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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

TRIAL BEGINS

The Jury in the Garnett Ripley Case, All Democrats But One, Accepted.

COMMONWEALTH'S SIDE

Paducah Delegates Honored at the Knights of Honor Grand Lodge—Big Suit Filed.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE STATE

Frankfort, April 10.—Twelve men, all of whom are Democrats, will try Captain Garnett Ripley for his life. Despite the fact that they are Democrats they were all accepted by both sides.

After the selection of the jury, Attorney Ben Williams stated the case for the commonwealth. He said the conspiracy to murder Goebel originated in W. S. Taylor's office, and that Taylor and Ripley worked to bring about the murder. He said this would be fully proven by the commonwealth.

PADUCAHANS HONORED.

Louisville, April 10.—The Grand Lodge, Knights of Honor, yesterday afternoon elected W. O. Freeman, of Louisville, grand dictator; John U. Robinson, of Paducah, assistant grand dictator, and E. G. Boone, Paducah, representative to supreme lodge.

SUES FOR HEAVY DAMAGES.

Madisonville, April 10.—The Monarch Mining Co. has filed suit for \$100,000 against the operators and miners in the Union mines on the Illinois Central road on a charge of conspiracy to injure the company's business by organizing miners' unions.

DEAF MAN KILLED.

Ashland, April 10.—Harrison Heron, deaf and almost blind, was killed here by a C. and O. train.

BIG STOCK YARDS

INCORPORATED.

Louisville, April 10.—The Central stock yards have decided to incorporate for \$500,000 to fight the Bourbon stock yards company.

COMBINATION OF BRICK MEN.

Louisville, April 10.—All the brick manufacturers of Louisville will form a combination with \$1,000,000 capital.

TO FIGHT ON DERBY NIGHT.

Louisville, April 10.—Dave Sullivan, of New York, and Jack McClelland, of Pittsburg, will fight here on Derby night.

QUARANTINE ORDERED.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 10.—The board of health has established a quarantine against Guthrie on account of smallpox.

FOR ODD FELLOWS' DAY.

MILITARY COMPANY BEING ORGANIZED AT MOUND CITY, ILL.

Cairo, Ill., April 10.—Captain Harry F. Ets is taking steps to organize a military company at Mound City to join the Fourth regiment. It will be known as company K. It is hoped to have the company organized and equipped on time for the Odd Fellows' celebration there on April 26.

MEMPHIS RACES.

ROYAL VICTOR WON THE TENNESSEE DERBY YESTERDAY.

Memphis, April 9.—The biggest derby in the history of the club was run yesterday afternoon, won by Royal Victor, with Lady Schorr second and Gahens third. The course was one mile and an eighth and the derby is worth about \$6,000 to the winner.

The first derby was won by Ten Strike, a son of Ten Broeck; the second by Joe Cotton, who afterward won the Kentucky derby; Jim Grey won the third. In 1887-88-89 no race was scheduled, and over the shortened distance in 1890 Robespierre won. Then came Valleria, Tom Elliott, Calhoun, Jamboree, Fandango, Berclair, Bockvidere, beating Typhoon II. and Algo.

Then came a change, and the winner was true to previous form with Lieber Karl in 1898 and May Hempstead in 1899, but in 1900 Florizor ranked as a practical outsider.

CARNIVAL NOTES.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE DOING GOOD WORK IN

Securing Reduced Rates—The Flower Parade Committee Greatly Encouraged—Booths Rapidly Taken

The executive committee of the Elks held a meeting last evening and heard favorable reports from all quarters on the carnival.

The transportation committee has secured a rate of one and one-third are on all railroads for the carnival week, with special rates on two separate days, all tickets being good for two days.

The contract for building the arch was let to Mr. Ellis Bour, and work will begin on it as soon as possible.

Booth space is going rapidly and will probably all be disposed of by Saturday. Work on the booths will begin about the 25th inst.

The flower parade committee is one of the most enthusiastic on the list, and the parade will be simply gorgeous. All the owners of stylish vehicles in the city will participate, and a great deal of interest will be taken in it.

