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Umbrella SALE!

Saturday, Feb. 2.

We have just received a shipment of Ladies' Umbrellas by mistake of the shipping clerk of the factory and rather than send them back will sell them at manufacturer's cost. An elegant assortment of handles. This is a real opportunity for school children.

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WHITE WINGED DOVE OF PEACE

Flutters Over Hostile Bands In First District Counties.

LET GOOD WORK GO ON.

Complete Understanding Arrived at in Time to Avert Bloodshed.

The Courier-Journal of Thursday contained the following dispatch from Paducah:

"Members of the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association and independent tobacco growers have effected a compromise, and all is peace and harmony in Lyon and Caldwell counties. Every resident in these counties may now go to bed with no fear of molestation from 'night riders.'

Final adjustment was effected yesterday at Kuttawa. The Dark Tobacco Growers' delegates agreed to see that no more lawlessness is perpetrated, that independent dealers go unmolested, and further, that the writing of anonymous letters threatening destruction of property if the receiver does not join the Dark Tobacco Growers' forces, shall cease. Independent and Association men settled upon this same basis in Caldwell county some two weeks ago, but Lyon county seemed to be the hotbed of the trouble, and after several futile attempts a conference was held between representatives of both factions.

"We simply informed the Dark Tobacco Growers that if any further lawlessness developed, we would resort to the same methods, and for every independent barn burned, we would burn ten Association barns." A well-known Kuttawa tobacco man stated this had the desired effect.

"They realized we could play the game as well as they, and an agreement was easily reached."

This sort of an understanding between the two sides was advised by the Kentuckian two months ago and if a basis of harmony has been reached, the good citizens on both sides are to be congratulated. While there has been no formal agreement in this county, there has been a general understanding that unlawful methods would not be resorted to. A general policy of reprisal in barn-burning and bed-scrapping, which is sure to come if such lawlessness becomes prevalent, would be ruinous to prosperity and work untold harm to the Association, which alone has to look to public approval for its moral support and continued usefulness. If this kind of an agreement can be reached in a few other counties infested with a lawless element, and both sides will in good faith see that it is carried out, the Association will be greatly strengthened and its continued success will be assured.

It is not certain that the Association is responsible for the outrages in some counties, but as the night riders claim to be operating in the interest of the Association, there are but two things to be done. One is to control the night riders and the other is to repudiate and denounce them as without authority to commit crimes in the name of a lawful body, made up of God-fearing men and good citizens.

Let us all hope that the "Kuttawa agreement" may bring peace—peace without bloodshed. With all the over-heated talk on both sides, not one drop of blood has yet been shed and God grant that this may be said when the tobacco trouble is all over. The Association is doing a great work, it is proving itself a blessing to the people. To use the statistics of Hon. Joel B. Fort in a recent address, it has saved to the tobacco growers \$4,500,000 on two crops alone, then why not let it go ahead and complete its triumph as a band of brothers, persuading rather than driving those slow to see the advantages of a permanent, and above all, a peaceful organization?

JAMESTOWN CONTEST.

Nearly 3,000 Votes Cast Since Last Report.

About three thousand votes have been cast since our last report. This does not include the numerous coupons issued to subscribers who have paid up and ahead, but who are reserving their votes for the future. There was one new entry this week, Miss Marion Burris, in district No. 1, whose address is Hopkinsville R. R. No. 2. Among the January coupons, clipped from the Kentuckian and sent in, we found a few bearing date of December. These of course, were not counted, as the coupons appearing each month must be counted in the same month in which they appear in the paper.

The following is the standing of contestants in yesterday's contest:

Standing Feb. 1.

DISTRICT NO. 1.
Miss Alva Lewis, Pembroke.....1221
Miss Coy Osborne, Laytonsville. 903
Miss Marion Burris Hop. R. R. 2 45
Miss Bessie Walker 61
Miss Cora Burt, Pembroke ... 44

DISTRICT NO. 2.
Miss Maybel Dillman, Pemb. R. 2613
Mrs. Edna Perry, Pemb., R. 2...1173
Miss Ledlie Logan, West Fork. 1179
Miss Bessie L. Thacker, Laf'te. 1095
Miss Irlene Giles, Howell..... 603
Miss Zetta Lee Dawson, B'town 270
Miss Katie Moss, B'town ... 203

DISTRICT NO. 3.
Miss Lois Adcock, Church Hill. 2405
Miss Edna Adams, Church Hill...1003
Miss Alice Harris, Hop. R. 5 ... 463
Miss Mina Wood, Sinking Fork 80

DISTRICT NO. 4.
Miss Maud Shanklin.....2223
Mrs. Mattie Gaines..... 685
Miss Dalma Wooldridge..... 368
Miss Bessie Richards..... 110
Miss Nina Wootton..... 86
Miss Ella Shadoin..... 80
Miss Hallie Leavell..... 120
Miss Annie Starling..... 7
Miss Hettie Grau..... 1

COUNTY COMMITTEE

Will Meet Monday to Hear Reports.

The County Committee of the Dark Tobacco Association, of which Mr. W. W. Radford is Chairman, will meet at the court house Monday to hear reports from the various districts. The committee meets once a month and much routine business will be up for consideration. Mr. Will A. Glass is the secretary of the committee.

Brame-Thomas.

Mr. Mack Brame and Miss Ennice Thomas, popular young people of the Benntstown neighborhood, were married last Wednesday in this city. After the license had been secured, they went to the parsonage of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and in the presence of a few witnesses were united in marriage by Rev. A. C. Biddle.

