

AROUND AND ABOUT.

NOTHING BUT NEWS FOUND IN THIS COLUMN.

A Condensed Account of the Latest Happenings, Tensely Told for Busy Readers.

The body of John Underwood, the leader of the gang of train robbers who so signally failed to hold up the Queen & Crescent train, near Greenwood, Ky., was found near the scene of the attempted robbery. The body was riddled with buckshot. Three out of four of the amateur robbers were therefore slain. Mose Morrow was the only one who escaped and he will likely be captured and sent to the pen. Albert Martin, the tramp who was stealing a ride and was badly shot may recover.

If cars never fail in pointing out the direction of the wind, Frank Richardson will carry Todd county for railroad commissioner without a struggle. It looks like the whole business, boot-jack and all, are for Richardson, since he was shaking hands here the other day.—Times.

Now that the number of magistrates is small why not build small frame rooms in each magisterial district in which court can be held and voting done? The magistrates will meet Tuesday, and some one of them should bring up the question for discussion.—Morganfield Sun.

The farmers of Todd county will hail with delight the announcement that Mr. Phil Bacon, who has purchased the Model Roller Mill at Trenton, proposes to make a huge custom mill out of it for Todd and adjoining counties.—Elkton Times.

Henry Reddick, col., for causing the Miller Hotel fire at Lancaster, New Year's day, in which Edward Pascoe and two others were burned to death, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life. The evidence was circumstantial.

Prof. H. Boring has withdrawn from the race for the legislature in Hopkins and Ward Headley has declined to enter. This leaves Dr. P. B. Davis and R. P. Teague the only candidates. Both are good men.

More train robbers struck a snag near Wheatland, Cal., Saturday. A Sheriff was aboard the train held up and killed one of the robbers and was himself killed by the surviving robber, who escaped.

Mrs. Grace Brown, of Paducah, had \$700 worth of diamonds stolen Mar. 1. A negro who claimed to have found them took them to a jeweler Saturday to ask their value and they were restored to the owner.

The girls in Miss Towles' Female Seminary at Henderson debated the question "Should girls ride bicycles?" and the decision was given to the negative side. There were ten speeches on each side.

A negro who tried forcibly to ride in a vehicle with three young ladies was shot to death by a posse of their friends, who organized and went after him, near Jackson, Miss.

Doctors exhumed and examined the stomach of Mrs. Mary E. Bent, who died some weeks ago in Louisville, and found that she was poisoned with arsenic. Arrests are to follow.

Andrew J. Campbell, secretary of the Lexington Chamber of Commerce, was found dead in his yard, and it is not known whether he was murdered or destroyed his own life.

Gen. S. B. Buckner, who has been sick at the Willard Hotel in Louisville for two weeks, with a rising in his ear, is now on the road to recovery. He had a serious time of it.

Dupuy De Lame, the new Spanish minister to the United States, will sail for America to day. He will come via Havana, to learn the details of the Alliance incident.

Mr. James R. Marrs has sold the Lancaster Record to Louis Landrum and Henry R. Cartwright for \$2,000. The paper heretofore Democratic will become independent.

W. E. Beard is in jail at Mayfield charged with the seduction of Emma Farmer, who died in childbirth. She was under 17, weak-minded and nearly blind.

Frank G. Carpenter, the author and correspondent who has been all over the world, will deliver three lectures in Louisville, closing tomorrow night.

Smith Cook, the Kentucky giant, who lives at Shelbyville, has separated from his wife.

Jesse Woodward, of Kentucky, has been made fourth assistant examiner in the patent office.

Secretary Carlisle is in Covington, having been called to the bedside of his sick brother.

The Duchess of Leinster, the prettiest woman in England, is dead at the age of 31.

Hagenbeck's wild animal show is in hard lines at Chicago and will have to be sold.

Lieut. Governor Sadler, of Nevada, has been arrested, charged with embezzlement.

The "Trilby match" is the latest novelty. It can only be struck on the feet.

Somebody is working Henderson, Ky., with counterfeit silver dollars.

