

SABIN GOES UP

From Saturday's daily.

Mr. A. T. Sabin, formerly with the I. C. railroad, has been appointed chief engineer of the L. and N. railroad. Mr. Sabin was former roadmaster here and was also at one time engineer of construction of the Illinois Central with headquarters at Memphis. He has many friends here who will be glad to learn of his promotion. The L. & N. has brought what is known as the Louisville and Atlantic road, and will complete the road to Beattyville at once. Mr. Sabin has been assigned to this work and will have the work completed by January 1, 1903. When the road is finished it will open up vast timber lands and will also be of much convenience to other roads in making connections.

Mr. J. R. Kelley went to Evansville this morning to accept a position with the Illinois Central as a car inspector.

Mr. Richard Morgan, formerly Roadmaster at Memphis, and family passed through the city last night en route to Mississippi where Mr. Morgan is superintendent of the Gulf and Ship Island road. He was formerly superintendent of this division of the road and has many friends here.

The engine wrecked night before last at Trimble has been brought into this city for repairs. The caboose on section No. 1 caught fire and was completely destroyed. The cab of the engine on number 2 caught and was also consumed. The smoke stack was torn from its fastenings and the engine badly burned all over. The damage, however, will be light and will amount to only about \$250.

Mr. L. A. Washington left for the south last night to accept the position of roadmaster of the Gulf and Ship Island road. He resigned his position as engineer of construction of this division several weeks ago to accept the position with the southern road. No body has yet been appointed to the vacancy caused by Mr. Washington's resignation.

Mr. Bell V. Given, of the master mechanic's office, will go to Chicago tonight on special business pertaining to the road.

The Gulf and Ship Island road is gaining much prominence. Many experienced employees of the L. C. from both the local and Louisville divisions have accepted positions with that road.

From Monday's daily.

According to the Fulton Leader, on July 1 the Illinois Central railroad will begin to readjust all the southern divisions. The following are the changes that probably will be made: Supt. W. S. King will have his headquarters in Fulton and will occupy an office in the new general offices now being erected on the site of the old depot. Other division officials who will be moved there from Jackson and occupy offices in the building will be Roadmaster P. Ladd, Bridge Supervisor G. M. Hubbard, Trainmaster E. P. Russell and the train dispatchers now located at Jackson. The trainmaster and train dispatchers from Memphis will also occupy offices in the building, headquarters at Fulton. It is said that Supt. W. S. King's territory will be considerably enlarged and that he will have charge of the Jackson division, East Cairo to Water Valley and also the Memphis division from Paducah to Memphis. It is said Supt. A. Phibbrick of the present Memphis division will be made superintendent from Memphis to Canton, Miss.

It is rumored that a well known I. C. engineer and a prominent young lady of Dyersburg will wed about July 1.

Mr. M. M. Hewitt, the local Illinois Central store keeper, returned from Louisville this morning after attending the funeral of Mrs. Adeline Hewitt, his grandmother.

WILL NOT ACCEPT.

Mr. McKinley Says He Will Not Be a Candidate For a Third Term.



President McKinley's latest photograph, caught while he was in his favorite pose, and whom leading Republicans suggested as the most popular candidate in the next National Campaign. But Mr. McKinley declines the honor.

Observations ...at Random

Mr. H. J. Foppe, of the Rhodes-Burford Company, heard a dreadful noise in one side of the establishment an afternoon or two ago. It sounded as if some German comedian was lumbering along in a pair of wooden shoes. When he reached a position where he could observe the cause of the racket he was amazed to see a big muley cow complacently promenading down the aisles between the long line of furniture.

She gazed curiously to the right and left, serenely chewed her cud, and did not appear to be in the least alarmed over her encroachment.

The gentlemen in the store remembered the old story about the bull in the china shop, and were afraid to eject the bovine for fear of creating a rough house. She proceeded unmolested up the line the employees breathlessly watching her to see what she would do next. And after inspecting the front of the house, went on out the front door.

They learned that she had entered through the Court street side, and finding no one to say her nay, concluded to complete her tour, and did it.

Another story of a muley cow is told by the members of Dean's band. There is a cow near Tenth and Clay streets that seems to be greatly excited every time the band comes along. Several times as the band has marched past she runs out into the streets, jaws viciously and bellows frantically and even makes an occasional rush at the members, often causing them to break ranks and flee to a place of safety. Prof. Dean has never learned why she has it in for the band, but if she isn't corralled pretty soon the band will have to choose a different route when it marches to the cemetery.

An interesting spectacle is witnessed every morning near the city hall. An old man who seems to be an invalid meets his three children out front and they take long walks together. He buys them candy and fruit, and the little folks seem to enjoy it very much. They seem very fond of him, and his devotion to them has attracted the attention of everyone about police headquar-

ters. We venture they will prove something worth reading, and bright into edifying.

