

Editorial Comments.

James Moran, of Marion, Ill., was 111 years old on July 23.

Camden seems to have the short term race for Senator won.

It's going to be a hard blow on Harry Sommers to lose his own county. But the old man has made a game fight.

Attorney General McReynolds is said to be engaged to Miss Lucy Burleson, daughter of the Postmaster General.

The Wisconsin eugenic marriage laws caused a falling off of 1,434 weddings in five months, as compared with 1913.

Attorney Jas. C. McReynolds is tipped as a sure shot for associate justice of the Supreme Court to succeed Justice Lurton.

The armless woman in New York who signed her marriage certificate with her foot proved that she was willing to toe the mark.

A bulletin issued in Germany says the population is increasing 100 an hour. A child is born every 16 seconds and a death occurs every 28 seconds.

Jas. E. Ferguson, anti-prohibitionist, won the nomination for Governor of Texas by a 30,000 majority. The prohibition amendment lost by 10,000.

Statistics in Austria show that more widowers than widows marry. If Austria goes to war there will soon be a great many more widows than can find second husbands.

Nine lawyers have professional cards in the Elizabethtown News, which speaks well for the intelligence of the Elizabethtown bar. In these days, no man unwilling to advertise his business need expect success.

The following able and thoroughly impartial editorial on the senatorial election is suggested for all State papers next week. It will come out at a time when the hot campaign will be over and nothing should be said to disturb the party harmony. All brother editors are at liberty to use the editorial in its entirety without giving credit, as here given:

THE SENATORIAL RACE.

Mr. Beckham also ran.

Bloodshed followed a riot at Dublin, Ireland, Sunday afternoon. A battalion of the King's Own Scottish reserves fired into a mob that was pelting the soldiers with missiles. Three men and one woman were killed and 60 persons wounded, seven fatally. Nationalist volunteers had received a shipment of arms and the reserves were ordered to recover the rifles. The riot occurred while the troops were marching through the streets. The London News calls it "The Dublin Massacre."

Carbajal has named as peace commissioners to confer with Carranza at Saltillo, Gen. Lauro Villar and Judge David G. Allende. Gen. Villar is expected to be specially acceptable to the constitutionalists, as he possesses a clean military record. He commanded the troops at the national palace when it was attacked by Gens. Bernardo Reyes and Felix Diaz, and was severely wounded. He has not been in politics during the Huerta regime. Judge Allende is not connected with any political party. He will represent the civil government and Gen. Villar the army.

Ideal Shoes.

After a series of tests in which the X-ray was used to determine the exact effect that various shoes had on soldiers, the army has envolved a shape that is said to be the best in the world.

Street Playgrounds

One block's length of street on the East Side in New York will be closed to traffic for three hours each afternoon to serve as a playground.

SERVIAN WAR SCARE

Austria Bluffs And Little Balkan Country Defies.

RUSSIA BACKS SERVIA. All Europe May Be Drawn Into Greatest War Ever Known.

Vienna, July 27.—The Servian Government has refused to comply with Austria's demands, the most humiliating, it is said, ever asked of an independent nation, which action was closely followed by the breaking off of diplomatic relations. War is regarded by the public as a certainty. The action of Austria-Hungary created the greatest enthusiasm in Berlin, the tumult being led by hands playing German and Austrian airs. Emperor William is on his way to Berlin. The mobilization of the Russian army will proceed immediately. The Czar has fully approved the decision of his Ministers to this effect. No declaration of war has yet been issued. The sending of his passports to the Servian Minister, M. Jovanovitch, by the Austrian Foreign Office, however, is deemed equivalent to a declaration of war. This action was taken Sunday, the report that the Servian Minister had left Vienna Saturday having been incorrect. M. Jovanovitch will leave immediately. In his absence the Russian Ambassador will take charge of Servian interests.