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METHODIST REVIVAL.

Rev. Walt Holcomb Delivered Powerful Sermon Thursday Night.

INTEREST INCREASING.

Mr. Smoot Called Home to the Bedside of His Mother.

There is no diminution in the attendance at the services at the Methodist church and there are evidences of increasing interest.

Mr. Smoot, who had left the city in answer to a call summoning him to the bedside of his mother, at her home in Washington, Ind., will return if his mother's illness does not prove fatal.

The song service Thursday night was conducted by Mr. Holcomb. After a fervent prayer by Mr. Bull, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, in which he invoked God's blessing upon the services and asked, if agreeable to the divine will, that Mrs. Smoot be restored to health, Mr. Holcomb announced as his text the first and second verses of the 6th chapter of Galatians.

His remarks were addressed to the members of the church. Thus far he had not appealed directly to sinners, but he expected to have something to say to them later on. He showed in a most earnest and forcible way the duty of the spiritually strong to their weaker brothers.

The law of Christ is a law of love. He does not require anything that love does not demand. The attitude of the spiritually strong should be one of helpfulness. "Ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted."

When a man is overtaken in a fault we should not jump on him with both feet and crush the life out of him. There are some in the church who are as guilty as the sinner outside, only the latter have been caught in the act. There is a great difference in being overtaken by sin and overtaken in sin. Some in the church are so mixed up in sin that the devil has got you fast. Every backslider here tonight knows this.

Who is to restore them? "Ye who are spiritual." We are not only to reform but restore them. Some of you church members will answer "that lets me out," because you say you are too "meek," you can't do anything. They do not know the true spiritual meaning of meekness. We must bear one another's burdens. The greatest joy in this life is to have a brother roll the burden off his heart on to yours, and then roll the burden of both on to the heart of Jesus. God will hold you responsible for what you might have done, and not what you have done, and will judge you accordingly. Many of you backsliders are keeping out of God's kingdom because you have fallen and your lives are not what they should be, and the reason these have not answered my call to them is because you spiritual have not led them back to Christ and I couldn't drag them over your heads. You can never get them nearer to God than you have been yourself.

It seems sometimes that as soon as the Lord saves some sinners they turn to be idiots on the spot. They go off into worldliness. The women go to the theater, play cards and dance—some women only quit when they get so fat they can't dance, and others so lean that the men won't dance with them. Then they quit and think the Lord ought to reward them because they have quit dancing. You never get sinners any further from the world than you get yourself—never get them any nearer to God than you get yourself. We ought to call a halt on dancing.

"There's no use in any sensible person, (said a lady in one of the evangelist's meetings after she had given up the dancing) trying to bring up an argument in favor of dancing. It's all wrong and you know it." Some of you are so "meek" that you say you can't move round. I don't want you to move "round." I want you to move down. Meekness is not timidity. Throw timidity to the four winds until you get above it. You will never do anything until you do.

When McKinley was killed our whole country was in trouble because it could not see who might fill his place in the hearts of the people and keep the machinery of the government running. But I had my eye on Teddy and believed that he had the grit to take hold and do the right thing. If he hasn't done more good for the people than any other President of our latter years—then I'll eat Teddy.

What is the incentive to make us help the backslider? "Considering thyself, lest ye be also tempted." Put yourself in his shoes. It's a very light matter sometimes to forget our brother's burden and sorrow, but when sorrow comes home, then it is a very different thing.

There are Christians here tonight who, with the same heredity, the same environment, the same opportunity, and with the same pressure brought to bear on them, would be where the backslider and the sinner are tonight. We must bear one another's burdens if we fulfill the law of Christ.

At the conclusion of his powerful sermon Mr. Holcomb called on all Christians of every denomination who wanted to be instrumental in leading the backslider back to God to go forward and give him their hand. Probably one-fourth of the congregation did so.

Dr. Lyon announced that another lot of song books had been ordered and could be had for 15 cents each.

Prof. J. M. Ragsdale, who conducted the singing here during Pat Davis' revival, will be here to-day and take charge of the singing. No services to-day or to-night.

TEN NEW ROOMS

Planned for Baptist Church Sunday School.

The Baptist church at prayer meeting Wednesday evening instructed the Building Committee to bring in definite plans of the proposed addition to the church building, so far as concerns the Sunday school room. It is not likely that any changes in the main auditorium will be considered at this time. The need for more class rooms is urgent and it is quite likely that the raising of the amount estimated for this work will be undertaken to-morrow morning. About \$3,500 is all that will be required for the addition of nine or ten rooms, about doubling the present floor room of the Sunday school rooms. Rev. M. A. Jenkins, the pastor, will leave early next week for his tour abroad and it is contemplated to have the work done when he returns in June. Rev. Geo. W. McPherson, the supply during the pastor's absence, will arrive to-day, but Dr. Jenkins will fill his own pulpit at both services to-morrow. The night sermon will be on "The unpardonable sin."

MRS. E. F. KINKEAD

Passes Away After Brief Illness of Pneumonia.

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Kinkead, wife of Mr. Jas. Kinkead, died Thursday morning at her home on Broad street. Death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Kinkead was in her 60th year and had been a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church for an number of years. Besides her husband she is survived by two children, John and Miss Belle Kinkead. Rev. A. C. Biddle conducted funeral services at her late residence yesterday morning and the interment took place in Hopewell Cemetery.

Buff Turkey Toms.

White wing Buff Turkey Toms for sale at \$3 to \$5 each. Mrs. J. C. Van Cleve, R. R. 1, Hopkinsville, Ky.