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SMITTEN BY DEATH.

Sudden Death of Secretary of the Treasury William Windom

In the Midst of Banquet Festivities in New York—His Last Words Spoken for His Country.

Hon. William Windom, Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, died Thursday night at 10:05 o'clock in the banquet hall at Delmonico's, where he was a guest of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation. His had been the first toast of the evening. He had finished his response and seated himself, swooned at once and died almost immediately. Every effort to restore him was made, but in vain. He died of heart disease. The great assemblage at once dissolved. Mr. Windom had been the only speaker, and the sentiment to which he responded was, "Our country's prosperity dependent upon its instruments of commerce." When it was officially announced that the Secretary was dead, Secretary Tracy at once went to the nearest telegraph office and sent a message to President Harrison informing him of the untimely event, and requesting him to communicate with Mrs. Windom and have her start on the 11:10 p. m. train for New York. This will bring the widow to the city by 7 o'clock Friday morning, and not until then can any arrangements be made for the removal of the body. Later on Undertaker Huyler, of Grace Church, was summoned and was put in charge of the remains. The body was taken to Room 23 of the Fifth Avenue Hotel. Secretary Tracy and Attorney-General Miller, with heads bowed down, waited at the hotel to receive the remains. Later President Snow telegraphed to President Harrison that the body would be sent on to Washington on a special train Friday morning.

IN MOURNING.

Crape on the Public Buildings in Washington—Arrival of the Remains of Secretary Windom.

Washington awoke Friday morning to be shocked, through all ranks of its life, with the story of Secretary Windom's sudden death. For thirty years he had been a well-known figure there, for a quarter of a century it had been not only a familiar figure, but the people of all classes had regarded him with high respect and true esteem. His work had been for the people. He had been a constant supporter of all their reforms. He was strong in Congress during the war. He was prominent in reconstructions. He was influential for ten years in the House of Representatives, years which covered the culmination of secession, the war for the union and the restoration and reconstruction period. He was as influential for the twelve following years in the Senate. Two Presidents had honored him with the high position of Secretary of the Treasury. The President and the members of his Cabinet assembled at the Baltimore and Ohio railroad station Friday afternoon for the purpose of receiving the remains of Secretary Windom. The remains were brought in a special car attached to the regular train leaving Jersey City at 11:30 and arriving in Washington at 4:30 o'clock. It arrived promptly on time. The transfer of the remains from the station to the house was made quietly and with as little effort at display as possible. The interment will be made at Rock Creek Cemetery, near the Soldiers' Home, and the President, accompanied by Mrs. Dimmick and the Postmaster-General, drove out to the cemetery Friday afternoon for the purpose of selecting a suitable lot for the burial. An order was issued by the Department of State directing that the Treasury Department in all its branches be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days; that on the day of the funeral the several executive departments shall be closed, and that on all public buildings throughout the United States the National flag shall be displayed at half mast.

DIED WHILE IN OFFICE.

Secretary Windom the Seventh Cabinet Officer of the United States to Die During Service.

The death of a Cabinet officer during his term of office has not been a rare occurrence in the history of this country. Mr. Webster and Mr. Upshur died while filling the office of Secretary of State; Mr. Rawlins, while Secretary of War; Mr. Brown and Mr. Howe, while Postmaster General, and Mr. Folger while Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Windom was, therefore, the second Secretary of the Treasury who died in office, and, like Mr. Folger, he died while away from the National Capital. Secretary Manning was stricken with a fatal disease while Secretary of the Treasury, and died soon after leaving the service. As was also the case with Mr. Folger, Secretary Windom died from heart failure, mainly attributed to overwork in the performance of his official duties.

Death Has Been Busy.

Death has been busy in high places during this administration. In Supreme Court Justices Matthews and Miller have passed away. General Sheridan has died. Two deaths have occurred in the family of Secretary Tracy, two in Secretary Blaine's, and two in Secretary Windom's, the latter's grandson having been buried only a week ago.

Loss of Life by Flood.