Servia has appealed to The Hague in response to the demands of Austria-Hungary, but in the meantime preparations for war on the part of the powers involved continued and acts of war it is claimed, have already been committed by the Austrian and Servian Governments.

COMMITTS SUICIDE

Miss Elvira Davis, Aged 40, Tired of Life at Galveston.

A young woman who was found dead on the beach at Galveston, Tex., was identified Friday as Miss Elvira Davis, a stenographer of San Antonio, Tex.

In a farewell letter to her employer and in a telegram to Dr. Schaefer, her friend, Miss Davis told them that hereditary rheumatism slowly was taking hold of her, and that as she had no one depending upon her, she felt justified in ending her life before she became helpless and dependent upon others.

A San Antonio paper says of her: Was Native of Kentucky.

Miss Davis was about 40 years old. She came to San Antonio with her parents from Henderson, Ky., when she was a girl. Her father originally was from Lexington, Ky. Her mother was Miss Annie Ware, originally from Hopkinsville, Ky. The family consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Elvira, Susie, Georgie and Howard, all of whom are dead.

Miss Davis graduated from the San Antonio public school. She taught one year and then studied stenography. Afterwards she was in the employ of Geo. W. Brackenridge as private secretary up to the time of her death.

"She was a noble and good woman," was all Mr. Brackenridge could say in his sorrow when he heard the news.

Taking Census.

The Caron Directory Co's canvass began yesterday. L. D. Houston, who was here getting up ads last week, has been joined by name-takers J. D. Poits, W. J. McBride and J. E. Johnson. They are located with Mrs. Quick and Mrs. Lane, on Main street.

ANOTHER LIBERAL OFFER FOR KENTUCKIAN CONTESTANTS

35,000 Extra Votes With Each \$20 Club of Subscription Turned In By Saturday Night Aug. 1--Big Opportunity For Those Who Want To Improve Their Chances For Success.

The Kentuckian's big Automobile and trip contest is now more than half over and the end is drawing near very rapidly. With less than three weeks remaining in which contestants can work for subscriptions. The workers will appreciate the big Extra Vote offer announced in this issue, of 35,000 extra votes with each club of \$20 turned in on subscription by Saturday night August 1. The workers will greatly increase their chance of success by taking advantage of this offer. Don't be satisfied with one club, get several and success will be more certain. There is now no time to be lost. Don't wait till the last week to do your best work. Do it this week while this big offer is in force.

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS

District One.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Includes Mabel Boyd (96,300), Nora Higgins (86,300), Elizabeth Davis (85,600), Mary Roper (38,200), Lily May Wortham (27,300), Edith Morris (22,000), Nell Espie (21,600), Alberta Mitchell (21,100), Effie Clark (10,800), Ruth Hayden (10,200), Cinderella Armstrong (9,700), Elizabeth Fox (8,700), Elsie Bowles (7,900), Ruby Nelson (3,100), Helen Carroll (2,800).

District Two.

DISTRICT NO. 2--All of the territory outside of Hopkinsville, East of

the L. & N. Railroad North of Hopkinsville and East of the T. C. Railroad South of Hopkinsville. Mrs. Eugene Kelly (80,000), Lorena Shelton (50,400), Hazel Hayes (38,700).

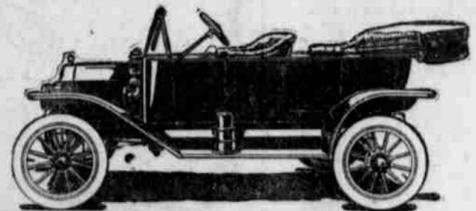
Miss Mable Boyd is again in the lead to day with a good round number of votes to her credit. Other contestants are holding a good supply of reserve votes, and are determined to win.

District Three.

DISTRICT NO. 3--All of the territory outside of the city of Hopkinsville, West of the L. & N. Railroad North of Hopkinsville, and West of the T. C. Railroad South of Hopkinsville.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Includes Nell Dawson (87,400), Katie Osteen (86,300), Robbie McKenzie (81,300), Mrs. I. B. Cayce (64,100), Mabel Maddux (62,100), Elizabeth Major (56,100), Lois Adams (15,200).

