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There never was a paper in any locality that gave all the news. It is often that some persons come or go that the editor does not see. It happens that a family is missed several times. They get the mistaken impression that the paper does not care to mention them. The paper has no ill feeling, no spite or enmity against anybody. Don't be afraid to give the news of interest. Perhaps you think the paper has shown partiality; but try and see if it doesn't treat you well if given a chance.

If you are going away on a visit or have a visitor in your home, please notify us; we will appreciate any assistance along this line.

WARNING TO THE PUBLIC.

[FROM ROSEDALE.]

Be not decieved a Cabinet Photo is a picture of an established size, the paper that a cabinet is made on is 5½ X 3⅞ inches and the card extra. You may be led to believe that a picture two by three is a Cabinet Photo; it is not. When I make a picture I call a Cabinet a Cabinet and when speaking of Horses I call a Horse a Horse. David Crockett said, "be sure you are right and then go ahead." I am still making Cabinet Photo Platino finish for one Dollar per doz.

Respectfully,
A. S. ROSEDALE.

BIGGEST GUN IN BALLARD.

Lee Allison killed twenty-one ducks at two shots last Saturday evening on Swan pond. The gun used in slaughtering these birds is none other than the property of E. P. Tomlin with which he (Mr. Tomlin) killed a duck flying a mile high last year.—Wickliffe Yeoman.

All the Pretty Girls

As well as the comeliest men realize the necessity of keeping the face and hands soft, velvety and white. Fortune's Almond & Witch-Hazel Cream is the best preparation on the market for such purpose. The quantity you get is twice as much and it goes four times further than any other preparation to be had for 25c. Try it once and you will use no other. For sale at Swayne's Drug Store and Cowgill & Cowgill.

MULE THIEF.

Officer Webb received word from Union City, Saturday night, that the authorities had under arrest a man by the name of Bob Rodgers upon the charge of stealing a mule. The mule belonged to Mr. B. F. Nance, of Graves county, and was taken from his wagon on the streets of Mayfield, last Friday.

JUDGE O'DOHERTY'S OPINION.

An opinion was rendered by Judge O'Doherty at Louisville Saturday in a case against the Sun Life Insurance company, a company that writes what is known as "industrial insurance," in which he held that the company was bound by the verbal agreement of their agents, even to waiving any of the printed clauses in the policy.

Asleep Amid Flames.

Breaking into a blazing home, some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives perfect pretection against all Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, it's guaranteed to satisfy by Cowgill & Cowgill. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

LIFE TENURE FOR JUDGES.

Indianapolis, Nov. 22.—An attempt will be made at the coming session of the Legislature to take the State courts entirely out of politics. Senator Athan A. Dausman, of Elkhart, has announced that he has prepared an amendment to the State Constitution providing that the Governor shall appoint the Judges of the Supreme, Appellate and Circuit Courts the appointments to be confirmed by the State Senate. The Judges' terms are to be subject to their good behavior.

Such a movement in Kentucky would receieve strong support. However the decisions of the United States courts, where the Judges are appointed, are about as much discredited on account of "politics" as where the Judges are elected.

METHODIST CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS.

Among the appointments for the ensuing year of the Methodist preachers of the Memphis Conference, in session last week at Paris, Tenn., are the following:

Presiding Elder Union City District—G. B. Beskerville. Elder Jenkins to the Brownsville District; W. ... lev to the Paris District; J. W. ... to the Lexington District; ... Blackard to the Jackson District.

Hickman Station—C. A. W...

Union City—W. J. Mccoy.

Circuit—R. M. Vaughn.

Cayce Circuit—S. F. W...

Crystal Mission—T. G. L...

Tiptonville—B. B. Thom...

Fulton—E. B. Ramsey.

Moscow Circuit—W. A. ...

Columbus—J. V. Freeman.

Water Valley—H. B. Terry.

Bardwell—P. H. Fields.

Barlow Circuit—R. E. L...

Clinton—E. H. Harris.

Mayfield—J. H. Roberts.

Milan—E. K. Bransford.

Huntingdon—W. Mooney.

Brownsville Circuit—R. M. P...

Jackson, First church—J. F...

Dyersburg—R. H. Mahon...

Ripley—W. C. Waters.