Advices from Massowah, on the Red sea, state that a terrific storm, followed by floods, has caused enormous damage throughout the island of Massowah. Over one hundred persons lost their lives.

Favors the Elections Bill.

The Legislature Thursday adopted a resolution calling on the U. S. Senators from Pennsylvania to support the Federal elections bill by all fair and honorable means.

Senator Jones Re-Elected.

In the Nevada Legislature Thursday Senator Jones was re-elected U. S. Senator for the fourth time, receiving 54 votes out of 60.

An Expensive Suit.

A case involving the right to fifteen dollars' worth of calves has just been decided in an Iowa court. The costs are over $15,000.

No Canadian Reciprocity Negotiations.

Secretary Blaine says there are no negotiations in progress to effect reciprocity with Canada.

To Assist Russian Jews.

A movement has been begun in this country intended to secure international action to improve the condition of Russian Jews and place them in possession of Palestine.

Dressed Beef Plant in India.

The British Government is negotiating with Armour & Co., of Chicago, for the establishment of a dressed beef plant in India.

Avalanche in Greece.

Twenty-four persons were killed and eighty houses destroyed by an avalanche in Greece.

DEATH'S HARVEST.

The Number Who Perished in the Mammoth Mine Now Placed at One Hundred and Twenty-Five Souls.

One hundred and seven bodies had been taken from ill-fated Mine No. 1, of Frick & Co., at Mammoth, near Youngwood, Pa., up to ten o'clock Wednesday morning. It is estimated that the remains of at least seventeen more victims of Tuesday's explosion are still in the pit, but it is thought that all will be out in a few hours. As the bodies of the victims, mangled by the terrible force of the explosion, or burned almost out of human semblance, were brought up from the yawning depths, the crowd of watchers pushed forward to the pit mouth for one glimpse of recognition. Hearts of wives and mothers stood still in fear that loved ones were among the dead. The more disinterested ones quailed before the scenes. Tears coursed down bronzed and bearded cheeks and were dashed away by brawny hands that had swung the pick for many years. The rescuing party proceeded with their grim task, and the crowd of watchers silently looked on. It was one of those scenes which, once witnessed, remains forever impressed upon the memory of the spectators. The cause of the explosion has not been determined. The coroner is on the ground and a thorough investigation will be made. The victims will be buried by the company. Many of the unfortunates are Hungarians, and will be sent to Scottdale for interment.

A FUNERAL TRAIN.

Bears Sixty-Three Bodies and Hundreds of Mourners to Scottdale, Pa., Where the Remains Are Buried in One Common Grave.

All the Connellsville coke region stood Wednesday with bowed form and reverent head, while sixty-three of the dead miners taken from the mammoth shaft were shrouded, coffined and laid to rest for their long sleep. The funeral procession was one such as the region has never before known. The remains and the mourners were carried to St. John the Baptist's Cemetery, in Scottdale, Pa., in a long special train. Along the inhabited portions of the road hundreds of citizens turned out, and wherever the train halted great crowds gathered. Over 3,000 persons were present as the bodies were placed side by side in a common grave. Shortly after 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the funeral train was pulled into Marmoth. It was composed of three baggage cars, three coaches for the mourners and an extra car. Half a dozen teams were pressed into service to haul the coffins to the train, where they were put down in a row. The coffins were numbered. On the lids of some the name of the dead person was written.

FROM THE HEAVENS.

A Huge Meteor Falls on a Farm Near Lathrop, Mo.

Word has reached St. Louis stating that the inhabitants of Maribille, a small town near Lathrop, Mo., on last Wednesday night, were terrible frightened by a noise resembling the continued roll of artillery, followed by a horrible, grinding crash, which seemed to tear the very earth asunder. There was a very slight shock as of an earthquake, but otherwise nothing resulted from it. The noise was heard for miles in every direction, but it was not known until a few days later that the mystery was cleared away. William Apperson found that a large bowlder, which was on his farm, had disappeared from its place, and was crushed into small bits, which were scattered over his farm for the rods in each direction. In the spot where the stone had rested lay what appeared to be a mass of iron. The body was oblong in shape, and had evidently struck the mass of rock broadside on, for it was divided evenly in two pieces. The huge mass of ore is undoubtedly of meteoric origin, and has magnetic qualities.

