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Personally appeared before me this June 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of May, 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.
PETER PURYEAR,
 Notary Public.
 My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.
 "A loose tongue can tie some terrible hard knots in life's skein."

Under the editorial caption, "Make Louisville a Seaport," the Louisville Herald sounded the tocsin for all the river cities. A nine-foot stage we want, and let us get it before the Panama canal is finished. Here lies the great hope of the Mississippi system. New Orleans is awake to the opportunity. Her citizens realize that the completion of the Panama canal will make of her a great seaport; how great only time can demonstrate. But New Orleans hopes she expects to rival New York and snatch right out of the heart of the United States the ever-growing trade of the orient. The railroads realize it, and they are fighting for entrance into the Crescent City. It even is rumored that the great Pennsylvania system is seeking for an opening. While those roads already on the ground are striving to block their rivals. All this means something to the cities on the Ohio and other navigable tributaries of the Father of Waters. If New Orleans is to be the port, why will not this sudden growth of commerce reflect in trade of the upper Mississippi? In other words why will not Paducah and other cities as fortunately situated profit by their ready access to the great shipping port by becoming the producing centers for the oriental trade? It is to the river rate that Paducah must look and Paducahans must continue in the fight for the improvement of the waterways and encourage the river commerce.

Newspaper publishing is a business enterprise and must be conducted according to business principles. The dissemination of news is its public function, and the success of the enterprise is governed by the honesty with which this function is performed. The public expects the newspaper to print all the news without prejudice just as it expects the merchant to sell "all wool goods and a yard wide," and the paper that gets the news first and prints it, gains favor just as does the merchant, whose seasonable stock is first offered for sale and advertised. It is this policy that has made a success of the Paducah Evening Sun. The failure always seeks outside the office for an excuse, but only by the standards of honesty and efficiency can any business prospect be measured.

A woman slipped on a banana peeling and fell, severely injuring herself. She might have broken her neck. It was an accident directly traceable to the carelessness of some one, who probably never had been warned in the nice details of public utility. If the board of public works would provide boxes at proper intervals on the streets, especially along Broadway, people soon would become accustomed to using them and the unsightly heaps of

trash, sometimes containing the murderous banana peeling, would be done away with forever. These boxes have proven of excellent service in other cities.

Coincidental with the report that the congressional conference committee is deadlocked on the agricultural appropriation bill, the Princes of Packing-town declare they are heartily in favor of federal inspection of the abattoirs. Never mind. Unless we have misjudged the resourcefulness and determination of the president of these United States, we will have governmental inspection of the packing plants sufficient even to satisfy the frenzied craving of the packers themselves.

The fact that Stanford White's life was insured for \$199,000 furnishes another clue to the motive for his murder. Hereditary instinct, attributable to a long line of money-making ancestors, may have been so strong in Harry Thaw, that an irresistible impulse for profit taking caused him to convert a worthless life into a valuable asset.

A Denver man gone daft over black eyes suicided because he failed in his quest. Maybe he picked the wrong color. Many a man has started forth in quest of blue eyes and come home with black ones.

Richard Croker hopes to live to see Bryan president. Perhaps, that's just another way of wishing for a long life.

Assuredly, Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw is a fair cause for a quarrel.

The Value of Exercise.
 The value of exercise for keeping the body in a good healthy condition is more fully appreciated nowadays than ever before and especially is it recommended to us in the summer season.

Exercise stimulates the blood flow and the healthy perspiration that follows aids the skin in throwing off the poisons and by bringing into play the different muscles of the body, it develops them and at the same time adds to the nerve force, one of the most necessary conditions for a good healthy condition.

Note the youngsters that play and romp at all sorts of games in the summer. See the clear skin, the bright eye, the ease with which perspiration sets in. For them, there are few days of sickness. It would be the same with the grown people, however, if they would only exercise. But they won't.

The osteopathic treatment is as natural as exercise. It has the same effect of the system. It stimulates and rights the blood flow and it gives tone to the nerves. It exercises the bowels and liver in a far superior way to any romping or play, and stimulates all the functions with which nature has provided the body to right its disease.

Especially, when preceded by the dry, hot air treatment, is the osteopathy successful for herein you get all that the most vigorous exercise gives—a good "sweat," free flow of blood and development of every nerve and muscle. And, following, comes at once the greatest of tonic effects, which are but natural.

