

Editorial Comment

The Bristow amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for popular election of Senators will be ratified by three-fourths of the States and will become a part of the Constitution by proclamation of the Secretary of State within two months, according to information gathered by its author, Senator Bristow, of Kansas.

Postmaster General Burleson announces that he will enforce rigidly the publicity law requiring newspapers to file with the Government and publish a sworn statement showing the names of their bondholders, security holders, stockholders, amount of daily circulation and to designate all paid for articles as "advertisements."

Gov. George H. Hodges, of Kansas, has sent a message to the legislature urging commission form of legislative government. He proposes to replace present legislative representation with two members from each congressional district who would devote their entire time to state business.

Possible disbarment of Clarence S. Darrow will be considered at the next meeting of the Los Angeles Bar Association, according to an announcement made by Henry J. Stevens, president of the organization.

Judge C. C. Givens has sold a half interest in the Madisonville Hustler to W. W. Smoak, an experienced newspaper man from Waterbury, S. C.

Col. Malcolm H. Crump has been appointed Road Engineer of Warren county. Col. Crump is the finest road engineer in Kentucky and Warren county is fortunate indeed.

Miss Augusta Huber, aged 19, a pretty Cincinnati girl, has married Eagle Eye, a full-blooded Sioux Indian, there with a moving picture show specialty performance.

The Gleaner says the L. & N. Railroad is preparing to run an hourly interurban service between Evansville and Henderson in the near future.

Mayor John T. Hinton, of Paris, charged with receiving \$700 to control a council election has been pardoned by Gov. McCreary before trial.

Mexico is preparing to hold a presidential election in July. As everyone who votes wrong will be shot, the result may be foretold.

Josh Griffith seems to have the job of Internal Revenue Collector at Owensboro nailed down, and Josh is a mighty good man.

A new law in Massachusetts requires the points of hats to be protected by some device under a penalty of \$100.

Henderton fans have gotten busy in the effort to raise \$2,500 necessary to stay in the Kitty League.

The Wisconsin Legislature has placed bull frogs under the protection of game laws.

The Huerta troops are being rapidly driven out of the state of Sonora, Mexico.

Locked Horns.

Wood Axton and Dr. J. N. Sebastian, two of the Louisville Bull Moose leaders, blacked each others eyes in a fight at a committee meeting Monday night.

BIG CASE IN COURT

Amount Involved, \$20,000 in Realty and \$8,000 in Personality.

17 MORE INDICTMENTS MADE

The Garrott Will Case Will Probably Take Balance of Week.

The grand jury yesterday just before noon handed in another batch of indictments, 17 in number. Three bills were found against John Beasley, wounding another with intent to kill; Milton Hunt, wounding and maliciously shooting another with intent to kill; Frank Buckner, petit larceny.

The following cases were called during the week and continued: Ison Palmer's Admex against Empire Coal & Coke Co.

Bernard Atkinson against J. F. Van Hooser.

W. R. Overton against J. F. Van Hooser, and others.

City of Hopkinsville against Rachael Hargraves.

The case of G. C. Bowles against L. & N. R. R. Co. was dismissed.

The case of Herbert McMath's Administrator against Peaslee-Gaultbert Co. was stricken from the docket.

In the case of Ela Leavell and St. Clair Leavell against the I. C. & T. C. railroads, \$60 was allowed to each of the plaintiffs in each case.

In the case of J. W. Weaver against J. Arvin, and others a verdict was found for the defendants.

The case of Wilson Major against Edmond Garrott was called for trial yesterday morning. The jury was empaneled and the case reviewed by the attorneys by noon and the hearing of the testimony was begun at 1 o'clock.

There are a large number of witnesses to be examined and it will probably require five or six days to place the case in the hands of the jury. Major seeks to set aside the will of Miss Mary Ann Garrott, who died in April last year.

LIQUOR SHIPMENTS

Returned Following Instructions in Regard To The Webb Law.