A Tablet to Mrs. Hayes.

One of the finest memorial tablets that will find an abiding place in the World's Women's Christian Temperance temple, now in course of erection in Chicago, will enlogize the life work and virtues of the late Lucy Webb Hayes, the devoted wife of ex-President R. B. Hayes. It is proposed to erect the tablet by means of contributions of one cent each from members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union throughout the country.

Boy Fiend Sentenced to Death.

At Cheyenne, Wyo., Charles Miller, who murdered two boys named Fishbaugh and Emerson, in a freight car within the borders of Wyoming, while they were en route from their home in St. Joseph to Denver, was sentenced to be hanged Friday, March 20. Miller is fifteen years old, but did not exhibit the slightest trace of emotion when the sentenced was passed upon him.

Robert Ray Hamilton Dead Again.

In spite of the sensational rumors and conjectures that Robert Ray Hamilton may still be alive, his immediate family and friends in New York adhere to the belief that the report of his death in Idaho, brought East by J. O. Green, was absolutely correct.

President of Oberlin College.

Wm. Gay Ballentine, Professor of Greek at Oberlin College, was Wednesday elected president of the Oberlin College, succeeding Prof. Chas. S. Fairchilds.

Silver Discovered in Iowa.

It is said that A. C. Brendt while drilling a well on his farm near Fairport, Ia., found at the depth of 320 feet a vein of silver sixteen inches thick.

Confessed to Robbing the Mails.

John Selver, the boy under arrest at Parkersburg, W. Va., charged with robbing the mail, has confessed and been sentenced to the Reform Farm.

Sugar Taxation Rejected.

The German Reichstag Committee on the Sugar Taxation bill rejected that measure in its entirety on its second reading Wednesday.

Prohib. Vote Will Stand.

By a vote of 81 to 2 the Nebraska House indefinitely postponed the bill providing for a recount of the votes cast at the late election on the prohibitory amendment. A bill appropriating $100,000 for the relief of drought sufferers in the western part of the State passed by a unanimous vote.

Nebraskans Want Relief.

The Nebraska Senate has adopted a memorial to Congress asking an appropriation of $1,000,000 for the relief of the sufferers in that State.

Embezzler Captured.

Frederick White was arrested at Kansas City, Friday, charged with the embezzlement of $1,500 from Morgan & Co., railway ticket brokers, of Chicago. He confesses to his crime, and says he lost the money in speculation on 'Change.

Bradlaugh Dead.

Chas. Bradlaugh, English politician, is dead. He had been ill for some time.

AN ACTOR

Causes Twenty-Four Thousand Shots in Portugal,

By Reading the Proclamation of the Portuguese Republic—Civilians and Soldiers Arrested.

Perfect quiet reigned in Oporto, Sunday. Government reinforcements have arrived from all parts of the country. Three hundred civilians and soldiers were arrested Sunday. All the Republican clubs have been closed, and all of the Republican newspapers have been seized by the Government. The front of the Town Hall and several buildings in other streets, where conflicts took place Saturday, are much damaged and battered. The King's portrait, which hung in the Town Hall, was destroyed by the rebellious soldiers who made the building their stronghold. Several of the soldiers who were wounded in the conflict died Sunday. Most of the insurgents who surrendered themselves were conveyed aboard a man-of-war. It is estimated that 24,000 shots from rifles and machine guns were fired during the fighting. Several more insurgents Sunday submitted to the authorities. The police have arrested an actor named Verdial, who read the insurgents' proclamation of the Portuguese republic from a balcony of the town hall. The Abbe St. Nicholas, a parish priest of Oporto, was arrested Sunday charged with being concerned in the insurrection, as he was leaving his church after mass. Other Republican leaders were also arrested, and all of them are now secured except Dr. Veiga, whose whereabouts are unknown. Several prominent men, named as being members of the insurgent's directorate, disavow any connection therewith, Judge Soares and Banker Lute being among the number. The theaters are re-opening.

