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KENTUCKY NEWS.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Capital Removal Measure Unfavorably Reported—Commissioners' Salaries to Be Reduced.

FRANKFORT, Feb. 19.—SENATE—Tuesday Lieut. Gov. Worthington was the recipient of a gavel similar to the one presented to Speaker Blanford. It was formally presented by Senator Stephenson. Several new bills were introduced, and the nomination of A. H. Anderson to be steward at the Hopkinsville asylum was taken up under a suspension of the rules and was confirmed.

HOUSE—Fifteen new bills were introduced Tuesday among them the following: To reduce the salary of the commissioners of agriculture and making an appropriation to that department of $3,000 instead of $13,000 annually; to amend the act creating the State Historical society; one imposing license fee of $2 on each car carried by circuses or menageries. The committee on constitutional amendments reported adversely on Hardin's resolution looking to the removal of the state capital and submitting that question to a popular vote. Mr. Violett, of Franklin, on a question of personal privilege, made a neat speech, presenting Speaker Blanford with a gavel, the gift of pupils of Frankfort Manual Training school. Mr. Blanford accepted it in an appropriate speech.

KEEP OUT OF POLITICS.

The Faculty of the Kentucky State College Can Do Nothing More Than Vote.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 19.—The faculty of the Kentucky State college has adopted a resolution prohibiting any professor of that institution from actively participating in politics in the future, and besides, preventing any member of the faculty being in any way interested in any contract with the city. This resolution is the result of the active parts taken by two or three of the faculty during a late congressional race and the engagement by the city of Prof. Anderson, of the mechanical department of that institution, to draw up plans for lighting the city with electricity, and also the specifications for bids on the same.

LAY IN AMBUSH.

Two Men Await Their Victim—One Was Killed and the Other Wounded.

JACKSON, Ky., Feb. 19.—Carry Holly, a farm laborer, Tuesday morning shot and killed James Combs and badly wounded Nick Combs on Old Duck creek, in Breathitt county. It is said that the two Combses were lying in wait by the roadside at the time ready to kill Holly when he passed along, because he had shot Hiram Combs, a brother of James, through the shoulder.

Both men opened fire on Holly as soon as he was near enough. Holly returned the fire with a Winchester rifle. It is believed Nick Combs will die from the wound he received. Holly has not been arrested, though it is said he is at his home and ready to give himself up.

Death of Capt. Crail.

NEWPORT, Ky., Feb. 19.—An old and well-known citizen, Capt. Ervin Crail, died at his home in this city Monday afternoon, at the age of 72 years. Mr. Crail some time ago followed the river and was well known to river men, but latterly engaged in the coal business in this city. The deceased leaves three children, Mrs. J. C. Barlow, of Streator, Ill.; W. B. Crail, of Newport, and Mrs. Hiram G. Smith, of Newport. His son, Capt. Walter B. Crail, is a well known coal man.

Scarlet Fever Closes a School.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky., Feb. 19.—The Lawrenceburg public school has been dismissed for two weeks to prevent a spread of scarlet fever. Nora Paynter, the 12-year-old daughter of Dr. C. M. Paynter, has a fully-developed case, and, as some of the pupils had visited her before it became generally known the trustees decided to be on the safe side and recommended the school's dismissal for the period mentioned.

They May Vote.

PARIS, Ky., Feb. 19.—County Judge Howard has rendered a decision in the Millersburg local option case, which has been in the courts for some weeks, holding that the license people are entitled to a vote on the question. The precinct is now under local option law. Paris is the only precinct in the county not under the law.

A Killing at Pittsburgh, Ky.

LONDON, Ky., Feb. 19.—At Pittsburgh, a mining town three miles north of this place, Wm. Southerland shot and killed William Osborn. Osborn was drunk. Southerland was arrested and brought to London where he was given an examining trial before A. L. Brown, judge of the county court, and was allowed bail in the sum of $4,000.

Kentucky Pensioners.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 — Pensions were issued to Kentuckians as follows: Original: Samuel Mason, Henderson; Rudolph Glaser, Hickman, Fulton. Increase: James Boggs, McGlone, Carter. Original widows, etc.: Maggie B. Barnett, Lexington; Martha R. McKay, Westport, Oldham.

Will Get a Warrant.

AUGUSTA, Ky., Feb. 19.—Volley Jones, brother of the murdered wife of Robert Laughlin, will go to Brooksville Wednesday to swear out a warrant in Judge Field's court for the arrest of Laughlin, to bring him here for his preliminary trial before Police Judge Wallace.

New Kentucky Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Feb., 19.—The following postmasters for Kentucky were commissioned Tuesday: J. T. Martin, Flaherty, Meade county; Virgie Horton, Hickory Grove, Graves county; N. P. Rader, Prospect, Jefferson county.

Hiles' Bank Bill.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 19.—The Kentucky house committee on revenue and taxation will report favorably the Hiles bill to repeal the charters of banks that pay taxes only under the provisions of the Hewitt bill.

Three Were Murdered.

MAYSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 19.—It has just been ascertained that Robert Laughlin's wife was soon to have become a mother. This adds another victim to the tragedy, making it a triple murder.

CLARA BARTON.

The President of the Red Cross Society Gains Permission

From the Turkish Government to Distribute Relief to Armenians.

Minister Terrell Presents the Lady at the Sublime Porte—She Received Assurances of Full Protection and Aid in Dispensing Charity.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—A cable dispatch received at the state department Tuesday afternoon from Mr. Alex W. Terrell, United States minister to Turkey, dated at Para, the European quarter of Constantinople, contained the intelligence that the efforts of Miss Clara Barton, president of the American National Red Cross society to obtain the permission of the Turkish government to distribute relief to the suffering Armenians had been successful. The decision of the sublime porte not to allow relief measures to be extended by the Red Cross society or by its officers made it doubtful whether Miss Barton and her party would succeed in their object. It appears from Mr. Terrell's dispatch that Miss Barton had been presented by the minister at the porte and had received renewed assurances of full protection and aid for her agents in dispensing charity. Her assistants, says Mr. Terrell, go at once to the interior. Miss Barton's headquarters will be at Para. The dispatch ends with these words:

"The door is thus opened wide for charity."

THE NEGOTIATIONS

In Progress Between the United States and Great Britain Over the Venezuelan Dispute Satisfactory.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Daily News Wednesday says that the negotiations now in progress between the United States and Great Britain over the Venezuela dispute will result satisfactorily to both sides. The paper gives lines on which the negotiations are proceeding. They are virtually identical with the suggestions made by Mr. G. W. Smalley, the American correspondent of the Times for the appointment of a joint commission. The News adds that the commission will serve rather as a board of conciliation than as an arbitration board. It is understood that before agreeing to the scheme, which as a last resort would involve arbitration, Lord Salisbury would require an agreement regarding the settled districts.

The News remarks that the United States seem to assume a quasi suzerainty over Venezuela, which is a distinct advantage to Great Britain. It concludes that a settlement on the foregoing lines would be honorable to both countries and would be heartily applauded by all parties here.

DISPOSED OF.

The Agricultural Appropriation Bill Passes the House—Distribution of Seeds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The house Tuesday, after three days' consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill finally disposed of it. Amendments incorporated in the bill make it mandatory upon the secretary to purchase and distribute seed, as had been the custom prior to the suspension of the practice last year without reference to the requirements of the statute that they shall be "rare and uncommon" as that phrase was construed by Secretary Morton; the appropriation for seed was increased from $130,000 to $150,000, and the seed division, abolished by Secretary Morton last year, was rehabilitated with a full quota of clerks, to enable the secretary to execute the law.

GLASS WORKERS COMBINE.

One of the Most Powerful Trades Organizations in the United States.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 19.—The heads of the three glass working trades organizations, the Flint, the Window Glass and the Green Glass associations, completed a system of co-operation for defense, which involves 75,000 workers, and will make the federation the most powerful trades combination in the United States. It is to all purposes a union of the three great branches of glass workers without destroying their identity, and if the scheme is ratified by popular vote, which is expected, the plan will be put into operation immediately. To carry on the work of extending unionism, a special fund will be raised by a small per capita tax, which will amount to about $250,000 per year.

The Canal to be Completed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The house sub-committee of interstate and foreign commerce, having charge of measures pertaining to the Nicaragua canal, met Tuesday and practically completed its labors. If its present plans are carried out a bill will soon be reported to the full committee and consequently to the house, looking to the completion of the canal.

Desperate Husband and Father.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 19.—Franz M. Schwab, separated from his wife and children, Tuesday evening called at the house and fired four shots at the woman, killing her instantly. A ball struck a nine-weeks-old baby and another struck Bernard, his son. Both will die. Schwab was arrested and admitted doing the shooting.

Congressional Campaign Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Notice was given Tuesday afternoon that a joint caucus of the republicans of the house and senate would be held in the hall of the house Thursday evening, the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock. It is understood that the caucus is called for the purpose of selecting a congressional campaign committee.

Stranded Steamer Olrando Floated.

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2540	Two Sides of the Shield.
2543	Modern Telemachus.
	Miscellaneous.
2556	Anna Gray.
2565	Rose.
2592	Fresh Chestnuts.
2603	Hie.
2614	Ik.
2616	Jessie.
2630	King Solomon's Treasures.
2636	Little Golden.
2650	Pa.
2652	Pauline.
2654	Prize Recipes.
2658	Suzanne.
2677	Witness My Hand.

All orders must be addressed to, or left at the office of, THE PUBLIC LEDGER, No. 10 East Third street, Maysville, Ky.

CITY DIRECTORY

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor.....William H. Cox
Police Judge.....A. A. Wadsworth
City Clerk.....Charles K. Dressel
Collector and Treasurer.....J. W. Fitzgerald
Chief of Police.....Dougl s P. Orr
Assessor.....A. N. Huff
Wood and Coal Inspector.....J. Banks Purrett
Wharfmaster.....C. M. Phister
City Prosecutor.....John L. Chamberlain
City Physician.....Dr. Samuel Harover
City Undertaker.....M. F. Coughlin
Keeper Almshouse.....Mrs. Mary Hoflin

CITY COUNCIL.