Madisonville, Ky., March 12.—The lid was clamped down good and tight on shipments of booze into Madisonville Saturday and as a result some seventy-five or a hundred cases of whisky and a large quantity of beer was shipped back to Indiana wholesale houses, following instructions in regard to the Webb bill, furnished local express agents from headquarters. Large quantities of both whisky and beer are received here daily and when the announcement was made that the lid was on as far as deliveries were concerned, many were disappointed. Another shipment received on the late train was returned.

Charges Against Uncle Sam.

Mexico City, March 12.—Charges that an American syndicate is financially supporting the revolt of former Gov. Jose M. Maytorena in Sonora, created a sensation here. The charges were formerly made in the Chamber of Deputies last night by Deputy Querido Mohena.

ALL WORKING FOR TEN DOLLAR CLUBS

Hundreds of Subscriptions Will Be Turned in This Week.

INTEREST GROWS AS END DRAWS NEAR.

Only A Few Extra Votes For The Next Week And Contestants Realize This Week Is The Time to Work.

All the contestants in the Kentuckian piano and diamond contest are busy this week, working for \$10 clubs and by Saturday night many of them will have secured one or more of the big 18,000 extra vote coupons that is given with each \$10 club of subscriptions. This offer closes next Saturday night, March 15, and as only a few extra votes will be allowed next week, those who expect to win realize that this week is the time to do effective work.

STANDING OF THE CONTESTANTS

Honor Roll. Dis. 1—Arnes Perry..... 199,086 Dis. 2—Louise Fox..... 180,600 Dis. 3—Bessie Myers..... 164,200 Dis. 4—Sarah Davis..... 208,600

DISTRICT NO. 1.

District No. 1.—All of the territory in the city of Hopkinsville North of Seventh street. Arnes Perry..... 199,086 Evelyn Perkins..... 190,650 Olivia Higen..... 167,700 Mary Belle Page..... 164,800 Suzan Moss..... 150,900 Mrs. Chas. F. Shelton..... 136,050 Annie Pierce..... 132,950

DISTRICT NO. 2.

District No. 2.—All territory in the city of Hopkinsville South of Seventh street. Louise Fox..... 180,600 Bessie Carter..... 162,850 Dena Wright..... 150,900 Mrs. Laura Foard..... 150,250 Belle Williams..... 123,800 Myrtle Faulkner..... 115,950 Emma Leigh Cowherd..... 66,700

100---FREE VOTES---100

FOR MRS. or MISS. ADDRESS This coupon when properly filled out and sent to the Kentuckian, will entitle the lady whose name appears thereon to 100 free votes. Have your friends save them for you. Trim neatly. Do not fold. (VOID AFTER MARCH 18.)

DEATH ROLL OF BATTLE

Total of 506 Killed in Fighting in Mexico City on February 9.

Mexico City, March 12.—The death roll of the battle fought in front of the National Palace on February 9, when Felix Diaz attacked the Government, totaled 506, according to a report by the present military authorities. The victims included 170 women, six children, 208 noncombatants, ten military students and forty Federal soldiers, and 82 rebels.

To Go To Turkey.

Louisville, Ky., March 12.—Miss Louise Carroll, daughter of the late Judge William Carroll of this city, and William Carroll of Carrollton, who is United States Consul at Constantinople, were married this morning at the Seelbach Hotel. After a trip to New York the young couple will leave for Constantinople. The bride is a niece of Judge Carroll of the Court of Appeals.

WESTMINSTER REVIVAL

Large Congregations Attend The Special Evangelistic Services.

SERVICES FOR SATURDAY

Special Meeting For Children at Three O'clock In Afternoon.

The second week of the evangelistic services at Westminster church began with large congregations at both services and Mr. Belk has won for himself a permanent place in the hearts and lives of the Christian people of the community.

The afternoon services are particularly enjoyable and helpful and the people take part readily in the reading of previously assigned passages. There is an evident conception of the Bible as really the very word of God, and the speaker finds no other foundation for the doctrines he proclaims than a divine revelation.

