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TEN CENTS PER WEEK

FIRST WEEK SALE EXCELLED IN TWO DAYS THIS WEEK

More Than 300,000 Pounds Come in Monday and Tuesday and Situation in Western District Amicable and Satisfactory to All.

BUYERS ARE IN FIELD AGAIN

While strictest precautions have been taken by the local authorities to guard against any invasion and violence toward tobacco warehouses, both association planters and buyers here declare that the most amicable relations exist between them, considering that they are on opposite ends of a business deal, and there is neither occasion or desire for violence in the western district. The planters would be the first to resist an invasion from any other district.

The local market bids fair to profit by trouble elsewhere, and while there is little likelihood of a boycott, buyers say, against the Clarksville district, the buying will not be so heavy or vigorous there, and this city will afford a better market for the planters than those other towns, where the biggest deliveries have heretofore been made. The reason is that this section is considered safe and orderly, and the planters here will receive higher prices and quicker sales.

Heads of big concerns elsewhere have become alarmed, not knowing the distinction between the western and the Clarksville districts, and have wired inquiries to their representatives. Some tobacco is being concentrated in Paducah, as evidence of the confidence reposed in this community, and the Italian Regie is bringing tobacco from as far away as Paris, Tenn. This is not altogether because of danger in other sections, as a perfected drying machine is in use here, not found elsewhere. The Regie company has 75 stemmers at work this week.

Biggest Deliveries Yet. Tobacco deliveries in this market yesterday and today aggregate nearly 350,000 pounds, exceeding the first week's deliveries, and streams of wagons are coming to town this afternoon.

Buyers are out from Murray, Fulton, Mayfield and other points in this section, but none have gone out from Paducah. They are buying some tobacco, but not as much as usual. There has been no intimidation practiced on the buyers in this district.

David Dysart Operated On. David Dysart, the 11-year-old son of Mr. Paul Dysart, 203 Fountain avenue, was operated on by Dr. Stewart at Riverside hospital yesterday afternoon for appendicitis. David is doing as well as can be expected.

NEW FIRE MARSHAL

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—C. M. Barnett was chosen by Auditor-elect James to be fire marshal, succeeding Mott Ayres.

GOLDFIELD SITUATION

Goldfield, Dec. 10.—Col. Reynolds today refused to grant the demands of individual owners that he send soldiers to their mines Thursday to guard them for reopening. They declared they feared the mines would be dynamited, but Reynolds took the position that there has been nothing to justify the belief and it would be impossible for him to send troops, unless actual violence is done. Private guards around the mines will be increased. Unless strike-breakers are brought in, it does not appear that there will be enough men to reopen the mines.

HENRY CLAY LOVE

WILL GO TO ASYLUM

Henry Clay Love was tried on a writ of lunacy before Judge Reed in circuit court this morning, and was ordered sent to the asylum for the insane at Hopkinsville. Love was arrested by the police last Wednesday for going to the North Twelfth Street Baptist church and building a fire in a stove during the night. While in the city jail he set fire to mattresses in his cell and came near suffocating from the heat. He was sent to the county jail and Sunday set fire to the mattress in his cell there. An attendant will be sent from the asylum to accompany Love.

Monongah, Dec. 10.—Seventy-six bodies were recovered from the mines early today.

Two Coffins Ordered at Cadiz to Contain Remains of Night Riders Who Were Picked off by Pursuers

Report From Hopkinsville Gives Name of One Dead and One Mortally Wounded By Posse.

That two of the night riders, who visited Hopkinsville Saturday morning, were killed and several others badly wounded by the fusillade of bullets fired by the pursuing party of 15 headed by Major Bassett, of the state militia, is the information brought to Paducah by a prominent tobacco man who has visited Hopkinsville and Cadiz since the raid.

The gentleman, whose desires his name withheld, was at Cadiz Sunday night, and said that during the night two coffins were bought at an undertaking establishment, the purchaser refusing to give his name or the names of the ones for whom the coffins were intended.

It is said that the authorities also have information that two others are badly wounded.