Meets First Thursday Evening in Each Month.

William H. Cox, President.

MEMBERS.

First Ward.	*Fourth Ward.*
R. R. Frost,	H. L. Newell,
John Dersch.	T. H. N. Smith.
Second Ward.	*Fifth Ward.*
C. B. Pearce, Jr.	George W. Crowell
George H. Helser.	W. E. Stallcup.
Third Ward.	*Sixth Ward.*
L. C. Blatterman,	Fred Dressel,
John Eitel.	M. C. Hutchison.

The Councilmen are elected to serve two years.

MASONIC LODGES.

Confidence Lodge No. 52—Meets first Monday night in each month.

Mason Lodge No. 342—Meets second Monday night in each month.

Maysville Chapter No. 9—Meets third Monday night in each month.

Maysville Commandery No. 10—Meets fourth Monday night in each month.

ODDFELLOWS.

DeKalb Lodge No. 12—Meets every Tuesday night.

Ringgold Lodge No. 27—Meets every Wednesday night.

Pisgah Encampment No. 9—Meets second and fourth Mondays in every month.

Canton Maysville No. 2—Meets third Monday night in each month.

Friendship Lodge No. 42, D. of R.—Meets second and fourth Fridays in each month.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Limestone Lodge No. 36—Meets every Friday night.

Maysville Division No. 6 U. R.—Meets first Tuesday in every month.

P. O. S. A.

Washington Camp No. 3—Meets every Friday night.

G. A. R.

Joseph Heiser Post No. 13—Meets first and third Saturdays in each month.

M. C. Hutchins Camp No. 2, S. of V.—Meets first and third Wednesday's of the month.

Woman's Relief Corps—Meets second and fourth Saturdays in each month.

K. OF H.

Maysville Lodge No. 2778.—Meets first and third Tuesdays in each month.

A. O. U. W.

Mason Lodge No. 20—Meets second and fourth Fridays.

Maysville Lodge No. 75—Meets every Wednesday night.

S. OF T.

Fidelity Division, S. of T., meets every Monday night in G. A. R. Hall.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

St. Patrick's Benevolent Society—Meets every second Sunday.

Sodality of the B. V. M.—Meets every Sunday.

Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society—Meets first Sunday in each month.

Ancient Order of Hibernians—Meets first Monday night in each month.

Knights of St John—Meets every Tuesday night.

German Relief Society—Meets first Monday night in each month.

COLORED SOCIETIES.

MASONIC.

Acacia Lodge No. 34, F. A. M.—Meets second Wednesday night in each month.

Mt. Hermon Chapter No. 8, R. A. M.—Meets second Friday in each month.

Palestine Cammandery No. 6, K. T.—Meets fourth Friday in each month.

G. U. O. O. F.

Maysville Star Lodge No. 1948.—Meets first and third Friday night in each month.

Household of Ruth No. 87.—Meets second Thursday night in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE TABERNACLE.

Congo River Tabernacle No. 80.—Meets first Thursday in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN.

Evans Lodge No. 9.—Meets first Wednesday night in each month.

U. B. F.

Good Will Lodge No. 46.—Meets first Saturday and third Wednesday night in each month.

Young's Temple No. 44.—Meets first Monday night in each month.

G. A. R.

McKinnevan Post No. 166.—Meets third Saturday night in each month.

Woman's Relief Corps No. 28.—Meets first Tuesday in each month.

COURT DIRECTORY.

MASON COUNTY COURT.

Meets Second Monday in Each Month.

M. C. Hutchins, Presiding Judge.....Maysville
George W. Adair, County Attorney.....Maysville
William D. Cochran, Clerk.....Maysville
J. C. Jefferson, Sheriff.....Maysville
Sam P. Perine } Deputies } .....Maysville
J. R. Roberson } .....Maysville
John Johnson, Jailer.....Maysville
John D. Roe, Coroner.....Maysville
J. D. Dye, Assessor.....Maysville
G. W. Blatterman, School Sup't.....Maysville

[Quarterly Court meets Tuesday after the second Monday in January, April, July and October, and has civil jurisdiction to the amount of $200.]

CIRCUIT COURT.

Hon. J. P. Harbeson, Judge.....Flemingsburg
J. H. Salice, Commonwealth Att'y.....Maysville
Isaac M. Woodward, Clerk.....Maysville
J. N. Kehoe, Master Commissioner.....Maysville

—Courts Meet—

Mason—At Maysville first Monday in February and June and third Monday in November.

Fleming—At Flemingsburg first Monday in January, Tuesday after fourth Monday in April and third Monday in September.

Greenup—At Greenup first Monday in April, third Monday in July and first Monday in November.

Lewis—At Vanceburg third Mondays in January and May and first Monday in September.

Bracken—At Brookville second Monday in March, first Monday in July and second Monday in October.

Dr. J. H. SAMUEL,

Ex-resident Surgeon Good Samaritan H