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 Aug. 1



Ford Touring First Car Prize.

S. R. STEWART KILLED IN TENN. LOCAL SHOWER

Hit By Pile Driver While Working on An I. C. Bridge.

S. R. Stewart, known as Bud Stewart aged 45 years, was killed near Dyersburg, Tenn., Friday while operating a pile driver in bridge construction on the I. C. Railroad. He was a bridge carpenter and was a brother of Wm. Stewart, of Madisonville, and J. M. Stewart, of Tennessee. Mrs. Frank Shelton and Miss Melissa Stewart, of this county, are his sisters. The body was brought here and buried Sunday with Pythian and Odd Fellows honors, the deceased being a member of the local lodges of those orders. Mr. Stewart made this city his home, but was away most of the time. He was unmarried.

Henriette Collapsed.

Mme. Callaux, on trial charged with the murder of Gaston Calmette, fainted while her husband's love letters, written to her before his divorce from Mme. Gueden, were read in court. Another feature is the quarrel that has arisen between the presiding judges, resulting in a challenge to duel being sent by Judge Albert to Judge Dagoury.

ANOTHER GOOD LOCAL SHOWER

Hopkinsville Gets Nearly An Inch of Wetness Sunday Night.

Another spell of excessively hot weather began last week and the temperature for several days attained the following maximum figures: Thursday (101), Friday (101), Saturday (99), Sunday (102). The minimum for Sunday was 70 degrees, which followed a rain in the early part of the night. There was a nice shower in the city, the rainfall being .70 of an inch and bringing the local rainfall for the month of July up to 2.45 inches, in 4 showers. Sunday's rain was much heavier North and Northeast of town, but extended only a mile or two South of town.

Give Jewels For Votes.

An appeal to the women of the country to give up their gold and silver trinkets to the cause of equal suffrage was issued by the Campaign Committee of the National American Woman Suffrage Association. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson C. Ider, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crider are on a camping party near Fredonia.

HEARD BY THOUSANDS

Great Crowds Greet Stanley In Swing Through Christian County.

NAILED BECKHAM AS COWARD For Dodging a Position on Statewide Prohibition-- Whisky Men For Him.

As a part of a whirl wind campaign through Christian county, Congressman A. O. Stanley spoke at the Tabernacle Saturday afternoon at 1:30. He was introduced by Judge C. H. Bush, who highly praised Mr. Stanley and the ability with which he has filled the offices which have heretofore been given him. Mr. Stanley is an orator of great renown and is a sound reasoner. He discussed the political issue of the democratic primary to select a nominee for the long term of United States Senator and gave many convincing arguments why he should be selected to make the race.

He was greeted with loud and frequent cheering and applause and kept the interest and undivided attention of the crowd for an hour and 20 minutes. In spite of the extremely hot weather, there was an enormous crowd in the tabernacle. Mr. Stanley opened his speech by saying that it would grieve him to think that he had any need to come into Christian county, where he had been reared, to speak in his own behalf. He said that it was largely upon the support of the people of this county and the other counties in the Second district that he was relying to swell his majority in the primary.

Mr. Stanley stated that he had always been the friend of the farmer and the working man and pointed to his past record to prove it. He said that Mr. Beckham was making his race as the champion of the political bosses and the money interests and pointed to Haly, Shackelford, Knott and Milton Board as Beckham's most active benchmen and allies.