According to reports the two that were killed were riding in a buggy and fell behind those on horseback when the pursuit by the posse began and one received the full charge of a shotgun in the back. The gun was fired by a young man of Hopkinsville and well known here. The two other occupants of the buggy were also shot, the second dying after he had been carried home by comrades.

The gentleman, bringing the information to Paducah, said that the result of the raid has been so unsatisfactory to the leaders of the movement that no more will be attempted. It is believed that the investigation to be ordered by Governor Willson will result in the arrest and conviction of the leaders of the mob.

One Night Rider Dead.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—Will Gray, aged 20 years, a night rider, was killed in the raid Saturday morning, and Edward M. C.

ALL OFFICES MAY GO TO DEMOCRATS AT JOINT SESSION

Indications are that the Republicans may lose all the offices filled by the general council, since it has been learned that some of the aldermen have made a deal with some of the Democratic members to put Democrats in as license inspector, sewer and sanitary inspector. An effort is being made by some members of both parties to enter into a party caucus for some places and into a deal for others. The result seems to be chaos. Friends of those Republicans, who are to be turned out, naturally resent what they consider party treachery, and may retaliate against the caucus nominees for other positions; while the Democrats, discriminated against in the deal made with the Republican clique, are just as bitter. It appears that Bob Hicks, Democrat, is the choice of the Republican Democrat Coalition for license inspector. A Franks, their choice for sewer inspector, and John Gaither, Democrat, sanitary inspector. The terms of both Gaither and Robert Lax expire, but Lax is to be allowed to go by the board, while a deal is to be made for Mr. Gaither. The general council will be called by Mayor Yeiser in joint session Friday night, so far as now known, and a lively time is promised.

Speedy Justice Meted Out Today

A striking example of justice being expeditiously administered is shown in the court records of the case of George Washington, colored, charged with stealing a sack of flour from H. P. Hawkins' store. Washington was arrested Sunday by the police on the charge and was held to the grand jury by Judge Cross yesterday morning. In the afternoon the grand jury brought in an indictment and this morning he was tried and sentenced to one month in the county jail.

Jonas Smith was acquitted of the charge of shooting Engineer Pet. Gibson. The evidence showed that Smith fired at a man named Merriam, who was advancing on him with a club, and that the bullet went wild and struck Gibson.

Cook is dying at his home in Trigg county.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—Governor Willson is to order a Louisville company of soldiers to Hopkinsville.

Mt. Sterling Scare.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—There is a report that night riders intend to attack this city during the night, and a strong force is on guard. Nothing is doing.

YEISER PARK CURB

The granite curbing for the roadway of the Yeiser park, Tenth street and Broadway, has been received by the park commissioners and will be laid under direction of City Engineer Washington. The material is Georgia granite, and it cost only 60 cents delivered here. Concrete curbing costs from 50 to 75 cents laid, so the cost of this granite, the lasting quality of which is far superior to anything else, is but little more. The park commissioners have decided to defer the concrete work at Lang circle until spring.

JURY OUT THREE DAYS BRINGS IN SMALL VERDICT

Mayfield, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—After being out three days, the jury in the \$25,000 damage suit of Webb's administrator against the Mayfield Water and Light company and the Home Telephone company, brought in a verdict of \$1,000 for the plaintiff. Several months ago little Charlie Webb, while playing around a telephone pole, struck a live wire and was horribly burned, so that he died a few hours later. His parents hold the Water and Light company and the telephone company at fault and brought suit for \$25,000 damages. Experts from Paducah and elsewhere testified, and the case was one of the hardest fought in the county in many years. The case went to the jury Saturday at noon. W. J. Webb and Pete Seay represented the plaintiff and Gus Thomas and W. B. Stanfield, the defendants. The verdict is \$500 against each of the defendants.

TAFT HASTENING HOME.

Plymouth, Dec. 10.—The steamer President Grant, with Taft aboard, touched here today and sailed westward. The secretary was so much affected by his mother's death that he refused to receive visitors and remained in his state room.

