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## GRINSTEAD FOR MAYOR

Louisville Republicans Re-nominate Man of Fusion Ticket.

### STRUGGLE NOW ON.

Democrats Have Not Yet Taken Action, But Are Waiting.

The struggle for control of the government of Louisville and Jefferson county following the recent decision of the Kentucky Court of Appeals declaring the 1905 election void, was inaugurated Monday when the Republicans named a full ticket for city and county officers. The ticket is headed by James F. Grinstead, a wholesale grocer, who was nominated for Mayor over George Weissinger Smith, a prominent attorney. Mr. Grinstead headed the ticket at the 1905 election. The convention was harmonious and did not bring about any decisive trial of strength between the Liberal and Conservative wings of the party, although Mr. Grinstead is regarded as the candidate of the latter.

The Democratic City and County Committee met, but did not issue a call for a primary or convention to nominate candidates, deferring any action pending a meeting of the State Central Committee at Frankfort, when Mayor Bingham and his friends are expected to ask the State Central Committee to take the control of the primary out of the hands of the City and County Committee and place it in the hands of a special commission.

Mr. Wm. Richards, of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting relatives in the city.

## MORE NEW MEMBERS

Leavell Brothers and J. M. Renshaw & Son Join Association.

### ALL LARGE GROWERS.

Other Independent Planters Expect to Sign up This Week.

Richard Leavell, L. L. Leavell, and J. M. Renshaw & Son, some of the largest tobacco growers outside of the Association, all signed up their 1907 crops Tuesday. They have never joined the association. L. L. Leavell's plant bed was scraped last year and the Renshaw's received a threatening note last spring. It is understood that a number of the largest independent growers met Monday and decided to join the association. George Crabtree and Fred Harned are expected to join this week.

### Hunting for Trouble.

"I've lived in California 20 years, and am still hunting for trouble in the way of burns, sores, wounds, boils, cuts, sprains, or a case of piles that Bucklen's Arnica Salve won't cure," writes Charles Walters, of Alleghany, Sierra Co. No use hunting, Mr. Walters; it cures every case. Guaranteed by R. C. Hardwick's drug store, 25c.

### Morgan-Warren.

O. L. Morgan, an employee of the I. C. road, and Miss Ella Warren, daughter of Mr. Thos. Warren, of the Cerulean neighborhood, were married in Clarksville Monday.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Progressing Satisfactorily and Attendance Quite Large.

### 74 OUT OF 80 HERE.

Large Proportion of County Teachers Are Ladies.

PROGRAM—TO-DAY.  
MORNING—1st hour, Dr. Willis' talk on "The Training of the Moral Senses."  
Second hour, A talk on "The Essentials of the Work in Numbers," by Dr. Willis.  
AFTERNOON:  
"The Physical Element in Reading," by Dr. Willis.  
Miss Wescott will have her usual time in the morning and afternoon sessions, but as she was lecturing when our forms were closed we could not obtain an outline of her work.  
TO-NIGHT:  
Presentation of diplomas to 13 Graduates. Several good musical numbers.  
The best of all of Dr. Willis' lectures, "The Making of a Man." Everybody should hear it.

There is no doubt but that the teachers institute now in session is one of the most profitable ever held here. The attendance of the teachers from all parts of the county is very large, 74 out of 80 having answered to their names after the first session had been held. All would have been present at the opening had the heavy rains of Monday not interfered.

When it is remembered that some of the teachers have to come from the extreme limits of the county over dirt roads, the first days attendance was beyond expectations.

There are a number of persons interested in the cause of education in attendance on the institute—Prof. R. E. Williams, of Owensboro, Prof. B. E. Thom, Superintendent of Public Schools for Trigg county; Prof. Morrow, of Russellville, Superintendent of schools; Prof. C. E. Dudley, superintendent of the Pembroke public schools.

Prof. Dudley was on the program Tuesday and Wednesday for instruction in music. He always takes an interest in the county institutes and is a splendid all-round man and is competent for any line of work assigned him. There is one very noticeable fact about the personnel of the teachers of Christian county, and it is probably, the same all over the state—the small percentage of male teachers. Yesterday morning at the opening exercises out of the large number present there were not a

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## TODD ADOPTS TRIGG METHODS

Festival Crowd of Negroes Run Upon Night Riders at Work.

### DESTROYING A CROP.

Details of The Kukluxing of John Lockert in Guthrie Friday Night.

A party of five negroes returning from a festival near Trenton came unexpectedly upon a gang of outlaws engaged in pulling up and destroying a field of tobacco Saturday night belonging to Otis W. Wilson, a leading farmer and lawyer near Trenton, Todd county. The negroes took to their heels and one man and three women escaped. One of the women ran through a freshly formed pond in her terror. The other man was caught and he claims was roughly handled and his keys and empty purse taken from him. He had \$40 concealed on his person, in a secret pocket, which was not taken. The men stopped pulling up tobacco and rode away and passing a negro cabin fired a volley into the window. A spent ball hit the wall and glanced into the lap of a woman who had returned from the festival.

Wilson was formerly a member of the association but withdrew and has vigorously denounced incendiarism and violence. He was formerly county attorney of Todd county.

### THE GUTHRIE OUTRAGE.

John Lockert Brutally Beaten Almost in Public.

John Lockert, who was brutally assaulted by highwaymen in Guthrie Friday night, is said to be threatened with blood poison from the lacerations on his body. Pieces of his clothing were beaten into his mangled flesh. He was approached on the street by a man who told him he wanted to see him and taking him behind a store they were joined by four others, who blindfolded him and after taking him to a secluded spot beat him in a brutal manner with a bundle of switches. No attention was paid to the man's cries and no arrests have followed the assault.

Lockert was a non-association farmer of Todd county, who was in Guthrie on business.

### A Valuable Lesson.

"Six years ago I learned a valuable lesson," writes John pleasant, of Mognolia, Ind. "I then began taking Dr. King's New Life Pills, and the longer I take them the better I find them." They please everybody. Guaranteed at R. C. Hardwick druggist 25 c.

Mr. John H. Bell, Jr., left for New York City Tuesday, where he will remain for three weeks or more buying goods for the stores of J. H. Anderson & Co., of which he is manager.

### Mule Taken Up.

I have been troubled with a stray mule since the 23rd. of July. She jumped the wire fence and is ruining my crop. I have turned her out a dozen times or more, and the last time I put her up in my stable and am taking care of her. The mule is about 15 hands high, light bay, about 7 years old, no marks or brands except collar marks. Owner please call and get her.

G. W. Morgan,

Upshaw-Buckner farm, near Longview, Ky.

Mesdames A. W. Pyle and A. G. Bowles went to Fairview yesterday to visit Mrs. M. Tandy.

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