

SMALL DOSES

The butter market is report 'firm' since the weather has become cooler.

In his speech at Reno the President took care to divorce patriotism from politics.

The new Capitol Hotel at Frankfort, restoring the old one, will cost \$350,000.

After all, we are not to get rid of the "daylight saving" nuisance until October 26th.

England has released at once all package mail held since 1914. A vast quantity.

Edward Bok has resigned as editor of the Ladies' Home Journal and will be succeeded Jan. 1 by H. O. Davis.

The Republicans are making a big effort to elect a congressman in the Seventh Alabama district to fill a vacancy.

The Mammoth Oil Co. at Lexington has been sued for million dollars and must be doing pretty "well."

The first test vote in the Senate showed 3 majority from the anti-peace crowd, with several absent without pairs.

Ludendorff's letters running in the daily papers have so far contained nothing to disturb the peace. He admits that as early as August 8 they realized they were whipped.

Dan O'Sullivan, one of Louisville's brightest newspaper men, is to start a new paper today to be called, "O'Sullivan's Weekly. It will be strong except in name and we look for a few hives to be taken off in the first issue.

Nineteen prominent citizens of the "September Born Club," of Trigg county had a picnic at Pollard White's Spring Sept. 18, all born in September. Allison Thomas, aged 94, and Henry Lawrence were there.

The National Geographic Society has issued a bulletin explaining that some snakes are destroyers of pests and are thus very useful to farmers. One of this class is the bull snake of the plains, but no one has a good word for the snake in the grass.

Lady Thackeray, of India, wife of a Hindu potentate, attracted much attention coming over to this country a few days ago on the Aquitania by being flashingly attired with a \$3,000 diamond on the outside of her left nostril, fastened into a hole in her nose.

The Italian rebels under D'Annunzio have been increased by recruits to 12,000 and are overrunning other Dalmatian towns without forces to defend them. To complicate affairs a general strike throughout Italy, tying up transportation and shipping, is threatened.

The Democrats are having to rely on the Post for loyal support, all three of the other Louisville dailies being either fighting in the open or sniping. The last time the Courier-Journal bolted the Times stayed loyal. This time both are very hard to please.

The Mayor of Milwaukee, whose name we have already forgotten, rushed into print to state that he would not invite the king of Belgium because he was more interested in workmen than in kings. The Mayor evidently has his names confused and fears that he is about to be ridden by Balaam instead of the royal visitor from Belgium.

Congressman Barclay, who referred to Joseph as Esau's brother was a much better Bible scholar than the editor of the Nashville Tennessean, who compares D'Annunzio to "Sampson who pushed over the temple." It was Sampson who pulled down the pillars supporting the temple. It was Samson who pulled who wasn't there when Schley won the battle of Santiago.

Col. Geo. W. Bain, who will speak in the city soon, has been a temperance speaker in Kentucky for more than 40 years. In his young days he was one of the most eloquent orators in Kentucky and it is said he retains much of the vigor and fire of his youth, while his intellectual force is undiminished and his speaking always effective. It must be a happy day for him to see his life dreams about to be realized.

CHRISTIAN CONVENTION CONCLUDES

FINAL SESSION HELD THURSDAY NIGHT AFTER DAY DEVOTED TO S. S.

ELECT MISSIONARY OFFICERS

Rev. Everett S. Smith Chosen President and Mrs. Frank W. Dabney, Delegate.

The sessions of the Christian Convention were carried out Wednesday and Thursday as shown by the published program. Wednesday Prof. Homer W. Carpenter, of Richmond, of the Kentucky Missionary Society, postponed his address until the night session.

Dr. Edgar DeWitt Jones, president of the national convention, to be held next month in Cincinnati, was absent and Rev. Campbell, of St. Louis spoke instead, delivering a lecture on the "Challenge of the Cincinnati Convention."

The report of Secretary-treasurer Elliott and the Eighth district secretaries showed conditions in the state to be in a flourishing shape.

At a luncheon from 1:30 to 3:30 the every-member canvass was the topic, with the international team in charge. Officers of this society were elected this afternoon as follows: President, E. S. Smith, Hopkinsville; vice-president, E. W. Elliot, of Glasgow, and Howard Brazelton, of Stanford; recording secretary, W. B. Trimble, of Mt. Sterling; secretary-treasurer, H. W. Elliot of Sulphur; delegates to the International convention at Cincinnati, Hume Logan of Louisville, J. C. Gates of Princeton, Mrs. Charles Allen Thomas of Lexington, Mrs. F. W. Dabney, of Hopkinsville, William Briney of Louisville, Homer W. Carpenter of Louisville, J. W. Porter of Lexington, Mrs. D. W. Scott of Somerset, Miss Fannie Earler of Frankfort, W. H. Smith of Danville, W. J. Hudspeth of Berea.

Officers were elected for the Christian women's board of missions, the old officers being re-elected without change.