A STAG DINNER

A stag dinner will be enjoyed at 6:30 o'clock this evening by the male members of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church in the parlors of the church, where tables will be spread.

TO INTIMIDATE

Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—Hiram Owens, of Knox county, was sent to jail for 30 hours for contempt of court for causing to be sent out the story that Judge Breathitt is to take the prosecution of the Goebel trials out of the commonwealth's hands. It is claimed the story was sent out to intimidate witnesses.

The bail bond of Bernard Thom, which was forfeited by his non-appearance when the case was called, was paid this morning by B. E. Thom, father of the young man. The bond amounted to \$200.

Riley Pitman pleaded guilty to a charge of obtaining money by false pretense and was sentenced to three months in the county jail.

Albert Beeten, the stationary engineer, who cut Conductor M. V. Goodman on a Third street car several weeks ago, was fined \$100.

Charles Lee was fined \$20 for gaming. At 10 o'clock the court adjourned until tomorrow morning, the docket for today having been completed.

WAR MINISTRY IS ATTACKED BY GEN. STOESEL TODAY

Says Port Arthur's Surrender Was Due to Lack of Provision and Equipment and Blames Corruption in Department for Conditions.

ON TRIAL BY COURT MARTIAL

St. Petersburg, Dec. 10.—Generals Stoessel, Took and Reiss, charged with surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese, today attacked the ministry of war. They say the fortress was so ill-equipped, under provisioned and poorly built that effective defense was impossible. They attribute its condition to the war ministry and assert they think it due less to incompetence than corruption. The generals will be sentenced to death if convicted.

YOUTSEY TESTIFIES

Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—Henry Youtsey was the chief witness this morning in the Powers case. There was little change in his story from his former testimony.

STRICKEN IN FIELD

John Y. Hocker, of Massac, suffered a paralytic stroke last week while in the field gathering corn. When he reached out to pull an ear of corn his arm dropped and he fell unconscious. He was picked up and carried to his home in a serious condition.

CONFESS THEFT AND IMPLICATE SOME WHITE MAN

Wickliffe, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—The identity of a band of burglars that have broken into a number of stores in Wickliffe recently, has been brought to light through clever work on the part of Sheriff W. A. Hawes, of Ballard county, who has arrested two of the band and placed them in jail. Those arrested are Tom Coleman and Julius Harshaw, colored, who confessed to the robbery of the Ballard Mercantile company, J. L. Hughes & company, Bailey Bros., Mrs. Sparks & Son and George B. Wilder's store. The negroes implicate two white men, who are being looked for by the sheriff. A great deal of goods and over \$200 in money has been stolen from the stores entered.

BISMARCK CIGAR COMPANY BURNED OUT LAST NIGHT

Fire, which started in the stock room of the Bismarck Cigar company, on the second floor of P. B. Johnson's building, Third street and Kentucky avenue, at 8 o'clock last night practically destroyed the cigar company's equipment and stock, valued at about \$1,800.

Henry Mammen's book binding establishment on the first floor was also damaged about \$200 by water. The cigar company carried about \$1,500 insurance, while Mr. Mammen's loss is fully covered.

Just how the fire started is a mystery, though it is supposed a coal rolled from the stove. The place was burning briskly when the department from central station arrived and it looked as though the building was doomed, but in a few seconds after a line of hose had been run into the building the firemen had it under complete control.

All the stock of manufactured goods in the building was completely destroyed while the raw material was ruined by the fire and water. A box of Sumatra wrappers had just been received. Five hundred new empty boxes were received yesterday and were near the place where the fire is supposed to have originated.

But little damage was done by the building, which is owned by P. B. Johnson, of Tampa, Fla. A thin partition wall was burned out and the floors and walls of the second story slightly burned.

It is Now Governor Augustus E. Willson, Who Was Inaugurated With Great Ceremony At Capitol

Big Parade Feature of Day and Hosts of Republicans Gather at Frankfort to Do Honor to Their Chief.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 10.—Gov. A. E. Willson delivered his inaugural address and took the oath of office at noon. Governor Beckham was given a testimonial by citizens.