I am giving this treatment every day with very marked success and shall be pleased to recommend you to a number of very prominent people a Paducah who will verify all I claim for it.

Call to see me at my office at any time between 9 and 12 in the morning and 2 and 5 in the afternoon.
 Dr. G. B. Froage, 518 Broadway, Phone 1407.

COL. ERNST
 Retires With Rank of Brigadier General.
 Washington, June 29.—Colonel Oswald Herbert Ernst of the corps of engineers, U. S. A., who was retired today for age with the rank of brigadier general has had a notable career as an engineer since the civil war. As a young lieutenant just out of West Point he served as assistant chief engineer in the Army of the Tennessee. Colonel Ernst is chairman of the Mississippi river commission and a member of the isthmian canal commission. He is also a member of the American section of the international water ways commission, chairman of the board of engineers charged with surveys for a water way between Lake Michigan and the Mississippi river, and a member of the board to consider cement testing in the department of the interior. He served through the Spanish war.



GATEWAY OF LELAND STANFORD, JR., UNIVERSITY.

NOT GUILTY PLEA ENTERED BY THAW

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rumors which were without a grain of truth."

Mrs. Thaw following her appearance before the grand jury, crossed the Bridge of Sighs and entered the city prison to see her husband. They talked together for a long while and when Mrs. Thaw finally attempted to leave the great granite building she found her way barred by the largest crowd, the police say, that has ever gathered about the structure.

She was virtually held a prisoner by the inquisitive throng for thirty minutes, when reserves from many police precincts managed finally to clear a way for her.

White Heavily Insured.
 Mrs. Thaw has been instructed by her husband's counsel to furnish to him every scrap of writing she has from White. She has promised to look for more of the letters.

A man connected with the Equitable Life Assurance society said last night that Stanford White's life was insured in that company for \$199,000, by policies taken out at various times in the past twenty years. During that period, it was said, Mr. White paid to the Equitable \$90,000 in premiums. All of the policies were made payable to his wife.

It is believed that White was heavily insured in other companies as well. Stanford White was buried with simple ceremonies at St. James, L. I., where he had a summer home.

In the opinion of the physician who performed the autopsy on White's body, the life of the architect was shortened not more than two years by the bullets from Thaw's pistol. He was found to be suffering from Bright's disease, from hepatic tuberculosis and from fatty degeneration of the liver.

GIRL IN THE PIE.

Another of the Oriental Revelries of Stanford White.

New York, June 29.—In the traditions of gay life in New York there is no incident more picturesque nor better remembered than that of "The Girl in the Pie."

A banquet was in progress in a studio. The studio was a synonym of luxury. The entertainments given there were Lucullan in character, and a truthful description of them would read like a chapter from "Quo Vadis." In this instance the host had surpassed all his former munificent hospitality. The "little spread" cost \$350 a plate. Artists, architects and men about town, with several women of the "fashionable" stratum of the under world, were his guests. There had been much drinking and life eating, toasts brilliant but requiring expurgation for family use, and the hour was nearing dawn. The guests were trying politely to repress signs of weariness, when the host served his piece de resistance.

Girl Bursts Pie's Crust.

Four negroes entered, carrying a huge pie, around which were grouped wax candles of every shade. The negroes retired. The banqueters looked on in amazed silence. Beneath the crust, in the middle of the table, there was a faint stir, as if from some living thing. At a sign from the host, the orchestra, concealed by palms, swung into the strains of the old nursery jingle:

"Four and Twenty Blackbirds Baked"

"YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT. Myry does makes you feel better. Laz-Foo keeps your whole sides right. Sold on the money back plan everywhere. Price 50c."



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 Say, Mr. Conductor,
 while the use of your wearing a well-lubricated, rubber or paraffin collar when you can get a Litholin one that "keeps the same purpose!"
 The "LITHOLIN" Waterproofed Rubber Collar is so different from any other collar except that it needs no oiling, greasing or waxing. It is made of a special material that is so soft and pliable that you follow late hours. It is so light and so comfortable that you never could find. "LITHOLIN" Waterproofed Rubber Collar, 100 Cents. Collar 25 cents. Collar 50 cents.
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in a Pie?

Simultaneously the stir beneath the crust increased. It was burst by a movement from beneath, and there rose a slim figure, half child, half woman, who turned a pretty infantile face upon the diners and stood poised in her black gauze wrappings, as a bird about to fly, white twenty-four gold canaries, that had been imprisoned in cages with her released by her hand, flew about in every direction.

