

### CHOSE NO PASTOR FOR FIRST CHURCH

Christian Congregation Still Waiting on Convention.

Visiting Ministers Fill Pulpits in Paducah at Several of the Churches.

#### ATTENDANCE UNUSUALLY GOOD.

No definite action was taken yesterday by the congregation of the First Christian church about calling a pastor. The Rev. Haisapple, of Texas, filled the pulpit in the morning, no evening service being held. The committee appointed by the elders of the church is still corresponding with several pastors.

#### Trimble Street.

The Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder of the Paducah district, conducted services at the Trimble Street Methodist church yesterday. In the morning he spoke on "The Heritage of a Noble Life." Large congregations were present at both services despite the warmth of the day.

#### Three Services.

Three services were held at the First Baptist church yesterday. The Rev. J. S. Snyder, of Trenton, Ky., filling the pulpit in the morning and evening. An afternoon service was held by the Rev. T. T. Martin, of Texas.

#### Old Pastor Preaches.

At the German Evangelical church, the Rev. Wulfman, a former pastor of the church, spoke to the congregation. He did not confine himself to any particular subject. At the evening service, the pastor, the Rev. William Bourquin, filled the pulpit.

#### Turk in Pulpit.

At the Presbyterian church, Sixth street and Kentucky avenue, the Rev. K. H. M. Basmajian, of Atlanta, Ga., but formerly of Constantinople, filled the pulpit both morning and evening. For his subject in the evening, he spoke on "The Crescent Against the Cross." In the course of his sermon he spoke of the churches of his native country and of the manners of the people. He sang several songs of his native tongue and afterwards the English translation.

#### Broadway Methodist.

The Rev. Thomas J. Newell filled his pulpit Sunday morning and developed further the theme of his sermons for the last three weeks, that of the moral condition in the city and the remedy. He emphasized the need of men and women with strong convictions for the right, and who would be at least as bold in upholding their convictions as the element in our social life that is not moral.

At the evening service, the Rev. Mr. Smith, of the Central Illinois conference, of the Northern Methodist church, who is visiting in the city, preached. His subject was the need of prayer, and he developed a forceful sermon from the subject.

The Rev. E. C. Dees is conducting a revival at Milburn.

The Rev. W. A. Waits has closed a successful meeting at Melber. A number of professions and additions to the church are reported. The Rev. A. N. Sears assisted him.

Saturday the Rev. W. P. Hamilton, assisted by the Rev. R. L. Newman, closed a successful revival at Baudana.

#### HAD \$35,000

But the Whole American Party was Arrested—One Took Umbrella.

Rheims, France, Aug. 20.—E. G. Foreman and wife and three children and Julius Strauss and wife, of Chicago, while automobiling here today were arrested and detained for several hours at the police headquarters on a charge of larceny. Then they were released at the instance of J. Martin Miller, the American consul.

The arrest grew out of the visit to a shop where Mrs. Strauss picked up an umbrella worth hardly more than 10 francs and then turned and conversed with a child for a few minutes. The storekeeper became suspicious and gave the whole party into the custody of a gendarme, despite the fact that they had \$35,000 in their possession.

#### Warrants for Paducah Men.

A telephone message from Metropolis was received this morning by the local police department. It stated that the city marshal held warrants for Frank Henderson and his brother who are supposed to be in Paducah. No particulars of the nature of the charges against the two were given.

### YESTERDAY WAS THE HOTTEST DAY

Thermometer Registered 97 at Highest.

Humidity Caused More Suffering Than Last August When Maximum of 99 Was Reached.

#### PEOPLE SOUGHT EXCURSIONS

All comparisons of the weather since yesterday afternoon have been with Pisto's warm realm. The sweltering public has found no other degree of warmth which could measure up to the sun's affection for this particular spot on the globe. Astrologists tell us that at this time of the year the sun is farthest away from the earth, but the lay mind feeling yesterday's heat would say that such an assertion is the offspring of a muddled scientific brain.

The temperature yesterday was 97. It is the highest temperature reached this year. The lowest temperature reached this morning was 75. At a temperature of 97, yesterday was much hotter than at this time last year when the temperature was 99. It is because of the sultry atmosphere caused by the numerous rains we have had this month. There was comparatively little rain last August. The lowest temperature reached at any time this month has not fallen below 72. Last August it was 62.

Yesterday afternoon the mere exertion of fanning would cause the perspiration to flow profusely that it was more comfortable not to fan. The street cars all day and in the evening were crowded with people seeking the relief which came merely from the swiftly moving cars. The telephone at the wharfboat was kept busy by the inquiries of persons who wanted to know whether there were any excursions.

#### HARRIMAN'S COUP

Has Divided Wall Street and Pinched John D.

New York, Aug. 20.—The recent coup of Edward Harriman, who scooped \$1,000,000 in profits by backing up dividends on the Union and Southern Pacific has divided Wall street into factions, who are arming themselves for a financial fight that will be long remembered. Hundreds of stockholders of the Union and Southern Pacific, who cling on for years, hoping for large returns, now find the stock they held so long for a rise, safely tucked away in Harriman's strong box ready to be delivered at the present high prices. Rockefeller is said to be severely pinched in the coup and doubtless Harriman will hear from the oil magnate. Bankers today express the opinion that a stockholder induced to sell his holdings might receive in court the difference between the selling and the present price.

#### SECOND BROTHER DIES.

Dr. H. P. Sights Called to Henderson Saturday Night.

For the second time in a few months Dr. H. P. Sights was called Saturday night to Henderson to attend the bedside of a dying brother. Yesterday morning his younger brother, J. E. Sights, a farmer of near Henderson, died of typhoid fever. The funeral will take place today and Dr. Sights will return tonight. Last spring at other brother of Dr. Sights died at Henderson of appendicitis.

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