ANOTHER MINE HORROR.

Eight Men Burned to Death in a Michigan Mine.

At about six o'clock Thursday evening a part of the Chapin Mine, Iron Mountain Mich., the largest and most productive in Michigan, caught fire at the sixth level, and at this writing the fire has spread to an alarming extent, and smoke is pouring from four of the shafts, and it is feared that serious damage will result. It is thought that several miners of the day shaft are underground, and can not be rescued. They have probably succumbed to the smoke. How the fire started is not known. The tops of the shafts are being covered to prevent air from entering the mine, and it is hoped by this means to smother the flames. At nine o'clock the fire is still spreading, and all the shafts have been closed down. There is no hope of rescue for the eight entombed men, whose names can not yet be learned. The mine is situated in the heart of Iron Mountain, and almost the entire population surrounds the opening waiting for some news from the unfortunate victims. The Chapin Mine was the second largest ore shipper in the Lake Superior district, having shipped 100,000 tons last year. The Vanderbilts were negotiating for its purchase.

The Mammoth Mine Disaster.

Thursday afternoon it was discovered by the rolls of the Mammoth company that twenty-three more men are missing, in addition to the 107 found dead. This increases the total dead to 130. It is probable the remaining twenty-three will not be found for weeks, owing to the immense piles of wreckage that must be removed. Twenty-seven more dead miners were buried at noon Thursday, many of the graves being marked "unknown," owing to the terrible mutilation.

Eyraud's Head May be Spared.

The Rappel Thursday announced that the Committee on Pardons has pronounced in favor of commuting the sentence of death passed upon Michael Eyraud, the murderer of Gouffe, at Paris, to one of imprisonment for life.

North Carolina Goes on Record.

The North Carolina House Thursday passed the resolution declining to make an appropriation for the World's Fair in the event of the passage of the election bill. A similar resolution passed the Senate heretofore.

The Old Tariff Dead.

Saturday was the last day for importers to removed merchandise from the bonded warehouses under the old tariff law. The result was that nearly all the leaf tobacco and general merchandise was taken out in New York City, leaving only liquors in bond. The total receipts for duties for the week have amounted to $3,508,030.

Koch's Lymph Vindicated.

Drs. Hand, Guttman and Prof. Erlich informed a meeting of the Medical Society in Berlin that microscopic examination of the blood of twenty-eight patients who had received injections of the lymph disprove the theory that the lymph caused the formation of tubecule bacilli in the blood, no bacilli being discovered in any case.

Famous Cathedral Burned.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg announces that the famous cathedral at Novgorod, Russia, built after the model of St. Sophia at Constantinople, and filled with historic treasures, some of them going back to the time when Novgorod was a powerful and independent city, has been destroyed by fire.

A Pastor's Last Text.

Rev. Neville D. Fanning, of the Oak Park Congregational Church, Minneapolis, Minn., was taken suddenly ill at the conclusion of the morning sermon, Sunday, and died soon after. Apoplexy was the cause. The subject of his text was "Is Life Worth Living."

Left Nothing But a Hole.

Sunday afternoon as an oil well shooter was on his way to a well near St. Marys, O., with a load of nitro-glycerine, it exploded, and blew the horses, wagon and driver to atoms. The only evidence of the disaster was a large hole in the ground.

Died From Jumping a Rope.

The twelve-year-old daughter of John Tacken, of Gayandotte, W. Va., jumped a rope 130 time Saturday, and Sunday she died from its effects.

Lieutenant Schwatka Improving.

Lieutenant Schwatka, who fell down stairs at Mason City, Ia., is slightly improved. Doctors now think that he will recover. His spinal injury may render him a cripple for life.

Another Candidate for Electrocution.

Frank Fiske, the murderer of Cullinan in New York, was sentenced by Judge Adams to be executed at Auburn during the week of March 21.

Hospital and Patients Burned.

A hospital at Skopin has been destroyed by fire, fourteen patients perishing in the flames.

Brown Hematite Iron Ore.

Brown hematite iron ore has been discovered near Mobile, Ala.

