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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

STRIKE IS OVER

The Miners Were Successful In Their Demands at Central City.

HAVE RETURNED TO WORK

King Humbert's Assassin Is a Raving Maniac From Treatment of Jailers.

CASES CONTINUED AT FRANKFORT

Central City, Ky., April 24.—The 200 miners employed by the Central Coal and Iron company [returned to work today, their contention having been won.

The strike was purely local, and did not affect but one of the seven mines. The strike was caused by the refusal of the company to discharge four men who refused to pay assessments to keep up the Hopkins county strikers. The 200 other miners claimed that the four miners, by their refusal, proved themselves "scabs."

ASSASSIN IS CRAZY.

Rome, April 24.—Bresci, the assassin of King Humbert, is said to be a raving maniac from the horrible tortures of his jailers.

CASE CONTINUED.

Frankfort, April 24.—All the suits of minor state officials under Gov. W. S. Taylor against Auditor Conter for salaries except that of S. R. Hemphill, Powers' secretary.

In this case the court held no cause of action, indicating that all will be quashed.

LOST RAFT.

DISASTROUS ACCIDENT AT MOUTH OF CLARK'S RIVER YESTERDAY.

Yesterday afternoon late W. D. Oquin and John Tanksley, of Tennessee, were coming towards Paducah on two huge rafts.

Oquin was in front with 300 logs, and Tanksley was coming along in the rear with a still larger raft. All the logs had been sold to the Langstaff-Orme Co.

At "Plum Orchard," near the mouth of Clark's river, Oquin landed, and Tanksley's raft collided with that of the former, breaking it up and setting the logs, valued at \$500, adrift.

Most of them were saved or will be caught below, but Tanksley declined to make good the damage, and Oquin this afternoon filed suit in Justice Barber's court for \$100 damages, through Attorney W. V. Eaton.

BUFFALO BARBECUE.

MEMBERS OF THE CLAN PREPARING FOR A BIG TIME AT LOVELACEVILLE.

Mayor Tom Stahl, of "Pinhook," Ballard county, is in the city today inviting local "Buffaloes" to a big Buffalo barbecue to be given at Lovelaceville Saturday. It is to be quite an event, and Mr. Ben Weillo, of the city, will attend, and try to get up a party to go with him.

Thirty-two feet on gauge this morning, a rise of one foot eight tenths since yesterday morning.

WED IN SECRET

Mr. Robert Bonnin and Miss Lottie Odell Claim to Have Been Married

APRIL 3 AT METROPOLIS

They Left Today to Join The Pawnee Bill Wild West Show—Other Weddings Today.

TWO MARRIAGES IN THE COUNTY

Mr. Robert Bonnin and Miss Lottie Odell left on the noon train for Litchfield, Ill., to join the Pawnee Bill Wild West show. They informed a Sun reporter that they were married on April 3, in Metropolis and had kept the marriage a secret so as to spring a surprise on their friends when they left the city.

Mr. Bonnin is the son of Mrs. Kate Bonnin, of 521 Washington street. He was for several years a member of the Central fire department but for the past several months has been employed in the blacksmith shop of Mr. A. W. Greif.

Miss Odell came from the west, near Denver, Col., and was one of the women rough riders in the Buckskin Bill Wild West.

Mr. George Allen and bride, who was Miss Bessie Lampman, returned from Metropolis today. They were married there last evening.

Mr. Conrad Beyer and Miss Nannie Schmidt, of the county, were married at the home of the bride last night.

Mr. Chas. Crael and Miss Emma Hille left today for Cairo, where they are to be married, as previously announced, and visit relatives for several days.

Mr. J. W. Radford, sheriff of Calloway county, and Miss Sallie Howard were married at Murray Monday.

Mr. M. M. Coulson and Miss Inez Street will be married tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride on Fountain avenue, Rev. G. W. Briggs officiating.

Marriage license was issued today to Mr. John Zaller, a well known blacksmith, and Miss Teresa Peacock, of Chicago. The marriage will take place today.

DESPONDENT YOUNG WIFE.

MRS. W. F. HARRIS TOOK MORPHINE WITH SUICIDAL INTENT.

Mrs. W. F. Harris, aged 17, attempted suicide yesterday afternoon by taking a dose of morphine about 5 o'clock at the home of her mother, 1025 South Fifth street.

Dr. Troutman, after hard work, got her out of danger. She was formerly a Miss Stephens, and married Mr. Harris, who is 55 years old and a blacksmith, only a few months ago.

Recently he left her and had the furniture seized and carted away from the house in which they resided, on Norton street near Fifth. She returned to her mother, and says she has tried to induce her husband to return and live with her but he refuses, and there is no further happiness for her in this life.

FLAGMAN KILLED

Hugh Lucas, of the Illinois Central, Found Dead in a Pond Near Grafton Tank.

THREE SHOTS WERE HEARD

Dead Man Lived at Wingo, Ky.—Supposed to Have Been Killed by Tramps.

NO CLUE TO THE MURDERERS

News of a dastardly assassination reached the city at noon today.

Hugh Lucas, an Illinois Central flagman, of Wingo, Ky., was found murdered down near Grafton tank, not far from Bardwell.

According to reports Lucas was out flagging his train last night and three pistol shots were heard.

A short time afterward he was missed, and a search instituted for him. His body was found in a pond at the side of the railroad track. It is supposed he was murdered and his body thrown there by tramps.

Lucas was quite well known here, especially among the railroad men.

A delegation from the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen left this afternoon to take charge of the remains and take them to Wingo.

The deceased was a son of Mr. Edward Lucas, of Wingo, and was about 23 years old.

He was not a relative of Mr. Ed Lucas, of this county.

He had a freight run to Mound, Ill.