Mr. Stanley referred to a statement of Mr. Beckham that the prohibition question was the paramount issue in the contest. He said that Beckham had never yet definitely stated where he stood upon that issue and offered \$100 to any one present who could refer him to any statement, or speech, or letter of Mr. Beckham's in which he positively stated that he was either for state-wide, or national prohibition, or the now pending Hobson resolution. He said that among Beckham's strongest supporters were certain leading whiskey dealers of Louisville and Lexington. He said Mr. Beckham was on the fence; that he was trying to get the votes of the wets in the cities and the drys in the country. He said that Beckham did not have the courage to state frankly where he stood; that he was afraid to explain his views and that he did not believe the men of Kentucky would rally beneath the banner of a coward.

He said that on the prohibition question he stood with President Wilson, that each community should decide that for itself.

The matter next taken up was the repeated refusal of Mr. Beckham to meet Stanley and discuss any of the important issues in the race. At Murray, Ky., the only place large enough or adaptable in any way suitable for a political speaking is the new court house. This was secured for Mr. Stanley, Beckham afterwards wrote to Murray asking that he be allowed to speak in the court house and was told that it had been obtained by Stanley. Stanley then had Beckham notified that he would be glad to yield half of the time to him and that they could discuss the main questions of the primary. Rather than meet Stanley, Mr. Beckham rented a small picture show and addressed a meager gathering of his supporters.

Mr. Stanley declared that he would carry the county.

VETERINARIANS OF SIX STATES

Hold Semi-Annual Session Here Beginning Tomorrow.

BARBECUE DINNER AT CAVE Distinguished Members Who Will Be Present At Meeting.

The Ohio Valley Veterinary Association, embracing Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri and Tennessee, will convene here to-morrow in semi-annual session.

Dr. J. H. Snyder, of New Harmony, Ind., is President and Dr. C. T. Howard, of Sullivan, Ind., is Secretary.

The meetings will be held at the Isbell Hospital on Seventh street. The association has a membership of 100 and fully 50 are expected to attend. Ninety per cent of the membership live north of the Ohio river and this is the first meeting held south of the river.

The local committee in charge of the arrangements has prepared an interesting program which includes a number of clinical cases and an old fashioned barbecue dinner at Campbell's cave.

Among the noted men of the profession who will be here, will be: Dr. F. T. Eismann, of Louisville, former state veterinarian; Dr. Robert Graham of Lexington, former state veterinarian; Dr. F. S. Musselman, of Frankfort, present state veterinarian for Tennessee; Dr. McKillip, of the McKillip Veterinary college of Chicago; Dr. C. I. Fleming, of the Terre Haute Veterinary college; Dr. Roberts, of the Indianapolis Veterinary college; Dr. J. H. Snyder, of New Harmony, Ind., president of the association, and Dr. C. F. Howard, of Sullivan, Ind., the secretary.

Dr. G. P. Isbell is at the head of the local committee that is doing all possible to make the meeting a successful one.

PRISONER WINS IN TEST SUIT

Judge Hanbery Decides That City Court Has No Jurisdiction In Weapon Cases.

Yesterday morning about 10 o'clock the trial of Kelley Robinson, on a special writ of habeas corpus, was held before Judge Hanbery in the circuit court room. The defendant was tried by City Judge Hunter Wood, Jr., about six days ago and was disfranchised and sent to the workhouse for a term of days on the charge of carry a concealed deadly weapon. Judge Hanbery decided that under the new law the city judge had no jurisdiction in such cases and granted the appeal for another trial.

Judge C. H. Bush represented Robinson and City Attorney Southall was lawyer for the city.

The case was taken before Judge Knight this morning and the negro pleaded guilty. The same punishment was given him as before, ten days in the work house, a fine of \$50 and he was disfranchised for 2 years.

Mr. Beckham resides, the town in which he has his home, the ward in which he votes, and the street on which he lives.

In closing Mr. Stanley said that he had been told by the lieutenants of Beckham that if he gained a 9,000 majority in the second district he would be nominated and he called upon the people of this county and district to give their support to him, whom they had tried and found always to be their friend and the representative of their wishes.

Mrs. W. C. Doherty returned to home in Denver yesterday afternoon.