Fresh Meats

Always at Threlkeld's. ... prompt delivery. Telephone ...

MARRIED IN UNION CITY

Mr. Leslie DeMyers and Miss ... Knight of this city were united in marriage at the Palace hotel, Union City, at six o'clock Sunday evening by Rev. S. W. Kendrick of the Baptist church. The couple left Fulton at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon and returned at 10:30 this morning. Mr. DeMyers is a popular young man and is connected with M. F. DeMyers' jewelry establishment. His bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clark Adams and is a pretty and accomplished young lady.

The marriage was reported to have occurred the Sunday previous, but was an error. Mr. and Mrs. ... have rooms at Knight's h...

... child ... had croup in a violent form," says Elder John W. Rogers, a Christian Evangelist, of Filley, Mo. "I gave her a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and in a short time all danger was past and the child recovered." This remedy not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the first symptoms appear, will prevent the attack. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by Cowgill & Cowgill.

TOOK TOO MUCH TIME.

Henry Guy Carlton, whose stuttering is famous, tells a story of the late William Travers, whose stuttering is notorious. It is that Travers once got in the line at the window of a railroad depot and when his turn came, began:

"Gi-gi-give m-m me a ticket for—for—for—"

"Oh, get down to the foot of the line," impatiently yelled the busy ticket seller. "Perhaps by the time I've waited on the rest you'll know what you want."

Travers meekly retired, and when he reappeared at the window ten minutes later he said:

"Just s-s-send m-m-me by f-f-freight."

"What do you mean? Why do you say that?" asked the ticket seller.

"Well, you s-s-see," he explained, "I—c-c-can't express m-my myself."

A Startling Surprise.

Very few could believe in looking at A. T. Hoadley, a healthy, robust blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rheumatism as few could endure and live. But a wonderful change followed his taking Electric Bitters. "Two bottles wholly cured me," he writes, "and I have not felt a twinge in over a year." They regulate the Kidneys, purify the blood and cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervousness, improve digestion and give perfect health. Try them. Only 50c at Cowgill & Cowgill's drug store.

FIVE THOUSAND

NATIVES WERE KILLED BY THE VOLCANIC ERUPTION.

W... Campbell, who has just arrived here from Guatemala, brings additional details of the damage caused by the recent volcanic disturbances. In an interview Mr. Campbell said:

"There is no clear idea yet of the loss of life resulting from the volcano's eruption, but from what I could gather before leaving the country, I believe that 5,000 natives have been killed. There was some talk at San Jose, too, of some of the refugees having been robbed by robbers, but I saw no indications of this. In fact, I bothered very little about anything except the fact that I had been impoverished, and I was thinking of means of getting back to Mexico. I heard at San Jose that the government was trying to supply food, but he could not reasonably expect to do anything like adequate relief of ruin was apparent everybody.

"Of the coffee fincas that have been nearly ruined were worth more than $1,000,000. The plantation or Alsacia, which was wiped out of existence, had machinery upon it worth $75,000, all of which is destroyed. Some ago James refused an offer of $1,000,000 for the finca. Adolfo Meyers' finca, worth $75,000 in gold, was entirely ruined. Both of these fine places are 30 to 40 miles west of the volcano. The town of Quezaltenango is almost ruined, for the houses are cracked and broken down, the people are moving out, and the neighborhood is covered with sand and ashes."

WHAT RICE PIERCE SAYS.

The Washington Post prints the following interview with Congressman Rice Pierce:

"The recent elections go to show that the Democratic party has nothing to expect of the Western States. New York did magnificently, and, had other sections behaved the same way, we would have carried the House by a large majority. It looks to me as though we have got right back to the same point, politically speaking, that we were twenty five years ago, with the line drawn between New York and the solid South. The West deserted Democracy the minute it saw that it could not get what it wanted as to silver."

A FIRE ON TIME.

A fire occurred at Louisville, Ky., a few months ago at 11:45 a. m. standard time. The firms that were burned out had insurance policies which expired at noon the day of the fire. Standard time is not the real time, which is 17½ minutes faster. So that the fire in Louisville instead of beginning at 11:45 began at 12:02½ by solar schedule. The terms of the policies do not specify whether the time they refer to shall be standard or solar. It now seems that some insurance companies are resisting payment and setting up as a defense that the policies had expired when the fire broke out. The case presents an interesting question, which we think the courts should decide in accordance with common sense and general custom. The commercial world can't do business on solar time and adjust obligations on solar schedules.