Taken by Stanford White.
 One of the men sitting at the end of the table rose and pressed his way to the middle. He laughingly lifted the girl from the table to the floor. He was Stanford White.

The girl was Susie Johnson, a child model. She was then fifteen years old. Immediately after the dinner she disappeared. Her mother, who lived at 104 Eighth avenue, sought the aid of the police and the press to find the girl, but they were unsuccessful.

For three years she remained in hiding. When she was found she told a revolting story of mistreatment and desertion by the man whom Nemesis overtook in the midst of lights and music and laughter one Monday night.

Turned Into the Street.
 "I was lifted from the pie to a seat at the table, and found myself the queen of the revel," she said, "it was dazzling for a little while, but in the end it proved a sad quondam."

"Mr. White was kind for a short time, but he went to Europe, and when he returned and I tried to see him he was never in. He had instructed his clerks to get rid of me with as little trouble as possible. I never saw him again."

Thus was the girl, not yet sixteen, turned into the streets to live as she might. By a strange coincidence Susie Johnson married and when her husband learned of the "girl in the pie" dinner he brooded over the episode in his wife's life until he almost became insane. It ended by his desertion of her.

FAMILY MILLIONS PUT IN FIGHT

Relatives of Thaw in Pittsburg Take Steps for His Defense.

Pittsburg, June 29.—A party of relatives of Harry Kendall Thaw, headed by Benjamin Thaw, a half-brother, started for New York at noon today, and it was announced by one close to the family that the \$40,000,000 estate of the Thaws has been placed at the disposal of Harry to assist in extricating him from his present trouble if possible.

THIRD-STORY ELOPEMENT NOW.

Iowa Couple Sets New Record for Escaping Lovers.

Iowa City, Iowa, June 29.—A new record in elopements was set today when a loving couple escaped from a third-story window. The elopers came from Marengo, a small town near here, the girl being Miss Ruth Wilson and the man giving his name as E. C. Cummings of New York. They were stopped by the police and Miss Wilson spent the night in a third-story room of the St. James hotel. Cummings remained up all night playing cards, and when Miss Wilson rang for water at 5 o'clock in the morning he was allowed to take it up to her. He did not return and when the officer searched the hotel he found his prisoners had flown.

FOR MODERN CHURCH SERVICE

British Ecclesiastical Commission Presents Report to Parliament.

London, June 29.—The royal commission on ecclesiastical discipline appointed by the Balfour ministry in 1904, in its report presented to parliament recommends that the two houses of convocation prepare a new rubric and bring the service of the church into harmony with modern requirements; also that a contemptuous clergyman, instead of being imprisoned, should be deprived of his living and prevented from accepting a new living. It is proposed to institute a new court of appeals for ecclesiastical cases and refer to the bishops as a body disputed points of doctrine.

Then Took His Life.

Denver, Col., June 29.—Because he spurned the attentions of a woman who said she was Mrs. Tudor Kearns, claiming to be the wife of an editor connected with the Red Book, a magazine published in Chicago, William H. Eader, an engraver, was shot at by Mrs. Kearns.

MAYFIELD GETS BAPTIST MEETING

Auditor Hager Seeks Nomination for Governor.

Richmond, Ky., June 29.—The lay Baptist association adjourned to meet next year in Mayfield with Dr. E. C. Dargen, as the preacher, and the Rev. L. K. Wilson, as alternate. Louisville and Shelbyville contended for the next meeting but Mayfield won out easily.

Reform in Manner of Appeal in Criminal Cases Is Urged By State Bar.

REPUBLICANS OF THE TENTH.

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Haideaman for Committee.

Louisville, June 29.—Friends of Mr. W. B. Haideaman, of this city, are said to be urging his selection as a member of the Democratic state central and executive committee to succeed Judge John M. Lassing, of Boone, who retires from the committee to succeed Judge Thomas H. Paynter on the appellate bench.

Sue Southern Pacific.

Louisville, June 29.—A ruling delivered by Judge Wilson yesterday in the county court sustains the right of George H. Alexander, tax collector, to prosecute the suit he brought against the Southern Pacific company February 12, last, to require that defendant to pay back taxes on \$300,000,000 worth of omitted personality for 1906. The Southern Pacific will contest the matter.

