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Voters, Last Chance To Register Tuesday, 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

DAMRON DID NOT AMBUSH MADRY AS FIRST REPORTED

Victim of Shooting in Living-
ton Is Slowly Recov-
ering.

Fire at Greenville Destroys Mill.

A WIFE FOUND UNCONSCIOUS

Smithland, Ky., Oct. 15. (Special.)—Facts brought out at the preliminary hearing of Stoke Damron, of Livingston county, charged with the murder of Finis Madry, disprove the first story of an ambush. Damron, who offered no defense, was held to the grand jury, but it is believed he will introduce a plea of self-defense if the fact that he did the shooting is established by the state. The three Madry boys were tenants on Damron's place and there had been trouble between them on account of shooting. The night of this affair all of them were returning from church, the Madry boys in the rear. There was some shooting and Damron went back and ordered them to stop. That was the end of the affair for the time. Damron passed the Madry boys' home and went to his own on the same place. Later, it is alleged by the Madry boys, he returned to their home with a gun and as they were passing through their gate, he shot Finis Madry without warning. However, a state's witness testified at the hearing that he heard two revolver shots before he heard the report of the gun, supposed to have been fired by Damron.

Madry is improving and it is expected he will recover.

Fire at Greenville.

Greenville, Ky., Oct. 15. (Special.)—Fire early this morning destroyed the grist mill of Mr. Roark, together with the elevator, containing 25,000 bushels of new wheat. The fire is supposed to have originated from an engine spark. Central City's fire department was called out.

Mob Is Foiled.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Oct. 15. (Special.)—Kirby Leffers' wife was found in a semi-conscious condition near her home, and his brother-in-law swore out a warrant charging Leffers with mistreating her. A mob formed to get him, but he was spirited away to jail. He denies the charge. The belief is that he is innocent.

Judge Reed Returns.

Circuit Judge William Reed returned last night from Clinton, where he has been presiding as a special judge for the past week. With the exception of two cases the criminal and common law dockets were speedily disposed of and Judge Reed will return Monday to hear these two cases and take up the equity docket, which will consume possibly four days. Judge Reed has been the recipient of many comments on his ability in hurrying through the dockets.

MISS HAYES WILL WED.

Granddaughter of Jefferson Davis to Marry Artist.

Colorado, Springs, Col. Oct. 15.—It was announced here today that Miss Lucy Hayes, granddaughter of Jefferson Davis, is to wed George Bowsey Young, son of the late Harvey Young, the famous painter of western landscapes. No date for the wedding has been set. Miss Hayes' mother, Mrs. Margaret Howell Jefferson Davis Hayes, was the daughter of Jefferson Davis.

TORREY SUBJECTS.

Sunday, 3 p.m.—Children's meeting.
Sunday Night—"What Are You Waiting For?"
Monday Night—"Have You a Reason?"
Tuesday Night—"The Most Important Question That Any Man Ever Asked and Answered."
Wednesday Night—"Who is Jesus?"
Thursday Night—"One of the Saddest Utterances That Ever Fell From the Lips of the Son of God."
Friday Night—"The Way of Life Made as Plain as Day."

Walter Wellman Starts Across Atlantic Ocean In His Dirigible Balloon "America" This Morning

Wind Carries Air Craft Out to
Sea and Wireless at Noon
Tells of Success of Voyage
Up to That Hour.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 15.—Walter Wellman, with Mervin Caniman, a noted engineer, with a crew of six in the great dirigible "America," started shortly after 8 o'clock this morning in an attempt to cross the Atlantic ocean. After he got into the air a heavy wind carried the balloon seaward. Wellman signalled that the European voyage had started. The balloon disappeared in the fog.

At 11:05 the first wireless from the dirigible "America" was received here. It reads: "Headed northeast. All well on board. Machinery working fine. Good bye. J. Irwin."

Wellman carried a wireless instrument.

Make Call in Airship.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Claude Grahame-White, the English aviator, flew from Benning race track to Washington, a distance of three miles, and made a successful landing in executive avenue between the White House and the state, war and navy building. The flight was made for the purpose of paying respects to Gen. Allen, chief signal officer of the army.

Official business in the big government building was suspended in order to welcome the aviator.

With perfect ease Mr. White, after luncheon with army and navy officers, ascended from the narrow street and sailed away toward the Washington monument and back to Benning, a distance of more than three miles as the crow flies.

The ascent was even more difficult than the one Mr. White performed in alighting in the street upon his arrival.

Woman Aviator Gets Medal.