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

Second Session.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—SENATE—The debate on the cloture rule was interrupted by a motion by Mr. Wolcott to take up the apportionment bill, and it prevailed—yeas 34, nays 34. Senators Cameron, Jones (Nev.), Stewart, Teller, Washburn and Wolcott—all Republicans—voting with the Democrats. The bill was read and laid aside till 2 p. m., to-morrow. Petitions for and against the Conger lard bill were presented. The bill to pension General Banks was reported, also the army appropriation bill.

HOUSE.—The usual skirmish on the approval of the journal took place, but was finally approved—yeas 141, nays 107. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the navy appropriation bill. After debate the Committee arose, the bill was passed and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—SENATE—The journal of Thursday (covering the proceedings of Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday) was read and approved. The credentials of Mr. Stanford and of Mr. Irby, as Senators-elect from California and South Carolina, for the term beginning March 4, 1891, were presented, read and placed on file. Among the petitions presented and referred was one by Mr. Frye in favor of having potatoes received by the Government and treasury certificates issued thereon at the rate of a dollar per bushel. Referred, Mr. Edmunds, from the Judiciary Committee reported back with amendments. House bill to prevent the counterfeiting or manufacture of dies, tools or other implements used in counterfeiting. The bill, as amended, was passed and a conference asked.

HOUSE.—After the approval of the Journal, Mr. Springer (Ill.), rising to a question of privilege, offered a resolution reciting that the Speaker's conduct yesterday in deciding a motion to be dilatory was unlawful. Mr. McKinley (O.) made the point of order that the resolution was not a privileged one, the Speaker having exercised his right under the rules to decide a motion to be dilatory. Point of order sustained. Mr. Springer appealed, and Mr. McKinley moved to table the appeal. The motion was agreed to—yeas 138, nays 105. A bill was passed for a railway bridge over the Missouri, between Council Bluffs and Omaha. The House then went into Committee on the Military Academy appropriation bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—SENATE—House bill to ratify and confirm agreements with the Sac and Fox Nation of Indians and the Iowa tribe of Indians of Oklahoma Territory, was passed. The House apportionment bill was then taken up and Mr. Hale, who had reported it from the Census Committee, explained and advocated the House bill, and argued against the amendment proposed by the minority of the committee. After a long debate the bill was laid aside. Mr. Hale said that he would ask a vote upon it at noon to-morrow. A conference report on the bill for a public building at Rockford, Ill., was presented and agreed to. After a short executive session the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Senate resolution for the printing of 15,000 extra copies of the irrigation committee on the irrigation of the arid lands was agreed so. The Speaker laid before the House the resignation of John H. McCarthy, as Representative from the Eighth District of New York. Laid on the table. The House then went into committee of the whole on the Military Academy appropriation bill. Without making any progress the committee arose and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—SENATE.—The Senate bill creating the office of Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General was passed. The apportionment bill was passed exactly as it came from the House—yeas 38, nays 28. A strict party vote. The Senate then, on motion of Mr. Blair, took up the House bill providing for the adjustment of accounts of laborers, workmen and mechanics arising under the eight hour law. It having been thus made the "unfinished business," Mr. Blair consented to have it laid aside temporarily so that the army appropriation bill should be taken up and proceeded with. Mr. Gorman, however, objected to that arrangement being made, and then Mr. Allison, who had made the request, withdrew it and moved (as a privileged motion) that the army bill be taken up. That motion was agreed to, thus displacing the eight-hour bill from its advantageous position as "unfinished business." The consideration of the army appropriation bill was then proceeded with and considered until hour of adjournment.

HOUSE.—A bill was passed providing for the issuing of the commission of P. C. Johnson as Rear Admiral. The House then went into committee of the whole on the Military Academy appropriation bill. After a long debate, which assumed a political character, and without disposing of the bill, the committee rose and the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Without transacting any business both Houses of Congress adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of Secretary of the Treasury Windom.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—SENATE.—The Senate passed the army appropriation bill and took up the fortification appropriation bill. Senator Sherman introduced a bill to appropriate $25,000 for the erection of a granite monument to Salmon P. Chase. The bills to pension General Franz Sigel and the widow of General E. F. Noyes were passed; also, the bill increasing the cost of the Portsmouth (O.) public building $75,000. Adjourned until 2 p. m. Monday, so that members could attend the funeral of the late Secretary Windom.

