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Allen county has a hairless calf.

M. C. Williams, of Mt. Vernon, Ky., is a sub-lieutenant in the British navy.

An owl on a wire cut off the current at Middlesboro, until killed by the contact.

Of the first 150 names drawn in Lexington, 55 were of colored persons. The three first were colored.

The sixteen women suffragists pardoned by President Wilson last week were stubborn to the last and refused to beg his pardon.

An attempt to assassinate War Minister Kerensky was made Thursday at the town of Polotsk. A shot fired at the minister missed him.

The Governors of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois are all fighting the coal trust. We would like to see our Governor line up with them and form a "Big Four."

The 10,004th capsule drawn had a blank number. The highest number put in, 10,500 came out on the 238th draw and No. 1 was the 4,269th drawn. No. 13 was the 7,890th to come out.

Ed O. Leigh is back in Frankfort, this time at the head of a big clerical force in the Adjutant General's office to handle the details in connection with the conscripted army of 14,236 men.

Out of the first 100 numbers drawn, only 24 affected Christian county, being above 2925. The first number drawn, 258, drawn by Secretary Baker himself, got John Thomas Beard, in Hopkinsville, together with 4500, other young men all over the country.

In each of the 4,557 exemption districts among which the 10,000,000 registration cards have been divided, the cards have been given serial numbers. The number of registrants in each district varies from about 185 in the smallest to 10,263 in the largest, so that the serial numbers to be dealt with in the drawing range from one to ten thousand.

That America's intervention is regarded as serious concern because of her lack of tonnage to move troops; that the German fleet, particularly the submarines, would master the situation; that Germany would not continue the war a day longer if it could obtain an honorable peace; that she was forced into the war by Russia's mobilization of troops, and did not enter the struggle for conquest, was the substance of the speech delivered in the Reichstag by the new German Chancellor, Michaelis.

An attempt on Emperor William's life by two Americans was reported at Amsterdam Friday by a person who states that he knows the circumstances. According to his story, two men managed to get near the Emperor at Great Headquarters on July 3, before the Emperor went to Vienna. The men were seized by detectives, the tale goes, and were found to be in possession of revolvers. It is said these men, both Americans, had been promised a large reward by an American millionaire, for killing the Emperor, and they were shot twenty-four hours after their arrest. No names or further particulars are available, and the story has not been confirmed.

HERE'S CHAMPION FISH STORY

Angler Encounters Giant Rattlesnake Swimming in River and Hooks Reptile After Battle.

Howard Wells of Dunmar, W. Va., and two companions, who were angling for bass in Capon river a day or two ago, were given the fright of their lives when a large rattlesnake was discovered swimming across the stream and rattling its tail in a manner that left no doubt of its readiness for battle, says a Winchester (Va.) dispatch to the Baltimore Sun.

Each of the three men was wading and struggling to land four and five-pound bass which they had hooked, and instead of going in the opposite direction the snake swam right up to Mr. Wells, whose companions had retreated.

Wells kept one eye on the snake and the other on the line, at which the fish was tugging gamely, and when the rattler came within striking distance he dealt it a back-breaking blow with a small steel rod. A fish hook caught the snake in the mouth and Mr. Wells pulled in fish and snake at the same time. The bass weighed a little over five pounds. The snake was four and one-half feet long, its body was as large as a man's forearm, and its tail contained nine rattles and a button. River men never saw a rattler swim in the river, they said.

HANDKERCHIEF IS HIT HARD

Physician Urges Its Abolition on Ground That It is a Prolific Source of Infection.

Dr. F. Robbins, a New York physician, urges the abolition of the pocket handkerchief, because he firmly believes it to be a source of infection long after a person has recovered from such diseases as infantile paralysis and even common colds. "The day will come," he says, "when the customary cotton rag is replaced by the cheap and clean Japanese paper napkin, which is burned after it has been used. Infants and children are helpless against the rubbing of strange handkerchiefs over their perspiring and grimy faces. The public roller towel of the past was innocuous as compared to the family pocket handkerchief."

GERMANS BUY HEATHER.

Whenever opportunity has offered, Germany has been importing vast quantities of heather from Scandinavia, and our people, who heard of this from Danish agents, were at first a good deal puzzled, says London Answers. Now the mystery is explained. The heather is laid in thick layers in front of their trenches, and when a cloud of poison gas begins to drift across is at once fired. The heat of the fierce blaze naturally creates an upward current, and the gas is thus carried up and dissipated harmlessly.