New York, Oct. 15.—The Aeronautical society has awarded its gold aviator medal to Mrs. Frank Elsie of New York, who recently made successful flights for short distances in an aeroplane partly of her own invention. She is the first woman to receive recognition from the society.

Another Message.

Atlantic Highlands, N. J., Oct. 15.—The United Aerial station received the following message from Walter Wellman at 1:45 this afternoon: "Airship America. Sea is very smooth. We are not crowding our motors hard. Averaging fifteen miles an hour. All going well. Wellman."

COL. JOHN K. HENDRICK PLEASED WITH HIS TRIP.

Hon. John K. Hendrick returned this morning from Owensboro, where he spoke yesterday afternoon in the interest of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for governor. He was on the stump with three other candidates, James B. McCreary, William Adams and Mayor William Head, of Louisville, and the speakers made things lively. On Thursday the candidates spoke at the Henderson fair, and on both days addressed large crowds. Colonel Hendrick was pleased with the encouragement he received at the speakings.

Business Situation For Week Pleasing

Business this week has been a little more brisk than it has been for several weeks. All lines report a picking up of trade, while the bank clearings are showing up better, although this week there were only five business days. Retail merchants

THE WEATHER

The predictions and temperatures for the past twenty-four hours will be found at the top of the seventh column on page four.

BOXES HOT.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 15.—J. Stanley Ketchel, middle weight champion of the world, was shot through the right lung early today on the ranch of R. E. Dickerson, five miles from Conway, Mo. A message says Ketchel was shot in a quarrel with a man named Hurd, who is said to have escaped. Bloodhounds went on the trail.

TORNADO SWEEPS CUBAN PROVINCE

KILLS HUNDRED PEOPLE AND DIVIDES ACROSS FLORIDA KEYS.

Key West, Oct. 15.—The hurricane from Cuba split early today, the more powerful division heading northeastward. This swept across the Florida keys between Miami and Knight's Key, damaging the tobacco crop. Lives lost in Santa Clara province, Cuba, are estimated at between 75 and 100.

Painting the Standpipe.

Down at the water works a force of men have a job that few people will give them competition. The job is painting the standpipe, which is 175 feet high. The interior of the standpipe is painted first, the painters are aboard a float and the water is lowered in the pipe as they paint. When the bottom is reached the painters will crawl out one of the main pipes.

Bride and Groom Visiting Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Fisher, of Benton, are in the city today visiting friends and receiving congratulations on their marriage in Cairo this week. They had planned to keep the wedding a secret for several weeks, but the news leaked out. Mrs. Fisher was Miss Eville Martin, a popular young woman of Birmingham. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Martin, and is well known in this city, where she has visited. Mr. Fisher is an enterprising young lawyer of Benton with many friends in Paducah. He is the elder son of the late Judge Fisher, formerly county judge of Marshall county. They will reside in Benton, where their new home will be completed in a few days.

UNION MEN WILL PLAY BASEBALL TOMORROW

For the benefit of the boiler-makers and machinists of the Illinois Central shops the pick of the two teams from these organizations will play a ball game at League park tomorrow afternoon. The lineup will be: Boiler-makers and Machinists—Cathy, c; Dickey, p; Hart, 1b; Hart, 2b; Ford, 3b; Mercer, ss; Burton, rf; Dixon, cf; Clark, lf; Fuller, utility.

Hooks—Brahle, c; Runyan, 3b; Block, 1b; Harper, 2b; Hannin, p; Cox, ss; Harper, lf; Carroll, cf; Williams, rf; Evans, utility.

The game will start at 2 o'clock.

report that the influx of shoppers from surrounding towns has been good, while the wholesale concerns report that shipments are good.

Lumber companies are busy filling orders, and this line has taken a decided jump. The walkout at the Illinois Central shops is being watched closely by all business men, with the hope of an early settlement.

Child Dies In Camp

Taken critically ill while passing through Paducah, the 1-year-old son of Brock Burton, an itinerant horse trader, died at Paris, Tenn., last Sunday. Burton had been camping here and when he left for Tennessee the child became ill, dying in the camp in Paris.

FIRST TRAIN OVER BURLINGTON INTO METROPOLIS, ILL.

Will Arrive There Tomorrow
Afternoon and Be Met by
Robertson.

Regular Service Will Soon be Installed.

CITIZENS ARE WILDLY EXCITED

The first passenger train to pass over the newly completed Herrin Southern line of the Burlington, from Herrin to Metropolis, will leave Herrin tomorrow and arrive at Metropolis at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The excursion will be met there by the ferryboat G. W. Robertson, of Paducah, which will leave here at 2 o'clock, arriving with the excursion. The excursionists will come to Paducah spending a short time and return late in the afternoon. The Robertson will make a trip at night also.

