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Account of Hot Weather, Final Action on the Tariff Bill May Go Over Until Fall.—News Item.

A NEW RESTAURANT.

Leonard Reeves, one of the well known young men of this city, has started in the restaurant business at the H. G. Hale building, and is now ready for business. He has a full stock, as well as fixings, etc., are new and up-to-date, and the interior of the building has been remodeled. Mr. Reeves proposes to conduct his business in such a manner that ladies as well as gentlemen will feel no hesitancy about patronizing there. He will make a specialty of short orders and carry a good line of pies and confections. Success to you, Leonard.

C. M. WARREN DEAD.

C. M. Warren, a man well known in this county, died in Washington, D. C., on the 2d. Mr. Warren was raised here and was nearly grown. He was a son of Ed. K. Warren, the first editor of the Hickman Courier, and was related to all the Morris families of near this county. Mr. Warren was a printer in the newspaper printing office at the time of his death, and left a wife and two children, besides a host of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.—Union Leader.

A SUMMER ROMANCE.

A little golf, a walk or two,
A little walk, a talk or two,
A moonlit porch, a ring or two,
An ardent sigh, a kiss or two,
An absent smile, a week or two,
Another man, a day or two,
A little note, a grain, or two.

OPERATION PERFORMED.

Jim Robinson, a well known resident of Hickman, underwent an extremely tedious operation at the office of Dr. S. C. Cullis, at Fulton, Friday, having a foreign growth, which had entirely covered his left eye, removed by the specialist.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS!

Taxbooks for the year 1909 are now open; and as this is my last year in office, I desire to have all taxes paid PROMPTLY in order that my books may be balanced. You will find myself or Deputy Goulder Johnson at the City National Bank, at Fulton, or at my office in Hickman. Please make payments promptly.
J. T. SEAT, S. F. C.

Humanity, it would seem, is on the threshold of a new era. A Frenchman by the name of Hierot flew across the English Channel—Lyon's coming was almost at hand—he foretold the day to come when man should take wings and surmount the storm even as he has conquered the span of the earth surface. Instruments of destruction were to be so powerful that the laws of self preservation made man declare for universal peace and now with the advent of flying machines cannot man of the present see his utter inability to protect himself against his own invention and wonder in the age when the war drum will no longer be heard, and steel managers of death be molded into plowshares.

BOUND OVER TO GRAND JURY.

Jesse Cleaves and wife, charged with grand larceny—taking goods from the store of Smith & Amberg on July 27th—were bound over to await the action of the grand jury at its September term. Judge Naylor fixed Cleaves' bond at \$500 and his wife's bond at \$200.

The goods alleged to have been stolen from this store are figured to be worth \$25.90, which makes the theft a penitentiary offense.

Jesse Cleaves is a young farmer of the upper bottoms, residing on a farm belonging to W. L. Benthall, of Moscow.

Bond was furnished for Mrs. Cleaves and she was released from jail. Her husband was unable to make bond and is still in custody.

MONEY TO LOAN.

I loan money at the rate of 5 per cent per annum on farm lands in Obion and Weakly counties, Tenn., and in Fulton county, Ky. About one half the cash value of a farm will be loaned. Loans made in sums of \$1,000 or more for five years with privilege to borrower of paying same after one year in full or making any size partial payment desired at intervals of six months after the expiration of one year, interest being stopped on partial payments made. Call on or write.
O. SPRADLIN, Union City, Tenn.

Gen. Hancock was defeated for the Presidency in 1880 for declaring that the tariff question was a local issue. The assertion was denied by the republican party and ridiculed by a large number of his own party, yet there are a few men in either party today but recognize that Gen. Hancock was about 29 years in advance of the politicians of his day of whom Blaine, Garfield, Tilden, Thurman, Hendricks and many others. Veritably the truth is a long time dawning to the human eye—but it will dawn in spite of human prejudice and political bigotry.

Louie E. Dodd, who has been connected with the Lyon County Herald, has severed his connection with that paper. He was at one time connected with the Courier and is well known here.

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REPUBLICAN WHIP OF HOUSE.



John Wilbur Dwight, representative in congress from the Thirtieth New York district, has been selected to succeed Ex-Congressman James Watson of Indiana, as the Republican whip in the lower house of congress. He has been a member of that body ever since the Fifty-seventh congress and is known as a great harmonizer.

PREACHER CALLS THE BLUFF.

Between here and Fulton an energetic minister, thinking to help a neighbor spiritually and prosper a good cause financially, called upon a Fulton county farmer and urged him to attend services the following Sunday or at least contribute something to the fund he was raising. The farmer remarked "If you want me to hear you, you will have to do your preaching in my stock lot Sunday morning at 7 o'clock." The minister quickly called the bluff and promised to be on hand at the place and hour appointed. He was there, on time; and so was the farmer, "doing his chores," and likewise a number of neighbors who had got on the proposition. The preacher preached—a good sermon, too, it is said, and at the close a collection was taken up resulting in an addition of ten dollars to the minister's fund. This is about the only way some folks can be reached.

AN INQUISITIVE VISTOR.

Between April 15th and 30th, 1910, every home in Hickman—no matter how unpretentious—will have a caller. The visitor will be one of your Uncle Sam's 13th census officials.

Some of the questions he will ask you to answer will concern name, relationship to head of family, color, sex, age, conjugal condition, place of birth of parents, number of years in the United States, citizenship, occupation, whether or not employer or employe, and if employed at the date of enumeration and the number of months unemployed during the preceding calendar year, whether or not engaged in agriculture, school attendance, literacy, tenure of home, and whether or not a survivor of the Union or the Confederate army, and the name and address of each blind or deaf and dumb person.

The one important consideration omitted from this list is that of race. Owing to the congressional action, the census will not take up this question at all—a very palpable mistake.

If the citizen does not answer these queries—together with others that may be required in various localities as to agriculture, manufactures, mining and quarrying—he may be haled before a federal court and fined \$100. The same penalty goes if a false reply is returned. Watch for Hickman's population.

REEVES RESTAURANT.

New and up-to-date. Everything served in season. Good line of staple goods, fruits, etc. A share of your patronage respectfully solicited. Next door to post-office.

Members of the board of Control of the State's eleemosynary institutions had a warrant issued for Dr. W. H. Nuttall, former superintendent of the Feeble Minded Institute, charging him with unlawfully detaining a woman against her will. The woman in question is a patient at the Feeble Minded Institute. Officers are unable to locate him.

In the Calloway circuit court at Murray a verdict for \$500 damage was given Dock Russell. The plaintiff sued for \$10,000. Felix G. Ewing, general manager of the Planter's Protective Association, had made a speech in Murray, and it is alleged that while they were discussing his speech that Russell called Hutson a night rider.

It is now announced that President Taft will visit St. Louis the latter part of October or the first of November, and make a trip, by boat from St. Louis to New Orleans to attend the Deep Water Congress in the latter city, in company with twenty-five governors of states. A cordial reception by the people of the Mississippi Valley will be accorded the Chief Magistrate of this great republic.

The tools with which John Horne, the Mississippi stonemason, restored the name of Jefferson Davis to the Cabin John Bridge, have been purchased as a museum exhibit by the Virginia Daughters of the Confederacy. The name removed during the war has been perfectly restored. Just as it was when the bridge was completed while Mr. Davis was Secretary of War.

Mrs. Emma Stephens left this week for Huntsville, Ala., where she will spend a month with relatives.

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