The parade. The following program for the parade and other ceremonies incidental to the inauguration was arranged by the committee and carried out to the letter.

The procession formed on Broadway street in front of the Public Square promptly at 10:30 o'clock a. m., the carriages on the north side of the street, the front resting on Lewis street and aligned at the curbing to receive the persons to occupy them; the military escort in the center of the street with the right resting on Ann street, and from right to left in the following order: Cadets of Kentucky, Military Institute with band; the Second Regiment band; the cadets of Millersburg Military Institute; 60 feet space to receive the carriage containing the governor and governor-elect; then the cadets of the State college. The marching bodies other than the marching escort, formed along the south side of the street near the curbing, with the right resting on Ann street.

In such formation the governor and governor-elect, the state officials and state officials-elect, accompanied by the committee of escort, receive the military salute as the party left the Public Square. As soon as the governor and governor-elect were placed in their carriage the military escort formed, the carriage took place in the space provided for it and the procession moved in the following order:

First Division. Platoon of city police. Chief marshal.

Assistant marshal—advanced part of military escort, composed of cadets from K. M. I. and M. M. I. with hands.

The governor and governor-elect in carriages.

Remainder of military escort, composed of cadets from the State College with band.

Assistant marshal—State officials and state officials-elect, judges of the court of appeals, city officials and distinguished visitors, all in carriages.

Second Division.

Assistant marshal—Band.

KING GUSTAVE WILL MAKE ENDEAVOR TO RE-UNITE NORWAY AND SWEDEN

It is Not Known What Directions His Efforts Will Take But He Will Bide His Time to Act.

Stockholm, Dec. 10.—All Sweden was bowed in mourning today over the death of its sovereign. The body of King Oscar was embalmed and it is understood that the arrangements for the funeral will not be completed for a fortnight. King Gustav took up the duties of monarch today.

In official circles it is understood that King Gustav will make every effort toward a reunion of Sweden

THE WEATHER.



FAIR.

Fair tonight and probably Wednesday. Colder tonight. Highest temperature yesterday, 65; lowest today, 37.

FLEET ASSEMBLED AWAITING ORDERS TO START VOYAGE

Norfolk, Dec. 10.—Sixteen battleships lie at anchor in Hampton Roads today ready for the 14,000 mile cruise. The first stop will be at Trinidad, Christmas eve, where 16,000 men will have dinner. All battleships are now sitting for word from Roosevelt.

Organized clubs of marching bodies in order as assigned.

Assistant marshal.

As soon as the governor and governor-elect reached the platform the procession disbanded.

Inaugural Ceremonies.

Prayer—By the Rev. William Crowe.

Music—Second Regiment Band.

Presentation to Governor Beckham by Mayor Hume of written testimonial on behalf of citizens of Frankfort.

Music—Second Regiment Band.

Valedictory Address—By Governor Beckham.

Inaugural address of Governor Willson.

Administration of oath of Augustus E. Willson as governor by Chief Justice O'Rear.

Music—Second Regiment Band.

Benediction—By the Rev. T. S. Major.

WILL CLOSE SALOONS

Chicago, Dec. 10.—State's Attorney Healey today announced he would enforce the laws so far as to close every saloon in Chicago Sunday.

MANCHESTER GROVE

Manchester Grove, W. O. W., last night elected the following officers: A. L. Iseman, worthy guardian; Mary Houser, worthy adviser; Mary Wisong, past worthy guardian; Rossie Jordan, worthy clerk; Pearl Roser, worthy banker; Amanda Beck, worthy attendant; Mary Wiertman, assistant attendant; Etta Berry, inner sentinel; Will Roser, outer sentinel; Mrs. J. Houser, pianist; first manager, 3 years, Charley Emery; second manager, 2 years, Matt Cable; third manager, 1 year, Will Kyle.

