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WHO IS WHO.

Haldeman and Woodson Issue Near Solution.

New York, Nov. 1.—William F. McCombe, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, announced tonight that a meeting of the committee had been called for December 7 to decide where the next National Convention shall be held. The committee will meet at the New Willard Hotel in Washington.

INTO THE QUIET COUNTRY

Particularly Must the City-Bred Man Appreciate Value of Being Close to Nature.

When summer days grow long and summer suns oppressive it needs no effort of the imagination to conjure up delightful pictures of other scenes far removed from the dust and the heat and the clang. Perhaps you have stepped from the train on some dewy summer morning at a station that amounted to no more than a shack almost in the heart of the woods. And while the cars have rumbled on their way you have embarked in a boat that took you up some delightful river, deeper and deeper into the wilds. The closeness and the dirt and even the noise of the city have been lost in the strange quiet, broken only by the occasional flapping of wings, the dip of your paddle or maybe the odd laughing of a loon as your river widened into a little lake, a veritable jewel of the woods hidden away from profane eyes. It is a picture that never fades; it calls up other memories—the narrow trail through the big trees, the sun setting over the quiet waters, the cool forest night and the lullaby of little waves lapping the shore that only emphasized the deep, brooding quiet.

Lean back in your chair for a moment on a long, warm day. How it all comes back, the lure of the wind, not because it is wild, but because it is natural and serene and reassuring—the voice of the mighty silent places speaking peace to the soul.—Milwaukee Journal.

Hens Pay For Carpet.

Campbelsburg, Ky., Nov. 1.—A unique way of raising money for a church carpet for the \$10,000 Baptist church, which is to be dedicated next month, was instituted here by the Ladies' Missionary Society. Two by two they canvassed the surrounding country, asked at each house for a hen. The result of the day's driving counted 100 hens, netting the committee \$50. This amount almost completed the \$250 fund for same.

Blind Men and Women.

It is estimated that throughout the world blind men outnumber blind women in the proportion of two to one.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

OPENING NUMBER

Of The Redpath Lyceum at Tabernacle To-morrow Night.

The first number of the Hopkinsville Lyceum course will be Bartolotta, the Italian tenor, and the Dolejs orchestra to-morrow night. Seats may be reserved to-day and to-morrow at Anderson-Fowler's, commencing at 9 o'clock this morning. The plat will be taken to the Tabernacle on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock and reservations may be made there after that. That the citizens of Hopkinsville are to be highly entertained this winter is certain and the one who misses these various numbers as they come, will regret it when the opportunity has gone. Flint, M. Chi-



Signor Bartolotta

go, through the press reports as follows about the company of artists that is to be here to-morrow night and that is only a sample:

"A large audience attended the first number of the winter entertainment series at the Court street M. E. church last evening and all appeared delighted with the program offered by the Dolejs Bohemian orchestra and Signor Bartolotta, the Detroit tenor. The latter appeared here a few months ago with the Redpath Chautauqua and his return was welcomed by all who had heard him on his previous appearance. The musicians offered a splendid program of a varied nature which was enthusiastically received.

Looks Like Flush Times.

The steel and iron trade has been taken always as a reliable index of the country's prosperity, and just now that industry is remarkably active. Advices from New York say that virtually every iron furnace and steel mill in the country is working night and day to the full capacity to fill orders, and the demand cannot be satisfied. That is beyond anything the country has experienced before, and unless the old signs all fail, general business improvement must follow.—Banner.

Old newspapers for sale here.

NICE BUILDING

Owned By Former Colored Councilman, E. W. Glass.

The two-story brick business house of E. W. Glass, at 212 and 214 North Main street, is nearing completion and is quite an addition to the block in which it is situated. There are two storerooms on the first floor. One of these will be occupied by the undertaking establishment of the owner, now on the opposite side of the street, and the other will be used for the restaurant of Fannie Boyd. It will be filled up with accommodations for both white and colored customers. The upper floor is divided into offices and all of these are already rented in advance. The building is now receiving its finishing touches and a concrete sidewalk has been laid.

IDEAL HOMES OF AMERICA

Comparing Those of the Past With the Present Abodes Shows Much Contrast.

"The ultimate aim seems to be, according to Emerson, 'homes of virtue, sense and taste,'" recently wrote Henry T. Bailey of Boston in prefacing a book on household economics. "The progress of thought in our country seems recorded in that single line. Homes of virtue were certainly the ideal of pilgrim and puritan. Stalwart and incorruptible men and women came from those early homes, where 'sense' in sanitation and matters of convenience and comfort, at least, was rare and where 'taste' was dormant.