No Action Taken.

The papers in the Council's investigation of charges of bribery against Councilman R. L. Bradley and John W. Richards last January, laid before the grand jury by order of the Council, have been returned and it is understood that no indictments will be returned. The charges were based on the testimony of Alfred Means, an unsuccessful candidate for nomination as policeman.

UNANNOUNCED WEDDING

Kirkmansville Young Lady Became Bride of J. H. Cate, Jr.

Miss Sibyl Charm Grace and Mr. J. H. Cate, Jr., were the principals in a quiet wedding at the Methodist church Monday afternoon. The hour was 5 o'clock and the pastor of the church, Rev. A. R. Kasey, officiated.

NOTED SCULPTOR DEAD.

Louis Saint Gaudens Left Some Masterpieces as Monuments.

Cornish, N. H., March 12.—Louis Saint Gaudens, a sculptor known from his own original work and as an assistant of his brother, the late Augustus Saint Gaudens, died here Saturday of pneumonia. He was born 59 years ago in New York. One of his last best known works was the design of the arch at the new railroad station in Washington.

Purely Persona.

E. H. Higgins has returned from New York.

Miss Ella Blumensteil has returned from New York City.

Mrs. Irving Roseborough went to Nashville this week on a visit.

Mrs. J. C. Tate, of Clarksville, is visiting Mrs. Green Henry Russell.

W. A. Cantrill and daughter Miss Desma, have gone to New Orleans on a visit.

Hon. J. F. Bible, who addressed the business men of Paducah last week, has returned to the city.

Miss Fannie Bronaugh, who had been visiting in Clinton and St. Louis, Mo., since October, is expected home today.

O. C. Kinsolving has returned from Washington City, where he attended the inauguration and also visited his brother.

Mrs. Geo. M. Steele is quite ill at her home on East Ninth street. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. F. Kennedy, of Paducah, is with her.

Millan Robinson, of Muhlenberg county, who has tuberculosis and has been ill at the home of David Smith for a while, left yesterday morning for Colorado Springs.

Archie Higgins, Marlow Chris, W. E. Williamson, Oscar Brasher and Leslie Boxley attended the meeting of the W. O. W. at Henderson last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee, who spent a good part of the winter here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McMath, returned to their home at Buchanan, North Dakota, Sunday night, having been notified by telegraph of the serious illness of their daughter, Mrs. Joel Johnson.

COL. O. G. SPROUSE

Will In a Short Time Take Up His Residence Here.

Realizing that Hopkinsville is the best place in this section of the country, and always seeking the best of everything, Col. O. G. Sprouse has announced his intention of coming here to make his home in a few weeks. Nobody will have to step aside to make room for the big-hearted, alert business man—he can make room for himself. His ability to do so has already been proven. He came here a year or so ago and opened up a big store in the Cook building, on Ninth street. Immediately he stepped to the front as a wide-awake progressive merchant. He soon taught economical buyers to "walk a block and save a dollar," and they haven't stopped walking yet, because they know that "there's a dollar in it" when they find themselves in the store of the O. G. Sprouse Co.

By the generous use of printer's ink Mr. Sprouse succeeded in getting people to go his way who rarely visited that section of the city to do their trading, unless some special attraction had called them. The first opening was a big success but the opening sales for a week were but a prelude to the many slaughter sales that have followed in quick succession ever since. "Always something special for economical buyers" seems to be the motto of the O. G. Sprouse Co. Square, honest dealing always wins and the Sprouse methods have become so well known that their large double store always catches the crowd when it is out hunting bargains.

Not Improving.

The latest intelligence from Mr. James West, who is at Rochester, Minn., is not at all encouraging. In his last letter, received Tuesday, Mr. West said that no time had been set for him to bring his son home. The operation performed by the Drs. Mayo was a success but the patient's recovery is so slow that Mr. West and James may remain until the first of April.

A Little Improved.

Dr. J. D. Clardy's condition this morning was a little improved, though he is still a very sick man.