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A HANDSOME BANK FRONT

Built of Bedford Stone and Cae of the Show Fronts of the City.

The handsome stone-front building of the City Bank & Trust Company, enlarged to take in an additional storeroom, is nearing completion. The front has been made anew for the whole building and is of the best quality of Bedford stone. The work was done by McClaid & Armstrong, the local contractors, and is a fine piece of work. The building has been enlarged without interrupting business.

Died Near Hawkins.

Mrs. Cora Fowler, of the Western part of the county, died Wednesday of tuberculosis. The burial services were held Thursday in the vicinity.

BETHEL ASSOCIATION MEETS AT GUTHRIE SEPT. 30

Third Largest of The Associations of The Baptist Denomination In Kentucky.

Special Order On Second Day

The Bethel Baptist Association, composed of 43 churches, will meet in regular annual session at Guthrie next Tuesday and Wednesday. The Association has heretofore met the first of August but was fixed for a later date this year.

By special arrangement of the program the great 75 Million Campaign will be a special order for the first evening session of the first day and for the entire morning session of the second day.

All reports bearing upon subjects affected by the campaign fund of \$6,500,000 to be raised in Kentucky in five years, will be submitted Tuesday afternoon and all discussions postponed on same until they are considered the next morning as a whole. The present Moderator is Chas. M. Meacham and the position of clerk is vacant since the removal of Rev. W. R. Goodman from the Association. New officers will be elected at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, the rules making the Moderator ineligible for a second term.

The Hopkinsville churches will be represented each by three elected messengers and several hold-overs. There are twenty-five churches of Christian county in the Association. There will be entertainment provided for all messengers.

Following is the complete program for both days:

Programme

NINETY-FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE Bethel Baptist Association

(Composed of 25 Churches in Christian, 11 in Todd and 7 in Logan County)

HELD WITH THE BAPTIST CHURCH IN GUTHRIE, KY., SEPTEMBER 30 AND OCTOBER 1, 1919.

GENERAL ORDER

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30.

MORNING SESSION

- 9:00—Special Music.
- 9:10—Devotional Exercises by Rev. T. V. Miller, Elkton.
- 9:20—Call to Order. Organization. Naming Committee to Receive Money For Minutes.
- 9:30—Reading Church Letters. Enrollment of Messengers and Hold-over Members.
- 11:00—Election of Officers. Adopting Order of Proceedings. Admission of Churches to Membership. Receiving Correspondents and Visitors. Appointing Special Committees. (On Public Worship, Nominations, Resolutions and on Time, Place and Preacher.)
- 11:15—Miscellaneous Business.
- 11:20—Reports of Standing Committees in following order: Treasurer's Report, H. H. Abernathy. Executive Board, H. E. Gabby. Circles, by Presidents. Ministerial Education, W. R. Ivey, Bailey Waller. Sunday Schools and B. Y. P. U., Chas. M. Meacham, W. H. Ryals. Temperance, M. L. Fugate, Jos. Gary. Denominational Literature, W. W. Radford. Ky. Baptists' Hospital and Orphans' Home, A. W. Hill.
- 12:00—Suspension of Regular Order for Luncheon. Announcements. Benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION

- Moderator Presiding.
- 1:15—Special Music. Devotional Exercises.
- 1:30—Resumption of and completion of Regular Order. Submission of reports, to be discussed Wednesday morning: Schools and Colleges, Geo. H. Dasher, J. W. Gaines. District Missions—A. C. Hodgen. State Missions, T. V. Miller, B. D. Hill. Home Missions, H. E. Gabby, R. C. Ware. Foreign Missions, J. T. Lewis, J. H. Burnett. Ky. Baptist Children's Home, S. B. Arnold, Homer Felts. Ministers' Aid, Hugh Hammack.
- 4:30—Announcements. Adjournment.

EVENING SESSION

- Moderating presiding.
- 7:30—Devotional Exercises.
- 7:45—Introduction of representatives of 75 Million Campaign Organization
- 8:00—Sermon or address by visiting Brother. Announcements. Benediction.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1919.

MORNING SESSION

- Called to order by Moderator.
- 9:00—Special Music.
- 9:10—Devotional Exercises.
- 9:20—Special order, 75 Million Campaign and discussion of reports submitted Tuesday without discussion. Quota and apportionments.
- 12:00—Adjournment for luncheon. Benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION

- Moderator presiding.
- 1:15—Music. Devotional Exercises.
- 1:30—Resumption of regular order. Unfinished Business. Unfinished Business. Reports on:
 - (1) Obituaries, H. H. Abernathy, C. E. Mann.
 - (2) Nominations.
 - (3) Resolutions.Election of representatives to Southern Baptist Convention to General Association, to Corresponding Associations. Miscellaneous. Closing exercises.