The carnival buttons will arrive on the 15th inst, and there will be a large supply of them.

The paper for advertising the carnival has nearly all arrived, and the advertising committee is putting it out as rapidly as possible.

The Elks last night secured the necessary street concessions from the council, and everything is now clear sailing until the beginning of the carnival.

FATHER DIED

DR. L. G. GRAHAM CALLED TO MADISONVILLE LAST EVENING.

Dr. L. G. Graham, of Massac left for Madisonville, Ky., yesterday in answer to a summons stating that his father was very ill. Soon after his departure another telegram arrived stating that his father had died.

The Paducah Coopers company, of which Mr. Hollingshead is manager, paid off 200 employees last evening, amounting to about \$4,000. The concern started up six weeks ago and pays off every two weeks. It is expected to increase the number of employees to 350 in the course of a few months.

JUDGE SPENCE

A Well Known Citizen of Paducah Dies From Paralysis and Old Age.

SERVED AS COUNTY JUDGE

Death of Mrs. Martha Lewis, at Rossington, From General Debility.

THE MORTUARY RECORD FOR TODAY

Former County Judge James Spence died at 4:30 o'clock this morning at his home on Eighth and Jones streets from paralysis, after a long illness. He recently returned from a visit to his son in McLean county, Ky., in a helpless condition, and several days ago life began to gradually ebb until death relieved him this morning.

The deceased was born May 16, 1825, in North Carolina, and in 1830 moved to Tennessee with his parents. He was the son of Mr. Levi Spence, and coming to this county in 1840, for 25 years taught school.

He came to Paducah in 1864, and was elected county clerk for three terms, serving 12 years. He was deputy clerk under W. T. Nichols for eight years. He served four years as county judge, and for several years was trustee of the jury fund.

For the past five years he was in no business, but secured considerable work writing deeds and mortgages and searching titles of land in County Clerk Graham's office. He leaves a wife, two sons living, M. G. Spence, of Oklahoma City, and W. L. Spence, of McLean county, Ky., and one daughter, Miss Flossie Spence.

The deceased was one of Paducah's best known citizens, and his death will be regretted by a large circle of friends.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house, services by Rev. G. W. Briggs, interment at Mt. Kenton.

Mrs. Martha Lewis, aged 84, died at her home in Rossington last night from general debility. She was one of the pioneer settlers of this county, and her husband died a year or two ago, since which her health had been gradually failing. She leaves two daughters and one son, the latter Dick Lewis, formerly postmaster at Ragland, this county.

She leaves a number of relatives in the city.

The funeral will take place at New Liberty today.

Mr. F. M. Scott, aged 78, died from general debility at his home near Mt. Zion, leaving a son and six daughters. The burial took place today.

Bunk Campbell, aged 41, died this morning at 1425 North Tenth street. The burial will take place tomorrow morning.

The remains of the late Mr. Scott Ramey, of Mechanicsburg, who died of consumption at Carbondale, Ill., aged 23, were buried at Oak Grove yesterday afternoon.

A NEW SENATOR.

State Senator McD. Ferguson and wife are parents of a fine boy baby, born last night. He has been named McD. Jr.

PRESBYTERY ADJOURNS.

SESSION AT MAYFIELD ENDED YESTERDAY.

Elder N. B. Barnett was excused from the office of stated clerk, of the Mayfield presbytery yesterday and Rev. J. C. Reid, of Paducah, elected in his stead. The name of Licentiate A. M. Ragsdale was dropped from the roll for his ignoring the standing rules of the presbytery. The name of Rev. Mr. Joiner, of Princeton presbytery, was enrolled as a member of the presbytery.

Dr. Darby delivered a very fine lecture on "An Educated Ministry." A very excellent address was delivered by Prof. Thos. E. Bates, A. M. president of Auburn seminary, of Auburn, Ky., on the same subject.

A proposition came before the presbytery to group the churches of Mayfield presbytery into pastorates, which was voted down.