There is no necessity in anyone becoming alarmed at the action of the Baptist Ministers at Murray last week in reference to divorces. The Baptist ministers have held practically the same view heretofore, and one said yesterday: "The action of the association had no special significance. It leaves every minister to do just as he pleases, as before, but I do not know of any Baptist ministers, anyway, who would marry a divorced person unless the divorce were obtained on Scriptural grounds."

There is no one quite so funny as the unconscious wits of the rural press. Here are a few scraps of the Brookport Eagle's special correspondence:

Mr. Neftzger and son Jess, made a flying trip to Paducah last Friday, and purchased a new buggy. Look out girls.

Jasper Jurrode made a flying trip to Paducah, one day last week and purchased a new buggy.

Why not wash your feet in Charlie Mitchell's new bath tub?

Frank St John had the cramps Tuesday.

Dr. S. S. Doherty returned from Central, Ill., where he had a position fooling people.

Don't forget the new bath tub at the I. C. barber shop.

A Ben Herr Lodge was organized Tuesday night with eighteen members.

We are having some good rains which are good for the growing crops. Eddie McBride and Miss Mina Rixie were riding around Sunday evening.

John Black went to Metropolis Wednesday to load up ties and give them room to fight.

Hugh Wilson has purchased a fine cow from Mrs. Jane Chalk.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharp and Grandpa Sharp and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were callers at J. W. Sharp's Sunday.

Felix Dillard and Miss Florence Morefield were out driving Sunday evening.

A great many of our people went fishing last Sunday.

Miss Ada Matthews was a pleasant caller on Misses True and Vida Bagley Sunday.

Grant Rankin is building a new house here.

Here is a snake story from the Benton Tribune. One of the hired hands on the farm of Mr. Smith, the hotel man, was plowing in the field the other day, and among the other things he had with him was a water jug, which was placed in a furrow with dirt all around it to keep it cool, leaving the handle of the jug uncovered.

Upon going to get a drink sometime afterwards the hand found a man-made chicken snake fastened in the handle of the jug, with a large frog on either side of the handle of the jug which the snake had swallowed, thus keeping him from going backwards or forwards. It is supposed that the first frog, pursued a second to the jug and when it made its strike ran its head through the handle of the jug, thus fastening itself so tight that the man had to break the jug to get the snake loose.

This may sound a little snaky to some as it does to us, but if you don't believe it just ask the hotel man about it. There is nothing too strange to happen these days.

A member of the night police force and a newspaper reporter were the principals in an exciting experience several nights ago. The officer had caught onto a mystery in the shape of a newly-made grave back of the cemetery. When the grave was first discovered inquiry was made but nothing was learned and nobody seemed to know anything about it. The sexton of the graveyard was requested to procure the necessary implements and have the grave re-opened. He took no stock in the story about that somebody had been murdered and buried there and consequently refused to open the grave. The official, however, was not so easily discouraged, and was determined to see the thing through, so the night following the discovery he started out, accompanied by the reporter, both supplied with picks, shovels and lanterns, to do the excavating themselves. They arrived at their destination about 9 o'clock and immediately began work. They toiled for more than an hour before they met with any success, but at length their shovels struck something hard, which proved to be a wooden box. The thing was getting interesting as well as exciting and they increased speed and soon had the box above ground. Attacking the lid with renewed energy they were rewarded by the satisfaction of seeing the opening removed and in the box a dog. The gentlemen did not faint when they realized the extent of the sell, but the next time they go out on another such wild goose chase will not be soon.

A certain young man of the city has recently begun writing to his "best girl" on the typewriter. This has caused some wonderment, but at last a bright person offered what seems a reasonable explanation of a proceeding so unusual. This is the day of the publication of love letters, and the young man with an eye to a probable demand for his own effusions, is already arranging them in manu-

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There is joy among the cows of San Francisco. Eighteen hundred butchers are on a strike.

"You'll have to hurry," is the watchword of some of the gang at Frankfort. They are announcing for state office rather early.

A Topeka, bank cashier committed suicide because a shortage of \$5,000 was discovered. Cashiers ought to make good newspaper managers. They always collect in advance.

A Henderson county man has been sentenced to twelve days in jail for stealing a fine bird dog. If the dog was worth what the owner claimed, there are doubtless a great many thieves who would like to steal about a car load at that price.

Emilio Zurbana has proclaimed himself Aguinaldo's successor in the Philippines. When he starts his spectacular performance he is liable to find himself in about the same fix that his predecessor is in now. Emilio is a poor joker.

The Sultan of Turkey has made another promise to pay his little bill to Uncle Sam. The minister has so notified the government, but does not state his reasons for predicting such unprecedented honesty on part of the wily sultan.