"Homes of sense were the ideal of the nineteenth century. Adequate water supply, a heating system, bathrooms, ventilation, a sanitary and well-equipped kitchen and labor-saving devices of all kinds came in to make the typical home in the United States more enjoyable from the merely physical point of view than the homes of the kings and queens of bygone years.

"Homes of taste are the ideal of the twentieth century. And taste is coming to be interpreted in the broadest possible sense, the sense in which the early Greek understood it, 'nothing too much,' plus the sense in which the Christian understands it, 'everything done decently and in order.' Ultimately virtue, sense and taste in our homes will be held in just balance."

Remarkable Clock.

A clock made entirely of straw and willow withes has been completed recently in Switzerland. The chimes are made of straw put through a special process to give a ringing sound. Not a bit of metal was used in the unique clock.

The two factions in Mexico are drawing up for a decisive battle over the line from Douglas, and Villa claims to have 18,000 while Carranza's entrenched army numbers 6,000. A strong force of Americans is guarding the border.

THREE STATE GATHERINGS

That Will Assemble In Hopkinsville In 1916.

Three important State conventions have already arranged to meet in Hopkinsville during 1916. The first will be the annual convention of the Travelers Protective Association, of which Paul Winn, a Hopkinsville man, is the President. The body holds its meeting in the spring. It met here about 8 years ago and its session concluded with a banquet at Hotel Latham.

In the early fall the State Medical Society will meet here and hundreds of doctors from all over the State will be in attendance. The local doctors will endeavor to make their visit a memorable one. If this body ever met here, it was many years ago.

In October 1916 the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias will hold its annual session here and a Hopkinsville man is in line to be elected to the highest office of the Grand Lodge at that meeting. Lucian H. Davis is now Vice Chancellor and certain to be promoted at that time.

All of these meetings will bring large numbers of visitors to the city and the people generally will be interested in sustaining Hopkinsville's reputation for hospitality.

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About Gypsum.

Like limestone, gypsum belongs to the lime-containing groups of minerals, but is a sulphate, while limestone is a carbonate. The process of utilizing gypsum is extremely simple. It is heated until the water is driven off as steam, leaving behind a white powder which has the power of taking up water again and becoming hard. This fundamental principle was well known to the Egyptians and Greeks, although, of course, they could not have been aware of the manifold uses to which modern ingenuity has put the soft, white, marble-like rock.

Bird Alley.

Has anyone in Columbus heard of Bird Alley? Yes, this street is in Columbus and is inhabited only by birds, choice canary birds. Bird Alley is in the penitentiary, in the hospital department, where seventy-five canary birds, neatly housed in artistic cages, lend their warblings and song to cheer the inmates of the walled city. These birds are housed on the second floor of the hospital building and occupy a row about twenty feet long. All breeds and colors are here represented, and can be heard whistling and warbling over this section of the prison.—Columbus Dispatch.

It is expected that Kentucky and Tennessee counties with contesting routes will make a spirited fight for a place on the Dixie Bee Line at the convention to be held next Thursday in Evansville. No matter what happens, Hopkinsville's position is secure.

Bitten by Mad Cat.

Cadiz, Ky., Nov. 1.—Dr. W. H. Jefferson and little daughter Marion, of this place, are both in Nashville being treated for rabies. Last week the house cat came into the child's bedroom in the night and, climbing upon her bed, bit the child on both elbows. The cat's actions being very strange, Dr. Jefferson undertook to catch her to confine her for a few days to see what the result was. The cat scratched him on the hand. It was then killed and its brains sent to Nashville to be examined, and it was ascertained that it had rabies.

A Boy Hero.

Maurice Harris, ten years old, carried his ore-legged chum, Thomas O'Shea, on his back from the burning school building at Peabody, Mass. Whenever a horrible catastrophe occurs heroes and heroines as brave as any of those whose fame is emblazoned upon monuments are discovered among everyday men and women, or boys and girls, who have not been suspected of exceptional courage.—State Journal.

Patchogue, L. I., has a woman deputy sheriff.

IMPERFECT EQUIPMENT



"I wonder if hunters had any kind of equipment in Nimrod's day?"
"Of course not. They hadn't invented cameras and press agents in those days."

Accident at Funeral.

Sturgis, Ky., Nov. 1.—While the funeral cortege of Henry Francis, an aged farmer, was en route to the cemetery, a horse driven by Miss Lillie Collins, a school teacher, ran away, overturning the buggy occupied by Miss Collins, and breaking her leg. The horse was stopped and the vehicle overturned just as a collision with the hearse appeared imminent.

South Bethlehem, Pa., has celebrated its 50th birthday.

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