HOUSE.—In the House the Military Academy bill was passed. The House adjourned until Monday at 2 p. m. in order to allow Representatives to attend the Windom funeral.

Notes From the Capital.

THE recent Indian troubles probably cause the Secretary of the Interior to think the Indians should be made to work. Thursday, in a letter addressed to Congress, he recommend the establishment of an agricultural training school.

SECRETARY WINDOM'S death will be specially deplored by the newspaper men. He was accessible to them at all times, and seemed to take pleasure in assisting in their work. He believed the public had a right to know what the executive departments were doing, and he never declined a reasonable request for information concerning the business of the Treasury. The newspaper men, therefore, naturally regarded him as a good friend, and will always cherish his memory.

THE sundry civil bill, as completed by the sub-committee having it in charge, carries the largest appropriation of any similar bill for many years, footing up probably more than $36,000,000. This is due to heavy appropriations for public buildings heretofore authorized to be built, to harbor improvements, to a special appropriation of between $600,000 and $700,000 for the Government buildings and Government exhibit at the World's Fair in Chicago, and to a million-dollar appropriation for the census.

ONE of the prominent delegates to the approaching National Council of Women in Washington will be Mrs. Charlotte Emerson Brown, a cousin of Ralph Waldo Emerson. MRS. Brown is a clergyman's wife and is an accomplished linguist, speaking five or six languages fluently.

SENATOR VEST and Senator Voorhees, on the Democratic side, and Senators Manderson and Paddock, on the Republican side, are greatly addicted to telling stories, and they know lots of good ones, but they never venture to spring these yarns on the statesmen in the course of the discussions in the Senate.

Only Two of the Miners Perish.

All openings in the Chapin mine, Iron Mountain, Mich., have been closed in the hope that the fire may be smothered. Four of the imprisoned miners escaped through the timber shaft, but Thomas Edwards and Jerry Bennett were suffocated. Their bodies were brought to the surface.

KENTUCKY STATE NEWS.

KENTUCKY'S SURFACE.

Area of This State by Counties in Square Miles.

According to the late census, the area of Kentucky in square miles is given at 40,400, of which 400 is water and 40,000 land surface. The area by counties in square miles is as follows:

Adair	400	La Rue	260
Allen	335	Laurel	450
Anderson	206	Lawrence	465
Ballard	250	Lee	228
Barren	445	Leslie	420
Bath	270	Letcher	520
Bell	350	Lewis	450
Boone	270	Lincoln	328
Bourbon	244	Livingston	360
Boyd	180	Logan	544
Boyle	180	Lyon	275
Bracken	208	McCracken	250
Breathitt	450	McLean	256
Breckinridge	520	Madison	385
Bullitt	270	Magoffin	300
Butler	455	Marion	336
Caldwell	215	Marshall	300
Calloway	434	Martin	225
Campbell	140	Mason	225
Carlisle	190	Meade	322
Carroll	105	Menifee	150
Carter	544	Mercer	250
Casey	444	Metcalfe	410
Christian	768	Monroe	372
Clark	200	Montgomery	300
Clay	580	Morgan	298
Clinton	220	Muhlenberg	484
Crittenden	340	Nelson	380
Cumberland	315	Nicholas	190
Daviess	410	Ohio	610
Edmonson	348	Oldham	170
Elliott	370	Owen	322
Estill	220	Owsley	170
Fayette	252	Pendleton	310
Fleming	340	Perry	448
Floyd	410	Pike	780
Franklin	200	Powell	144
Fulton	190	Pulaski	570
Gallatin	130	Robertson	210
Garrard	225	Rockcastle	280
Grant	280	Rowan	200
Graves	550	Russell	260
Grayson	370	Scott	272
Green	275	Shelby	405
Greenup	232	Simpson	220
Hancock	200	Spencer	200
Hardin	580	Taylor	270
Harlan	410	Todd	300
Harrison	215	Trigg	425
Hart	420	Trimble	155
Henderson	472	Union	280
Henry	278	Warren	730
Hickman	240	Washington	350
Hopkins	550	Wayne	590
Jackson	305	Webster	340
Jefferson	375	Whitley	840
Jessamine	162	Wolfe	190
Johnson	300	Woodford	247
Kenton	152		
Knott	365	Total	40,000
Knox	550		