COMPLICATION OF DISEASES

MR. T. G. JONES, A WELL KNOWN CITIZEN, DIES AT HIS HOME

On North Third Street—He Was Forty-Two Years Old and Unmarried—Funeral at Three O'clock Tomorrow

Mr. Thomas G. Jones, the well known hardware merchant, a son of the late Mr. E. T. Jones, died at his mother's residence, 330 North Third street, at 12:30 o'clock last night from a complication of diseases after a long illness. The deceased leaves a mother, Mrs. M. E. Jones, a brother, Mr. Frank H. Jones and a sister, Miss Fannie E. Jones, all residents of Paducah. He was one of the firm of Jones Bros., dealers in hardware, at Second and Court, and a member of the First Presbyterian church. He was 42 years of age and unmarried.

The funeral will be conducted by Rev. W. E. Cave, at the family residence, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery. The deceased lived a very quiet and studious life and was beloved by many friends and relatives who mourn his loss.

LEAVES A FAMILY.

Mrs. J. F. Dowdy, aged 48, died at her home on the Mayfield road this morning from a complication, leaving a husband and seven children. The funeral will take place in the morning.

—Pure drugs a guarantee at Soule's. 12ftf

TROUBLE IS OVER

General Salas and Officers Surrender to the U. S. Troops at Manila.

ARMY WILL FOLLOW SUIT

Prof. Weltner Throws Himself on the Mercy of the Court at Nevada, Mo.

SEVERAL CUBANS VISIT WASHINGTON

Manila, April 24.—Gen. Salas and his officers have surrendered, and his army [will surrender immediately in Viscayas. This terminates the insurrection.

It is thought, however, that the United States will be unable for some time to come to materially reduce its force in the Philippines. This is the opinion of Brigadier-General James R. Campbell, who recently returned from Manila. Gen. Campbell adds that although a large force will have little to do in the islands after civic rule has been established and there is no danger of another insurrection, it will not do to reduce the force for some time to show that the administration intends to uphold the civic authorities and to protect the people from brigands. In a year from now 25,000 soldiers will be able to garrison the entire archipelago, but at the present time it is advisable to maintain a comparatively large force.

MAGNETIC HEALER CONFESSES

Nevada, Mo., April 24.—Prof. Weltner, at the head of the Weltner Magnetic Healing Institution, today pleaded guilty to using the United States mails to defraud, and threw himself on the mercy of the court.

CUBANS AT THE CAPITAL.

Washington, April 24.—The Cuban constitutional convention committee is here, and is being shown over the city by General Wood.

THE WORST PAST.

Cincinnati, April 24.—The river is rising slowly, but the worst is considered past.

ROBBERS NOT CAPTURED.

Memphis, April 24.—The police and detectives are hard at work after the robbers who held up a Choctaw train, but have not yet made any capture.

SUPREME COURT

ADJOURNS MAY 27.

Washington, April 23.—In the United States supreme court today Chief Justice Fuller announced the final adjournment of the court for the term on the 27th of May. The call on the docket will be suspended next Friday and the court will take a recess next Monday until May 13. No intimation has been given by the court as to when the decision of the insular cases may be expected, or whether they will be decided at all before final adjournment.

MR. FOWLER GOES TO BUFFALO

Mr. Saunders Fowler has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., to look after the new shaft ordered for the steamer Dick Fowler. The shaft is to be made there and will probably not be here for a week or two yet.

—The supervisors will probably finish the city tax books today.

TRAIN HELD UP

Seven Masked Men Take Possession of a Choctaw Train Near Little Rock.

GOT \$4,000 IN COLD CASH

Shot Porter Gould and Badly Beat Up Express Messenger Meadows, Who Defied Them.

BLOODHOUNDS ARE ON THE TRAIL.

Little Rock, April 23.—Seven masked robbers held up the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Western train at Bridge Junction, near here, at 12 o'clock last night.

When the train reached the crossing, the seven men appeared. All had handkerchiefs tied over their faces. Two climbed onto the engine and compelled the engineer to stop. They uncoupled the engine and express car and forced the crew to take the cars down the road a mile from the bridge crossing. When they arrived at an isolated point they put out the headlight and the balance of the crew of highwaymen began work on the express train.

They tried to force Express Messenger Meadows to open the safe, but he refused to do so. The robbers, who were all masked, immediately set upon him and he was badly bruised. The colored train porter, whose name is Gould, who interfered, was also shot, and fatally hurt.

The robbers, when they entered the express car, immediately started to do business.

They blew open the safe with nitroglycerine and secured \$4,000 in cash. All the participants were white men, and it is supposed that they had their headquarters in Memphis.

The train was in charge of Conductor Nelson, one of the oldest employes of the road, and Engineer Johnson. Messenger Meadows was in charge of the car. The negro porter, Gould, was shot fatally. The train was delayed about twenty minutes.

No one has yet been arrested, but bloodhounds are on the trail.

MARRIED AT MAYFIELD.

MR. CHAS. PARHAM, A PADUCAH BOY, WEDS MISS SARA FOSTER.

Mr. Chas. H. Parham, formerly of Paducah, and Miss Sara G. Foster, of Mayfield, were married at Mayfield last evening at 6 o'clock.

Mr. Parham is a brother of Mrs. Hall, of the Southern Hotel, and is clerk there. His bride is daughter of Mr. R. E. Foster, a well known grocer.

They left for a trip south, and will be at home at the Southern Hotel after May 1.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD.

Mrs. S. E. Colley, who was well known to a great many of the people of Graves county, died a few days ago in Hickman county, and was buried at the Colley graveyard, near Cuba. Mrs. Colley was one of the oldest settlers in Graves county, locating there in 1855. She was born and reared in Christian county.

—The fine horses purchased by Mayor Lang and Lockup Keeper Menifee arrived today on the New South.