Burglars at Hickman.

Hickman, Ky., June 29.—Several homes were entered by burglars, who made good their escape. They entered the homes of Messrs. C. C. Smith, Percy Jones, Tom Dillon, Sr., Lou Robertson, Bud Metheny and Rev. H. C. Johnson pastor of the Methodist church. From the latter they stole a pair of trousers and from Mr. Jones \$14.

Reform Criminal Laws.

Reform in the criminal laws of Kentucky, as regards appeals from lower courts, was advocated at the session of the Kentucky Bar association in Winchester yesterday. John R. Allen delivered an address on the subject.

Judge Hager Announces.

Judge S. W. Hager yesterday issued a card to the Democratic voters of the state, formally announcing as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Kentucky.

Dies From Injuries.

J. W. Lancaster died in Lexington yesterday as a result of injuries received in a runaway accident last Sunday.

Republicans of Tenth.

Republicans of the Tenth congressional district will meet in convention in Pikeville on August 22 to select a nominee. It is expected that several candidates will offer, although only one has announced thus far.

Not Known in Georgetown.

Georgetown, Ky., June 29.—A report reached here today that Thomas J. Flynn, claiming to be a former resident of Georgetown, and to have taken a prominent part in the Gobel-Taylor contest, had committed suicide in New Mexico. Flynn is not known here.

Franchise Assessments.

The state board of valuation and assessment yesterday made tentative assessments of the franchisees of all corporations doing business in the state. These assessments may be reduced when a hearing is held on protests by the companies.

Weekly Tobacco Report.

Tobacco Inspector Ed Miller furnishes the following reports in hogsheads for the week ending June 29.

Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags...

VACATION time is here. You will need Traveling Requisites for your outing, whether you go to the seashore, springs or mountains. We are prepared to supply your needs. In our line you will find Wardrobe Trunks, Steamer Trunks, especially designed Ladies' and Gentlemen's Trunks, Cowhide and Japanese Matting Suit Cases, as well as the popular Oxford Traveling Bags.

Trunks \$2.50 to \$60
 Suit Cases \$1.50 to \$25
 Traveling Bags \$1.00 to \$20

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 PADUCAH, KY.

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Fig Bars, a nice cake, per lb.	10c
Salmon, nice and good, per can	10c
California Hams, sweet and nice, per lb	11 1/2c
Tea, per glass	10c and 15c
Ginger Snaps, per lb	5c
Straight Flour, per bag, 50c, as good as others at	70c
Wafers, per lb	10c
3 lbs of nice, crisp Soda Crackers	25c
1 large tin box Crackers, family size, per box	40c
Fuller's Soap, as good as Grandpa's, as long as it lasts, 2 bars for	5c
2 1/2 lbs Baking Powder and Glass Rolling Pin	35c
Peanutine, or Peanut Butter, per bottle	10c and 15c
Have you tried our new Window Cleaner, only	10c
Beech Nut Breakfast Bacon and Sliced Beef, per glass	30c
Huyler's Cocoa, regular price, 15c and 30c, our price, per can	10c and 20c
Lemons, per dozen	18c
English Luncheon Sausage, 3 cans for	20c
Potted Ham, 3 cans for	10c
Heinz Pineapple or Cherry Preserves, per jar	65c
Don't forget our Summer Drinks. Anything in the soft drinks by the case.	
Buy our nice Home-Made Cakes and don't worry around the kitchen range for your Sunday dinner.	

ICE TEA TUMBLERS

Tall shape, capacity 11 oz., good, heavy glass, for every day use. Special price 20c Saturday, per set (No phone orders)

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THREE PER CENT.

Semi-Annual Dividend Declared by Paducah Company.

The board of directors of the Paducah Real Estate Investment company met this morning and declared the fifth semi-annual dividend of three per cent, the balance of the net earnings for the past six months to be placed to the credit of the surplus fund. A committee consisting of William Marble, James Weille and F. J. McElwee was appointed to take subscriptions for \$5,000 of the capital stock at par.

Go With Prisoners.
 Deputy Sheriffs Clark Fortson and Gus Rogers left at noon for Eddyville with Henry Hollowell, James Drane, Ed Raymond, Anderson Vandross, colored, J. A. Donovan and Will Jackson, white, prisoners convicted at the special term of circuit court.