cents, sold to them some time back.

Mrs. Jean Broils is quite sick.

A Danville Paper

Describes the Speaking

(Danville Messenger.)

Before a large and intelligent audience, Messrs. Harvey Helm, Jere Sullivan and Jack Chinn presented their claims for the Democratic nomination for Congress, at the Danville court house Saturday afternoon. Much interest has been awakened in the fight by reason of the prominence of the candidates and the fact that both Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Chinn have been making their fight on the record of Mr. Helm. The Boyle county people, while they were aware of the good work Mr. Helm has done in Congress were anxious to hear what his opponents could say against him. After Saturday afternoon's oratorical battle, our people were only a little more convinced that the attack on Mr. Helm is wholly unwarranted, and the speeches only made them the more enthusiastic for him. The Messenger does not desire to belittle the claims of either Mr. Sullivan or Mr. Chinn, in fact we would not do so under any circumstances, as their long and faithful work in the party entitles them to the highest consideration, but The Messenger is for Mr. Helm because he has been weighed in the balance and cannot be found wanting. We believe in rewarding a good and faithful servant and cannot see the wisdom of giving up a certainty for an uncertainty.

Carson Case Affirmed

The Court of Appeals last week affirmed the judgment of the Casey circuit court in the Carson case, and young Walter Carson will have to serve a life term in the penitentiary for the killing of William Cochran, of Casey. Carson was a rural route carrier out of Hustonville and a member of one of the best known families in the West End of Lincoln. His many friends were very hopeful that the higher court would reverse the finding of the lower tribunal. The case was one of the hardest fought in the courts in this section in many years.

DEMOCRATS MEET IN CONVENTION TODAY.

First Fight at Baltimore Comes Over Chairmanship—Beckham Honored.

Interest all over the country centers at Baltimore where the Democratic convention is in session this week to nominate a candidate for president. Champ Clark has the most instructed votes, with Woodrow Wilson second.

A conference was held between Judge Parker and William J. Bryon and two members of the Democratic National Committee last evening in the attempt to bring about harmony over the fight for temporary chairmanship, which resulted in no agreement being reached. The National Committee thereon ratified the subcommittee's selection of Judge Parker as temporary chairman of the convention by the vote of 31 for Parker, 20 for James, and 2 for O'Gorman. It was announced that the fight would be taken to the floor of the convention today by the Bryan forces, in which event Mr. Bryan is slated as the candidate to oppose Parker. The convention was called to order at noon.

The Kentucky delegation to Baltimore organized by selecting Gov. McCreary chairman. A resolution was passed over the protest of Senator-elect James binding the delegation to support for temporary chairman any person whom the National Committee may choose. The selection of J. C. Mayo as National Committee man was ratified. Gov. Beckham was named as the Kentucky member of the resolutions committee, which will draft the party's platform.

TAFT AND TEDDY BOTH TO RUN FOR PRESIDENT

Taft Gets Regular Republican Nomination, While Roosevelt Will Form Third Party

With only 21 more than a majority of the delegates to the republican national convention, Taft and Sherman were renominated for president and vice president by the convention at Chicago Saturday night.

The Roosevelt followers immediately withdrew from the convention and organized another convention and nominated Roosevelt for president at the head of a progressive party, as his organization will probably be known. The governors of such solidly republican states as California, New Hampshire, West Virginia, etc., were present with the Roosevelt forces.

A colored preacher offered prayer when the Roosevelt convention met which is said to mean that the negro republicans will be solidly behind the Roosevelt candidacy and against Taft.

In accepting the nomination, Col. Roosevelt appealed to the people of all sections, regardless of party affiliations, to stand with the founders of the new party, one of whose cardinal principles, he said, was to be "Thou Shalt Not Steal."

The G. O. P. seems hopelessly split and the belief is general everywhere that the democratic nominee will be elected president.

Big Hail Storm Hits Bourbon County

A heavy down-pour of rain accompanied by hail, thunder and lightning, visited Paris and vicinity Friday afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock. The hail was the largest that has fallen there in several years and considerable injury to gardens, tobacco and foliage was done.

Let me insure that tobacco crop before the hail comes. Rates same as last year. R. M. Newland Agent.

Low Rates Via Southern Railway

To points in Kentucky and the southwest. Account 4th of July. Tickets on sale July 2, 3, 4. Final limit July 8th 1912. For detail fares and other information, see local ticket agent, or write J. C. Bean, A. G. P. A. St. Louis, Mo.

WARNING!

No checks will be accepted on the last two days of the contest. If you take checks for subscriptions, be sure and have them made payable to yourself and get them cashed before turning them into this office. This is imperative.