The town cow seems to still be in the lead. With one audacious animal running at large in a business house, another following brass bands, and another making life interesting for the small boy, it is evident the police are looking for bigger game than town cows despite the mayor's recent edict.

A Chicago boy was ordered by a court taken from his parents because they had treated his sprained ankle with the Christian Science tomfoolery and his leg shrank until it was much shorter than it really ought to be. The victim in this case reversed the usual order. In most cases the leg is pulled until it is abnormally long.

The Cuban constitutional convention has declined to reconsider its action on the Platt amendment, but will probably adopt a substitute embodying the amendment as passed by congress. The Cubans think there are more ways than one to kill a dog, and the United States doesn't care particularly, so long as the dog is killed.

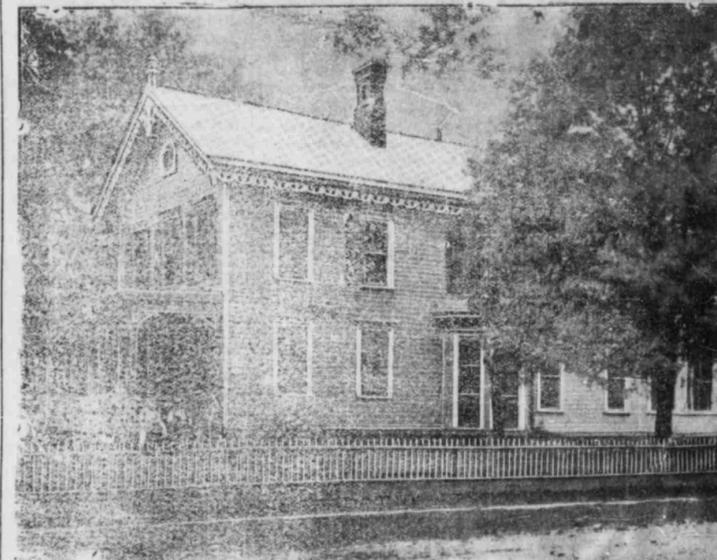
The latest official life insurance statistics show that in 1890 the amounts distributed in \$200 cities of United States and Canada was \$73,590,876. One hundred and sixty-seven cities received more than \$100,000 each, and nineteen cities more than \$1,000,000 each. The amount paid out in southern states shows an encouraging increase, the payments being \$20,500,000, one million more than the preceding year.

Dr. Alexander Dowie has advanced a peg or two. A few days ago he was certain he was Elijah II, but now he is certain. He called a meeting of his elders, overseers, deaconesses and whatnot, and by a vote of 249 to 5 it was decided that he was Elijah II, but now he is certain. After deciding to live until Christ comes again, and firing two of the obstreperous elders who voted their doubts, the meeting adjourned. If Dowie is any Biblical character at all, he is of the genus that made Balaam famous.

The Democratic press has begun to ascribe President McKinley's denial of any desire to serve a third term as president to "politics." They want to make it appear that while he officially and formally disclaims any intention to run again, he really would not be averse to it. Those who know President McKinley fully realize that this is not his way of doing things, and the reason he noticed the rumor at all, and took the trouble to public-

HOPE HOVERS O'ER UNHAPPY HOME.

The McKinley Residence at Canton, Ohio, Where Contentment May Yet Be Enjoyed.



This is an exact representation of the cozy home of President and Mrs. McKinley, where they have spent the most enjoyable days of their lives and to which they hope to return when public cares have been cast aside.

ly express his views, according to men high in administration circles, was that he wanted the public mind cleared instantly of even the suspicion that it was his desire or intention to seek or accept a third term nomination, and thus destroy at its inception the consequent antagonism that might confront the administration in the disposition of paramount questions now before the people, or which might hereafter arise. The denial is clear, dignified, and in every way characteristic of the man. While the Republican party must needs bow in deference to the president's will, it is nevertheless the opinion of many of the party leaders that there is nothing wrong in a man's being nominated for a third term if the leaders choose to nominate him, and nothing wrong in serving a third term if the people want, and elect him. It is a matter, however, governed entirely by individual opinion.

Origin of the Dollar. Previous to July 6, 1785, the English pound was in use. On that date the continental congress established the dollar, although the exact weight was not fixed until Aug. 8, 1786, when it was made to equal about half that of the old Spanish dollar. The dollar, however, did not originate with the Spanish, but was first coined at Joachimthal, a mining town of Bohemia.—Golden Hours.

"The United States government, through the fish commission, has made possible some fine sport in western streams," says Mr. F. J. Cannon of Idaho. "A number of streams that were formerly almost entirely without fish inhabitants have been stocked with trout, and amply protected as they are by the law, their number is rapidly multiplying."