Best Liniment on Earth.

J. M. McHaney, Greenville, Tex. writes, Nov. 2d, 1900: "I had rheumatism last winter, was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief, till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Liniment to be the best liniment on earth for rheumatism." For rheumatic, sciatic or neuralgic pains, rub in Ballard's Snow Liniment, you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. 25c, 50c and $1 at L. P. & W. S. Ellison's

FOR THE PARTY FIRST.

If the State Central Committee undertakes to run the ineligibility of Governor Beckham over the Democrats of the State, they have never heard it thunder in the thickets before, like they will during the coming campaign. So far as the Messenger is concerned it is for Democracy, above any man or set of men and it intends to fight for its success, regardless of Mr. Beckham or any other aspirants for gubernatorial honors.—Mayfield Messenger.

Worm Destroyer.

White's Cream Vermifuge not only kills worms, but removes the mucus and slime, in which they build their nests; it brings, and quickly a healthy condition of the body, where worms cannot exist. 25c at L. P. & W. S. Ellison's.

Big Shirt Sale.

Commencing

SATURDAY, NOV. 29

And continuing until all are sold. Look at these prices.

A lot of Men's Nice Dress Shirts go at 29c each, worth 60c.

Another lot goes at 39c each, worth 75

Another lot at 49c each, worth $1.

Another lot at 69 and 79c worth $1.25 to $1.50.

These are all right goods, but I am determined to close them out at less than cost.

I can also show you one of the best and cheapest lines of Mens, Ladies and Childrens

Underwear, Gloves and Shoes

.....At Prices.....

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

Also a fine line of Trunks and Thaveling Bags at Low Prices.

What ever you do don't miss the Shirt Sale.

L. D. SIMMONS,

BUCHANAN CORNER.

ANOTHER SPLIT.

The Democracy of Kentucky is evidently preparing for another split, says the Cumberland Courier.

It is already in evidence in the coming gubernatorial contest. One faction is bent on having a primary and, of course, there is great opposition to this monopolistic plan of nominating a candidate for Governor. The reasonable argument against a primary being advanced is tnat it shuts out aspirants of limited means, The history of splits in the Democracy of Kentucky was unknown until a few years ago when the "machine" was introduced into its harmonious ranks.

Since then there has risen dissention which has resulted in rotten party organization. The machine is a monster, figuring from the county organization up to the state executive power and supported by a lot of office-holders who desire to fatten off the public teat by continuation in office.

The average voter usually falls into their meshes and if he rebels when the truth dawns upon him he is denounced as a traitor to party principle.

Beautiful Clear Skies.

Herbine exerts a direct influence on the bowels, liver and kidneys, purifying and strengthening these organs, and maintaining them in a normal condition of health; thus removing a common cause of yellow, mothy, greasy skin, and more or less of pimples, blotches and blackheads. 50c at L. P. & W. S. Ellison's

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ON DEMOCRATIC FUTURE.

New York, Nov. 24.—In a copyrighted article published in the New York World Grover Cleveland expresses his views on the future of the Democratic party. Among other things he says:

"The popular apprehension of the evils of aggressive expansion and its incompatibility with what has always been regarded as safe Americanism, is constantly growing, and cannot fail to become in the near future a most important factor in the political thought of our people.

The tremendous growth of trusts, the immense business aggregations and the manner in which they stifle healthful competition and throttle individual enterprise, cannot pass long unheeded by the voters of the land. The stupendous governmental extravagance that now prevails must at length be appreciated by the people as not only a drain upon their earnings and accumulations, but as a most pernicious example calculated to undermine the love of wholesome economy among our citizens.

"These topics and others which might be mentioned, and the abuses connected with them, should be bravely and uncompromisingly dealt with by the Democratic party as they all involve Democratic principle.

Luck in Thirteen.

By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, Vt., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that wholly cured a horrible fever sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures Bruises, Felons, Ulcers, Eruptions, Boils, Burns, Corns and Piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Cowgill & Cowgill, druggists.