Just as soon, however, as the proper yard facilities can be established Metropolis will be made the starting point for all trains, the trains leaving here in the morning and returning at night.

A box car has been rigged up with windows and doors for a temporary depot, and is equipped with a telephone service for the transaction of business. The division officers are now at Marlon arranging for a transfer of the offices to this city.

Deeds Filed.

Mattie Page to H. P. Brooks, property in the county, \$399.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nuckells and G. R. Halsey to B. L. Abaratha, property in the county, \$1,000.

In Circuit Court.

Will Childers filed suit against M. D. Campbell for \$152.50 alleged due. He alleges that they retained a law firm for a fee of \$250, and each was to pay half. The plaintiff alleges that he was required to pay the whole amount and now seeks to recover the money plus the interest.

Fannie Kikoyne filed suit against James and Lizzie Marable for her dower interest in property located on Jackson street between Seventh and Eighth streets. She seeks to recover \$324.45 the value of her dower or one-third of the rents.

Woman Golf Champion

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Miss Dorothy Campbell, of Hamilton, Ont., won the women's international golf champion ship on the Homewood links here this afternoon by defeating Mrs. T. N. Hardin, of Tavistock, Eng., two up and one to play.

PRIMARY LAW IS CONSTITUTIONAL

ILLINOIS NOMINATIONS OF SEP- TEMBER 13 WILL STAND.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 15.—The state supreme court upheld the constitutionality of the Illinois primary law. The court sustained the demurrer of Attorney General Stead to the petition of Joseph McInenney and Charles Estey, who argued that the law in limiting the number of legislative candidates was unconstitutional. McInenney and Estey had applied for a writ of mandamus to compel the state board of canvassers to place their names on the official ballot. As a result the legislative nominations of September 13 will stand.

Chief Justice Vickers announced that Justices Farmer and Cook, Democrats, and Hand and Vickers, Republicans, voted in favor of the law; and Justices Cartwright, Dunn and Carter, Republicans, dissented.

Prisoners Sentenced.

The prisoners convicted at the criminal session were sentenced this morning by Circuit Judge Reed. Under the new law the prisoners are not sentenced for any definite number of years, but the prison commissioners decide how many years the prisoners shall be confined in the penitentiary. There was only one white prisoner, Ford Jackson, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses, and he was sentenced to serve a term ranging from one to five years. Also there is only one woman, Mattie McReynolds, colored, charged with grand larceny, who was sentenced to the Frankfort penitentiary for a term of from one year to five years.

The colored men sentenced are: Dan Owens, malicious striking, one to five years; Albert Berger, horse stealing, two to ten years; Henry Bell, breaking storeroom, one to

Ice War Results in Indictment of Breweries—They Are Charged With Conspiring to Reduce the Price

Plumbers are Not Indicted
and Guy Dean Is Dismiss-
ed—Makes Final Report to
Court.

No indictments were returned today by the grand jury in the alleged conspiracy among the plumbers of the city, and the grand jury returned the minutes, referring the case to the next grand jury.

Charging a conspiracy to reduce the price of the ice and drive out competition, the grand jury returned an indictment this afternoon against the Paducah Brewery company, the Frank Fehr Brewing company, the Cook Brewing company, the Henderson Brewing company, and the Anheuser-Busch Brewing company. This is the outcome of the ice war. Before the Paducah Brewery went into the business, cutting the price, the Paducah Ice company had most of the business. Afterwards the ice company began and handled Wellman's beer at cut rates. The indictments are the result of the local ice war, which brought about reduced prices.

The grand jury made its final report this afternoon when two indictments were returned. A number of cases were referred to the next grand jury. The cases dismissed are: F. C. Baldrice, false swearing; Harry Williams, Bob Grims and Claud Mason, robbery; Dick Allison, grand larceny. The cases referred to the next grand jury are: Ed Mitchell, Bob Deboe, trespass; Henry Sparks, malicious striking; John Brenneridge, robbery; Claud Ross, petit larceny; Ed Wood, malicious striking; Arthur Bryant, grand larceny; Jim Taylor, robbery.

Dean Not Indicted.

The grand jury failed to indict Guy Dean, who was dismissed at the examining trial for taking part in the Pool road murder. The only indictment returned was against Tommie Farrin, who is in jail upon the strength of his confession. By agreement, his bond was fixed at \$1,000 today, and his attorneys say that he will execute bond in a few days. No indictment was returned for John Hunt, for whose arrest a warrant was sworn out in the county court, charging him with the Pool road murder.

Twenty-eight Indictments.