THE President has nominated David N. Comingore to be Colector of Internal Revenue for the Sixth District of Kentucky.

REPRESENTATIVE DICKINSON has introduced a bill in the House to pension James Carroll, of Dayton.

THE following postmasters were commissioned a few days ago: Miss M. B. Cundiff, Belmont, Bullitt County; W. H. Carlin, Carlinsburg, Henderson County; Mrs. W. P. McGregor, Friendship, Caldwell County; Mrs. H. Seaton, Hunnewell, Greenup County; W. Bryant, Jetts Creek, Breathitt County; B. E. Day, Rock Lick, Breckinridge County; E. W. Fitch, Sherman, Grant County; W. R. Wood, Sinking Fork, Christian County.

THE Henderson Belt Line railroad has outstripped all the older corporations in the rapidity with which it accumulates damage suits. The road is less than a mile long, and is not yet six months old, but it is already defendant in twenty-two damage suits for amounts varying from $500 to $5,000.

MERCER COUNTY is very much worked up over the ravages of dogs among sheep.

PRINCETON and Caldwell County have arranged to build a joint workhouse.

THE fast train on the Cincinnati Southern collided with some freight cars on a trestle south of Lexington. No one was hurt.

A DISASTROUS fire occurred at Woodville, McCracken County, the other night, which destroyed several thousand dollars' worth of property. The Settle Hotel, valued at $5,000, with its entire contents, was a total loss. General Haddock's grocery store building and stock, valued at $4,500, is a total loss. S. P. Simpson's general merchandise store, stock and contents valued at $6,000, was destroyed. There were also three residences consumed by the flames. The total loss is about $20,000, only partly covered by insurance.

KENTON County's assessment for 1891 foots up $28,601,813. Of this amount $20,439,230 is in the city of Covington. The increase for the county over the assessment for 1890 is a little more than one million dollars.

A TROUBLESOME question has arisen concerning the support of pauper idiots in Campbell County. The last Legislature passed an act directing each county to pay $20 of the annual allowance of $75 by the State, and the State the $55 balance. It further provides that this $20 must be paid before the State shall be called upon to pay for any idiot residing and cared for in the counties. Judge Hill, of the county court, holds that under the acts establishing the courts the city of Newport is bound to pay this $20 for each resident pauper idiot, and that under the Court-house District Acts, the Court-house Commissioners must pay for any such idiot resident of the district outside the cities of Newport, Bellevue and Dayton; and that as to said cities being bound to support their own poor, they are legally and in duty bound to pay the $20 provided by the act named, and upon their refusal so to do, he says, these poor unfortunates will simply be on their hands to support them entire, as any others who require the aid of these municipalities.

THE taxable wealth of Lincoln County foots up $5,000,000. There are 3,300 voters in the county, according to the assessor's count.

AT Corinth, Peitro Standwich died the other morning from injuries inflicted on January 20 by John Musselmann. Standwich was a Hungarian bear-trainer, and was showing his bear. Musselman was drunk and quarrelsome, and when Standwich dog's dog barked he raised his axe to kill it. Standwich interferred and received the blow at first intended for the dog. It is said that the Austro-Hungarian Consul will see that Musselmann is brought to justice.

Lieutenant Schwatka Dangerously Injured.

The famous explorer, Lieutenant Schwatka, was seriously, if not fatally, injured Friday. He was ascending the stairway of the Park Hotel, Mason City, Ia., and when near the top he fell backwards over the banister to the floor beneath. The physicians state that his recovery is doubtful.

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