STRIKERS ARE WILLING TO ARBITRATE

FITZPATRICK TELLS SENATE HIS MEN WILL LET THE PRESIDENT DECIDE

ARE WILLING TO TRUST HIM

Great Lakes Ship Trades Vote For a Sympathetic Strike.

Washington, Sept. 26.—John Fitzpatrick, chairman of the National Committee that organized the nation wide steel strike, announced in answer to a question by Senator Kenyon, Iowa, that the strikers would, without question, be willing to leave the settlement of their controversy with the United States Steel Corporation and other plants involved in the present walkout, to the decision of any arbitration board that might be selected by President Wilson.

He added that if the Steel Corporation will agree to let the President settle the dispute by arbitration the steel workers will return to their jobs and will abide by any decision reached by the President and his arbitrators.

Ship Trades To Strike.

Buffalo, Sept. 26.—Three unions of 18,000 of the Great Lakes Steamship Workers have voted unanimously to empower their respective Executive Committees to call a strike in sympathy with the steel and iron workers, it was announced yesterday.

SUCCESSFUL STOCK SALE

Held Yesterday By the Crawley-Campbell Auction Co., At Fair Grounds.

REAL ESTATE SALE THURSDAY

The auction sale of the Hill property adjoining the Presbyterian church on the east, located on Ninth street, was held by the Crawley-Campbell Co., Thursday and the property was sold as a whole to Jeff J. Garrott for \$18,000.

The Nourse farm east of town was sold in three tracts of 120, 43 and 22 acres at \$110, \$94 and \$87 respectively, two of the tracts going to adjoining property owners.

The report of other sales has not been made yet.

The same company yesterday had a big sale of live stock which lasted a good part of the day. The sale was a big success with a great deal of stock sold at high prices.

COL. BAIN WILL NOT COME NOW

On account of his illness the engagement of Col. Geo. W. Bain to lecture at the Methodist church Sunday night will have to be cancelled and postponed to a later date—a message to this effect having been just received. The W. C. T. U. and Mr. Bain's legion of friends here sincerely deplore his illness and trust that he may soon be restored to health and strength, and that we may have the pleasure of listening to him in the near future. He speaks with such convincing power that we want our people to hear his arguments and appeal for the State-wide constitutional amendment to be voted for on November 4th.

A soldier's widow in Louisville who lost her pension by marrying a man who proved to be a bigamist, from whom she got a divorce, is now trying to have the divorce set aside and the bigamous marriage annulled, so as to reinstate her status as a pensioner.

PRESIDENT ILL--STARTS HOMEWARD

HAS CANCELED REMAINDER OF HIS TOUR, INCLUDING LOUISVILLE.

GOING HOME FROM KANSAS

Nothing Critical In His Illness But Physician Orders Trip Ended.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 26.—President Wilson today cancelled the remainder of his tour, under orders of Admiral Cary T. Grayson, the President's physician, and will return to Washington direct from Wichita. Admiral Grayson give illness and physical exhaustion as the reason for his action.

Although there is nothing critical about the President's condition, Dr. Grayson declared that nervous reaction affecting his digestive organs made the suspension of his trip imperative.

The President was ill most of the night and the decision to return at once to the capital was reached just before the train arrived at Wichita.

FUNERAL OF F. S. MEACHAM

Venerable Retired Farmer Who Died In This City Tuesday Evening, Aged 89.

On Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock, the funeral services of Fudelio Sharp Meacham, who died on last Tuesday night, were held at the home of his son-in-law, George D. Dalton.

Mr. Meacham was in his eighty-ninth year and was born and had spent the whole of his life in this county. For years he was a farmer, but some years ago sold his farm and had since made his home with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton. He was man of the highest integrity and was loved and esteemed by all who knew him. He was devoted to his church, and was a true Christian in every sense of the word.

Mr. Meacham is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Dalton, and by two sisters, Mrs. Geo. Wiley and Mrs. Geo. V. Lacy, both of this city.

HENRY VAN HOOSER

Death of Former Grocer of a Sudden Heart Attack.

Henry Van Hooser, a retired grocery man, died at his home 66 Nineteenth street, Wednesday, of a sudden attack of heart trouble. Mr. Van Hooser was 58 years of age and was a consistent member of the Christian church. He leaves no family excepting his wife.

The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon by Rev. Everett S. Smith and the burial was at Riverside cemetery.

Barker-Butler.

Dr. Joe Louis Barker, of Pembroke, and Mrs. Mary Williams Butler were married at McKenzie, Tenn., Monday, where the bride was on a visit to her sister. They reached Pembroke the same evening.

ANOTHER BIG REAL ESTATE DEAL

C. S. Pierce has sold his fine farm of 465 acres on the Canton pike to M. O. Kimmerling and will give possession Jan. 1st. Mr. Kimmerling recently sold his farm of 500 acres on the Clarksville pike. Mr. Pierce owns another farm, but his plans have not been announced.