Twenty-eight indictments were returned this morning by the grand jury when it made a report. Most of the indictments were for persons not before the court, and the names of the defendants were not given out. However, the grand jury did a little investigating and returned a batch of indictments against women for maintaining nuisances in the city.

The indictments given out are: Julia White, malicious cutting; Alonius Harrison, malicious cutting; Milus Stewart, malicious cutting; Rachael Jackson, murder; Howard Warsaw, petit larceny; Brooks Hobson, petit larceny; Champ Howard, petit larceny; Ed Yasseur, appropriating money of another to his own use.

The grand jury also filed its report on the public buildings. After the cursory inspection the grand jurors reported that the county almshouse was in good condition and that the inmates received good food and attention. The county jail was reported in as good condition as possible, but recommended that the county needs a new building, in order to have better sanitary conditions. The court house and yard were reported in good condition.

GIRL WANDERS IN STREET HOMELESS

Wandering on the streets and apparently without any home, Ethel Hollis, a pretty girl about 17 years old, was picked up by the police last night near Seventh street and Kentucky avenue. She was taken to the police station and then to Riverside hospital. She did not appear ill, but she was placed in bed and today an investigation was made. The girl said that she came to Paducah about six weeks ago from her home in Memphis, and part of the time had been employed at a laundry. She claims to have been a stenographer in Memphis, and said that her mother resided at 796 Saxon avenue. Her brother, W. I. Hollis, was notified and today he notified the hospital that he would send a ticket, and the girl will be sent to her home tomorrow. She does not appear irrational.

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Chicago Market.

Dec.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
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Oat	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2

Mr. L. E. McCabe returned to Princeton this morning.

FATAL BLOW.

Enid, Okla., Oct. 15.—"Kid" Fisher, fifteen, of Fairview, Okla., is dead at Meno, Okla., and the authorities are seeking Frank Hall, as a result of a boxing match there last night. In the eleventh round, of what was to have been a 15 round fight, Hall struck Fisher a blow at the base of the neck. Fisher lived five minutes. Hall escaped in the excitement.

Civil Cases.

A. Davis vs. L. Davis, divorce granted.

Hite vs. Hite; amended petition filed.

G. D. Palmer, guardian, vs. G. D. Palmer; motion to set aside order confirming sale of real estate by master commissioner filed.

Suits for Divorce.

Katie Jones filed suit for divorce from James Jones alias James Drake, alleging that her husband is guilty of cruel treatment, and that last May she was driven from her home after a fistie encounter. Last Saturday in circuit court Drake was acquitted on the charge of the murder of John Gibson. Attorneys for Drake were busy preparing a divorce petition on his behalf, when served with a notice of the wife's application for divorce.

Irene Marie and William Ray filed suit against the Metropolitan Life Insurance company for the payment of a policy of \$187 held on the life of their brother, David Ray, who died September 26.

Alice Wood filed suit against Edwin Wood for divorce. The couple married December 21, 1907, and separated in August, 1909, when she alleged that her husband abandoned her. She asks for a divorce and the restoration of her maiden name, Alice Taylor.

Herbert Rice filed suit against the Paducah Traction company for damages as a result of alleged personal injuries. He alleges that he was riding in an express wagon that was struck by a street car, and he suffered permanent injuries. He sues for \$1,500 damages, and expenses during his illness.

Ruby May Rudolph filed suit for divorce from her husband, Alonzo Rudolph. The couple married in 1897 and separated August 22, 1909, when she alleges that her husband abandoned her. She asks for a divorce and the restoration of her maiden name.

Ora Miller filed suit against the Paducah Traction company for damages as a result of alleged personal injuries. She was riding in an express wagon, that was struck by a street car it is alleged.

Lula Jackson filed suit against the Paducah Traction company for damages as a result of alleged personal injury.

Farmers' Union Rally.

R. L. Barnett, state secretary-treasurer of the Kentucky Farmers' Union, left this morning for Little Cypress, where a county union meeting of the Marshall county members of the Farmers' Union was held today. The meeting was well attended, and several addresses were delivered.

Back From Clinton Court.

State Senator W. V. Eaton has returned from Bardwell and Clinton, where he went on legal business. At Clinton he had the McWhirter damage suit set for February. The case, in which Mrs. Cordie McWhirter, of Paducah, sues the Iron Mountain railroad for damages for the death of her husband, involves the federal employer's liability act.

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PRINCETON SHOPS HAVE TROUBLE OF SOME KIND TODAY

Special This Afternoon Says
Illinois Central Men Go
Out.

Both Sides Here are Still Optimistic.

RUMORS ARE ALL UNFOUNDED

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