Jas. Burchette killed his son-in-law Jas. Kilpatrick, in Clinton county.

Chas. E. Brown has been appointed postmaster at Cincinnati.

The will of the late Ferd Douglas, was probated at Washington last week, he possessed about \$47,000 worth of personal property when he died. His widow gets \$20,000 and his four children share equally in the remainder.

Capt. D. O'Riley, state commander of the G. A. R., is trying to get the Republicans to postpone their state convention till June 5, as it will interfere with decoration day if held May 29.

E. G. Atsinger, of Paducah, who was married two weeks ago to Miss Mary Frieling, has deserted his bride and skipped out. He claimed to be a German nobleman.

Prof. Chas. Brunner was thrown from his horse and disabled in burning woods near Hawesville, Saturday and was burned to death. He was 55 years old.

A rumor was current yesterday that a man named Hammond was killed at Caledonia Saturday night by a man named Ingram. No details could be learned.

James Ewing was killed by the cars at Smith's Grove, just east of Bowling Green, Saturday. Some think he committed suicide.

Probate Judge F. B. Randolph, of Montgomery county, Ala., is missing and his accounts are being investigated.

Saturday was the hottest day in March ever recorded at Louisville the mercury indicating 83 degrees.

There are at present two hundred and fifty horses in preparation for the season's races at Lexington.

Snow fell to the depth of twelve inches in Denver, Col., Saturday, and a regular blizzard prevailed.

Rhey Boyd preached at one of the Paducah churches Sunday, in the absence of the regular pastor.

South Dakota's defaulting state treasurer has been located at Valparaiso, Chili.

Rich deposits of silver have been discovered in Wayne county, W. Va.

The marriage fee in the Castellane-Gould wedding was \$3,000.

The State Republican League will meet at Owensboro May 1.

Lucy Bowers, aged 9, was found dead in bed at Owensboro.

Forest fires were raging near Leitchfield Saturday.

Wm. Combs killed Levi Cope in Breathitt county.

A Swagger Wedding.

McPHERSON-WILKINS.— Wednesday evening, at 6 o'clock on the 24th of April, Miss Lulie Thompson Wilkins, of Bowling Green, Ky., and H. L. McPherson, of this city, will be united in marriage at the Main Street Baptist church. It will be one of the prettiest weddings ever solemnized in the State.

The bride and groom will leave immediately after the ceremony for an extensive trip through the South, where Mr. McPherson lived for several years and has many friends.

The bridesmaids are well-known, popular society girls of this State.

Miss Eloise Isabel Putman, of Lebanon, is to be the maid of honor. Misses Margaret Strother Kennedy, of Elizabethtown; Della Reese Barclay, Daisy Adams, and Margaret Adelaide Cooksey, of Bowling Green, will be the other young lady attendants.

The groomsmen are Jno. W. McPherson, Jr., who will be the "best man," A. Buckner Anderson, Jno. Y. Owsley, of this city; Mr. Len Spalding, of Lebanon; Asher Graham and McKeuzie Moss, of Bowling Green. These will act as ushers: A. L. Colburn, H. Markham Hines, J. C. Perkins, Sam Porter, J. H. Barday, Roy Porton all of Bowling Green.

The bride will wear a magnificent gown of ivory satin, trimmed in orange blossoms; the bridesmaids are to wear Paris muslins and carry Southern jessamines.

The church will be elaborately and artistically decorated in palms, smilax, magnolias and evergreens.

The wedding march from Lohengrin will be played by Mr. Geo. R. Mayo, whose skill as a musician will render the music perfect.

Mr. Merritt Pilcher, of Nashville, Tenn., whose high sweet tenor voice is unrivaled, and Mr. Geo. R. Mayo, with his clear, deep baritone, will sing several solos.

The bride is a beautiful, captivating brunette, and since her appearance in society has been a reigning "queen among women," not only in all the cities of Ky., but in Montana, Mo., and other states. She belongs to the oldest, most aristocratic families in the State, and during a short stay in this city, won many warm enthusiastic admirers who will gladly welcome her here.