ROBBERS LOOT P. O. AT CENTRAL CITY OF \$1,500 TODAY

Central City, Ky., Dec. 10. (Special.)—Robbers entered the post-office here early this morning and dynamited the safe. They secured \$1,500 in money and stamps and escaped on a train, going toward Louisville.

Rose did not appear to be the least non-plused, and coolly answered the questions which were put to him by the authorities. He admitted that he was guilty of bigamy and was promptly locked up, while all three women left the police station, sadder but wiser. Early yesterday morning the writ of habeas corpus was sought and on a hearing Rose was released by Judge Galloway. Assistant Attorney-General Kortrecht represented the police department, but his contentions were held for naught by the court.

Grain Market.

St. Louis, Dec. 10.—Wheat, 99; corn, 63; oats, 55.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 10.—The agricultural department announced its estimate of the total production of cotton in the United States for 1907, equivalent to 11,678,000 bales, of five hundred pounds, gross weight.

Widow Gets \$2,000.

George Lehnhard, banker of Oily camp, W. O. W., today paid \$2,000 life insurance to the widow of S. uel Beadies, late city jailer-elect.

ROSE NEGLECTED SOME ESSENTIALS TO HIS MARRIAGE

Carelessly Waited Five Years After Second Wedding Before Securing Divorce From His First Wife, Whom He Married Here.

A PADUCAH GIRL'S MISTAKES

Memphis, Dec. 10.—Brought face to face with two women to whom he is at present illegally married and a third from whom he secured a divorce, M. F. Rose, a lumber inspector, admitted to the police authorities Sunday afternoon that he was guilty of bigamy, only to deny the admission in the probate court yesterday morning before Judge J. S. Galloway, to whom he was applying for a writ of habeas corpus. Rose was placed under arrest by Patrolman Thomas Spence at the instance of his first wife, who was Miss Lena Turner, of Paducah, Ky., and who at the time of making the complaint did not know her husband had secured a divorce from her.

No charge was preferred against him Sunday, and early yesterday morning a petition for a writ of habeas corpus was filed, and under the prayer of the petition Rose was released by Judge Galloway, who held that sufficient time had elapsed for the police to have secured warrants formally charging Rose with bigamy had either of his wives wished to prosecute him on that charge.

Married Here in 1902.

Rose married Miss Turner at Paducah on January 7, 1902, and after living with her for about a year deserted her, according to her statement to the authorities. She did not know he had been divorced from her, and a week ago wrote to the police asking for information which might lead to the present whereabouts of her husband. Then it was that the investigation was started which had for its culmination the facing of Rose with three women, all of whom said they were married to him, and each of whom he acknowledged.

After leaving the Paducah wife Rose came to Memphis and sought employment. He met Miss Carrie Kollo, a handsome young woman living at 132 Vance avenue, and after an ardent courtship extending over a few months, gained the promise of her hand in marriage. The ceremony was performed on August 31, 1904, but the day of her marriage Mrs. Rose No. 2 learned of the deception which had been practiced upon her and secured from Rose an admission that he had never been divorced from wife No. 1. Disgusted at the perfidy of the man, the bride of a few hours left him, and to this day, has never divorced with him.

Got Divorce This Year.

It was not until November, 1907, that Rose bethought himself to secure a divorce from the wife he left behind in Paducah, Ky. Probably he would not have thought of it then, despite the fact that he was already guilty of bigamy, had he not been at that time considering taking unto himself a third wife, which he did just seven days after the divorce decree was entered, on the last day of the month.

It was in the apartments of his third wife, who was Miss Jewell P. Chadwick, at 226 South Main street, that his arrest was effected. Rose escorted Miss Chadwick to Marion, Ark., on the third day of this year and they were married. His marriage certificate was produced at the court house yesterday, as were the records of his marriages to wives 1 and 2.

The Paducah Mrs. Rose arrived in Memphis Sunday morning and hurried to the police station, where she was informed of her former husband's escapades since leaving the Kentucky town. He was arrested in wife No. 3's room by Patrolman Spence, who brought him to the police station, where he was confronted by wives 1 and 2, and in a few minutes the latest addition entered.

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