THERE'S A LIMIT.

Mistress—What, dinner time, the fire out, and the breakfast dishes not yet washed? What have you been doing?

New Girl—Please, mum, I was busy all the mornin' readin' about a fine lady who killed her servant girl, mum.

Mistress—Well, mistresses can't stand everything.

A MEDICAL FLATTERER.

"My doctor scared me the other day. Said I was threatened with brain fever."

"Oh, don't let anyone frighten you with flattery that way."—Browning's Magazine.

HIS REASON.

"Why do you call Shortman a bad egg?" "Oh, it's so unpleasant to have him around when he's broke."

THAT QUEERED THE PLACE.

"How did that restaurant keeper come to fail?"

"He put out a sign reading 'Homelike cooking.'"

THE DISTURBING AGENT.

"My poor man, have you ever been pinched by poverty?"

"No, mum; hot as often as I has been the cops."

CONCOMITANT ACTIONS.

"Bill came to the office today half shot."

"What happened to him?" "He was fired."

GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then it would last two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful. My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three. I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui. I am married now and have 3 children. I have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce JOHN C. DUFFY as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Attorney subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM R. HOWELL of Christian county, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the State Senate from the District composed of Christian and Hopkins counties. Subject to the August primary.

We are authorized to announce EDWARD C. MAJOR as a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce H. A. ROBINSON, of Hopkinsville, as candidate for the Democratic nomination for STATE SENATOR for the Sixth Senatorial District composed of the counties of Christian and Hopkins. Primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce FRANK RIVES as a candidate for State Senator of the Christian-Hopkins district, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary on August 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce IRA D. SMITH as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Attorney. Subject to the action of the Democratic Party in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce W. J. MCGEE as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 4th.

We are authorized to announce T. S. WINFREE as a candidate for Constable in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. L. DADE as a candidate for Magistrate in the Sixth Magisterial district, subject to the Democratic primary in August.

We are authorized to announce W. A. NICHOLS as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary August.

We are authorized to announce M. V. B. RUSSELL as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

We are authorized to announce JAMES B. ALLENSWORTH as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS C. JONES as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Christian county subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce R. T. STOWE as a candidate for County Court Clerk subject to the action of the Democratic primary Aug. 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce W. L. GORE as a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce R. C. HOPSON as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. WOOD as a candidate for justice of the peace in Magisterial district No. 6. Subject of the Republican primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce T. H. JOINER as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

We are authorized to announce HUGH SEAROGENT, of Beverly, as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of District No. 4, Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4, 1917.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(CONTINUED)

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. THURMOND as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Assessor of Christian County. Subject to Primary election August 4th.

We are authorized to announce L. E. FOSTER as a candidate for Superintendent of Common Schools in Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary on August 4.

We are authorized to announce ROBERT H. MCCARROLL as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce GEO. W. MCKNIGHT as a Democratic candidate for Assessor of Christian county subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce Dr. J. B. JACKSON as a candidate for Representative in the Kentucky legislature from Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election on August 4.

We are authorized to announce W. S. DAVISON as a candidate for Magistrate of the Second Magisterial district, subject to the Democratic primary in August.

We are authorized to announce T. H. JOINER, Republican candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the primary August 4.

Fate is Treacherous. Fate is treacherous and soonest trays those who depend most upon it. It helps only those determined to help themselves by acting out their lives. Luck, too, is faithless and laughs at the man who too strongly puts his trust in it. It generously spreads a golden glow upon the achievements of the man who, as he prays, but for the man does not strive it has only macker Exchange.

Drink Water—Keep Young. Old age, a Rounian scientist contends, is due solely to a decrease in the amount of water in the human system.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, good health and purify the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold at all drug stores. Price \$1.25.—Advertisement.

Half of Country's Nuts Wasted. Nuts are wasted in great quantities in some parts of the country. This is true especially of such varieties as black walnuts and butternuts which have kernels not so easily taken from their shells as those of chestnuts and hickory nuts. It is probable that not half of the nuts which ripen every fall in the United States are ever eaten by human beings.

Art of Hanging Pictures. Pictures should have a strong base below, a large centerpiece above, and a higher point above this, thereby meeting architectural demands. A sofa against the wall, or a bookcase, or a large table may form the base, with an important picture as the centerpiece, either square or oblong. At all events the base should be wider than the structure above, and there should be a higher point of apex. The best of one's pictures should be placed over the fireplace.

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