She is a petite figure, with magnificent eyes and possesses brilliant conversational powers, extraordinary personal magnetism and charming character.

The groom is the youngest son of Judge Jno. W. McPherson, who for years has been a leader at our bar.

Mr. McPherson left Hopkinsville in 1887 to make Bowling Green his home. Here he met Miss Wilkins and for eight years they have been sweethearts.

He is a gentleman of noble character, high moral principles and sterling worth.

Mr. McPherson has many warm friends here; is a great favorite in society circles, and is a young man of fine business qualities, having held a responsible position at the Bank of Hopkinsville for a number of years.

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No Sense of Humor. Little Johnny—That young man who comes to see you must be pretty poor company. He hasn't any sense of humor.

Sister—Why do you think so? Little Johnny—I told him all about the funny way you rush around and bang doors, when you get mad, and he didn't laugh a bit.

Social Lines Drawn. Little Miss Mugg—You needn't come near me. Your father is in trade. He keeps a peanut stand.

Little Miss Freckles—Huh! What's your father? Little Miss Mugg—He is a professional bootblack.

Memory and Observation. Little Brother—You musn't give the dog so much meat. It will make him vicious.

Little Sister—How do you know? Little Brother—I've heard so; and, besides, I've noticed that the teacher always brings meat for her lunch.—Good News.

Johnny's Ambition. Little Johnny—I'm goin' to be a good boy, so I'll be real religious when I grow up.

Fond Mother—Mamma's own treasure! Would you like to be a minister? Little Johnny—No'm; I want to play the big drum in the Salvation army.—Good News.

A Terrible Moment. Ferdinand O'Flarity—Don't git rattled, Sally; jist take a reef in yer mainsail an' keep straight before the wind. As soon as I kin come alongside, I'll tow yer inter de lee of Murphy's saloon.

Sally Silvester—Dat's all right, Ferdinand O'Flarity, but if I don't make a tack pretty soon I'll run aground or capsize.—Truth.

An Insult to His Honor. His Lordship—Madam, by mistake I opened a letter addressed to you this morning.

His American Wife—Indeed, sir. His Lordship—Yes, and I found something in it, which, if it ever occurs again, will part us forever!

Wife (galling)—Indeed, sir? What was it? His Lordship—It was a receipted bill, madam.

Wife—Well? His Lordship—When you married me you promised to give up all your vulgar and shabby American habits. Don't let me ever hear of your paying a bill again. My position can stand scandal, intrigue, divorce even; but such vulgar condescension to the masses as this it will take me years to live down. Remember, if you must pay somebody, pay me!—Post-Dispatch.

Almost a Tragedy. Blison—Hello, Dick! I just saw your wife taking home a masher she picked up downtown.

Dick—Waow! (Goes home with blood in his eye, breaks the door in and discovers his wife in the kitchen trying her new acquisition on the boiled potatoes.)—New York World.

Proof Positive. Stage Manager—The audience is calling for the author.

Manager—All right. Go out and announce that he is in the audience somewhere, but you don't know where.

Stage Manager—But, perhaps he isn't in the audience.

Manager—Don't be a fool! Who else would have started the call?

Explained. She—It seems a pity that you have such a distaste for literature. Don't you care for reading at all?

He—No. When I was a boy they made me read all the books in the Sunday school library.

Was Obligated to Go. "Hello, Harkaway, are you still in town? I thought you had moved out west and gone into the mining business."

"No, I didn't go. That scheme fell through."

"Then you are not going to leave us?"

"Oh, yes. I'm getting ready to move."

"Where are you going?"

"I haven't decided yet. But I've got to go somewhere. Higgins. The boys in the clubs I belong to have given me half a dozen farewell dinners, and as a gentleman and a man of my word I can't stay here any longer after that."

—Baltimore Herald.

Wonderful Progress. "It is wonderful what progress has been made in the way of machinery," remarked Mr. Figg. "I see that there has been a machine invented that can make a complete pair of shoes in sixteen minutes. Why, that is even faster than Tommy can wear them out."

—Indianapolis Journal.

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