After reports from a number of committees Dr. Darby, of Evansville, Ind., delivered an address on the College Endowment Fund. The presbytery then adjourned at 10 o'clock p. m. until its next meeting in October.

NINE SUNK.

THE WASH HONSHELL LOSES HER TOW AT PECKENPAUGH'S

Landing—Struck the Bank and Eight Barges of Coal and One of Steel Sank.

The Wash Honshell, which passed down last evening for Cairo with a tow of ties, met with a costly disaster at Peckenpaugh's Landing, sixty-five miles below Louisville on her way down.

She had in tow eight barges of coal and one of steel from Pittsburg for New Orleans.

At the landing she struck the bank and lost her tow, all nine of the barges sinking.

The loss cannot at present be approximated, but it will be several thousand dollars.

She picked up a tow of ties and came on down, the boat escaping injury from the accident.

TOBACCO MARKET.

SALES GOOD AND PRICES SATISFACTORY THIS WEEK.

The tobacco market in Mayfield was fairly strong. One hundred hogsheds were offered. The sales were fairly good and the prices about the same as the Paducah market. Many tobaccoists from Paducah were present at the sale.

The local tobacco market from the report of the Western District Warehouse company, was medium with the exception of common lugs. The prices were about the same as last week for the same grades of tobacco. The highest price offered was 8½¢.

The range of prices on leaf was from 6 to 8½¢ and on lugs from 4 to 5¢.

The offerings were 47 hogsheds and the sales about 35. The rejections have not yet been made out.

Farmer & Co have their sales today and Gilbert & Weldon tomorrow morning. The following tobacco men from nearby cities are in the city attending the sales: J. B. Lewis and Enoch Browder, Fulton; C. W. Atkins, Crossland; W. S. Griffith, Benton; W. H. Smith, Lamont; William McNutt, Louisville, and C. V. Ezell, of Mayfield.

Evening Sun only 10 cents a week.

PEACE MADE

Aguinaldo Signs the Paper After Objecting to Two of the Clauses.

MORE SURRENDERS TODAY

Natives Who Distrust Aguinaldo, do Not Like the Privileges Accorded Him.

DEPOSED DICTATOR BUYS DIAMONDS

Manila, April 9.—Aguinaldo today signed the peace manifesto, after vainly objecting to two clauses. There were several other surrenders today.

Gen. MacArthur says it is impossible to make a statement concerning Aguinaldo now. It is possible that Aguinaldo will soon be removed from the Malacanang Palace to a large house with pleasant grounds, No. 56 General Solano street, a fashionable quarter of the city, beside the Pasig river, which is being renovated and prepared for occupancy.

Aguinaldo is purchasing diamonds and other jewelry. He continues to receive certain visitors, but newspaper correspondents are excluded.

It appears that the majority of the Filipinos in Manila distrust Aguinaldo and dislike to see him accord special favors. They say he ought to be severely punished.

Gen. Sandico, a former member of Aguinaldo's cabinet, has surrendered to the American authorities at Cabanatuan, in the province of New Ecija. He has a bad record and may be tried.

WHEN CIVIL GOVERNMENT BEGINS.

Washington, April 9.—The news from Manila regarding the establishment of civil government is in accord with information already made public there that the new Philippine civil government will be established about July 1.

Immediately upon the passage of the army appropriation bill the entire Spooner amendment was cabled to the Taft commission and the commission was directed to prepare a plan for the government of the islands in accordance with the law. This plan has not been yet completed, but it is expected to be about the time of the return of the commission to Manila, and it will be cabled here for approval or amendment.

TO PROTECT GAME.

ASSOCIATION FORMED AT HOPKINSVILLE TO PROTECT GAME AND FISH.

A number of Hopkinsville's good citizens have formed a game protective association, with a large membership.

Its principal objects are declared to be "the preservation and propagation of game and game fishes, of song and insectivorous birds and of forests; the education of men, women and children to a love of nature and nature's works; to a proper respect of game laws and to a proper abhorrence of the custom so prevalent today among men and boys of killing every living thing found in the woods, for the mere sake of killing;" also "the restocking of game fields and public waters."

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