Stock-Dealing for Customers. Buying and selling stocks for customers on a margin becomes a rather ticklish business under the verdict of a jury in the Superior court at Worcester, Mass., holding a broker responsible for any losses in cases where the stock is not actually bought or sold and delivered. If this verdict is sustained by the higher courts it will inevitably have an effect to revolutionize the business as it is at present conducted.

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AN HONOR TO PADUCAH.

Will Be The New Home Of The Friendless Building.

A building that promises to be something to which Paducahans can point with a "righteous pride" is the new Home of the Friendless, soon to be begun on the corner of Fourteenth and Burnett streets. The plan is so perfect in detail, attractive in architecture and commodious withal, that the word "Home" is emphasized, while "Friendless" seems a veritable mis-nomer, as no one could feel utterly friendless who has a resting place within its walls.

The building will be a brick, two story, with attic and basement, and is very citylike in its general effect. Within there is every comfort and convenience that the private home would demand. On the first floor are reception room and homekeeper's room on each side of the entrance, a beautiful large dining room and a similar play room, lavatory, kitchen, store room, pantry, etc., all most attractively arranged. The second floor contains the matron's room, three large dormitories, with bath rooms attached, for the women, boys, and children respectively, large corridors and back hall. The hospital is also on the second floor, but shut off from the rest of the house. In the basement are the furnace and the laundry room. Everywhere are the most modern and sanitary conveniences. Large back and side porches with balconies above furnish plenty of outdoor life for the inmates. There is nothing ornate or of the "zimecrack style" about the architecture. It is massive, solid, stately and enduring, and will be a credit to the city when finished. Mr. Wm. L. Brainerd is the architect.

The ladies constituting the Board of the Home have been untiring in their labors for the new home, and their hearts are very much in it. They have been ably assisted in their good work by the men's Advisory Committee. Every citizen should desire to be a stockholder, and doubtless will when they realize all the new home it to be.

The board has just received a most generous out-of-town contribution. Mr. Fred Fleming, the former Livingston county boy, who has recently "struck oil" in Beaumont, Texas, sent one of the ladies of the board a check for \$100 for the new home. Mr. Fleming has many friends in Paducah and he remembers the place with interest. It is needless to say that his noble gift is highly appreciated.

begins to carbonate or decompose and a yellow serum escapes. The germ is about one-twenty-fifth of an inch in length. The only way to save cattle is to inoculate them beforehand.

OIL IN TENNESSEE. There is considerable excitement about oil in Tennessee, and the Fulton Leader says that there is every indication of oil under Fulton, Obion and Lake counties, which will soon be thoroughly investigated.

SUITS FOR DIVORCE. Mrs. Lizzie Augustus has filed suit in circuit court against David Augustus for divorce and the custody of Adam, their three year old child. She alleges cruel treatment and non-support.

Cora Blizard sues George D. Blizard for divorce on the grounds of alleged cruel treatment and abandonment and asks for a restoration to her maiden name Cora Johnson, and the custody of their four year old son, Roy.

Raising Locomotive from Canal. A locomotive recently ran off a bridge over the St. Quentin canal near Paris, and fell into the water. It was found impossible to raise the locomotive, as the space was so confined, so divers passed chains around it, and these were attached to beams. The load was then raised by means of screw supports, blocking being introduced as the work proceeded to guard against a possible breakdown. The locomotive was lifted fourteen feet, so that a sand-laden barge could be run underneath. The engine was then lowered and taken away. Five days were consumed in doing the work.

Superstition Not Altogether Dead. Superstition is not altogether dead yet. A. M. Mackenzie writes to the Edinburgh Scotsman to say that in the Torrington district of the parish of Applecross, in Rosshire, there is still kept the skull of a suicide, which is used by persons suffering from certain diseases as a drinking cup. Patients go long distances to get leave to drink out of it, believing that this will cure them.

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THE LEADING LADY OF THE LAND



One of the latest photographs of Mrs. McKinley, taken before she was stricken with what may be her last illness.

MULTI-MILLIONAIRE MORGAN TO MIGRATE.

He Leases an English Abbey in Hertfordshire, England, Which He Will Use for a Summer Home.



ALDENHALL ABBEY, HERTS, ENGLAND, LEASED BY J. P. MORGAN. MAN ON EXTREME RIGHT HOLDING TORCH IS CHARLES VAN DER AALST, A SOUTH AFRICAN MILLIONAIRE WHO WAS A FORMER LESSEE OF THE ESTATE.

The New York Capitalist will, hereafter, vibrate between the United States and Europe, in order to keep in touch with the wealthy of both nations. The above delineation is from the latest photograph taken of Aldenhall Abbey, where Mr. Morgan will probably spend the major part of the coming summer.