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A Grand Democratic Rally!

GOV. J. C. W. BECKHAM, HON. O. M. JAMES and WM. P. THORNE will address the people on the Political Issues of the day at the Court House, MARION, KY. at 1 o'clock,

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16th, 1903.

Everybody invited to come and hear the living issues ably discussed.

FLUOR SPAR PRODUCTION LARGELY INCREASED.

Incorporation of the Henderson Company—Carbonate at Sheridan—Fire Clay Near the Depot at Marion—Our Deepest Shaft Three Hundred Feet.

NOTES FROM OVER THE DISTRICT!

The production of fluor spar in the United States from reports derived direct from the producers, to the United States Geological Bureau in 1902 was 27,129 short tons as compared with 19,586 short tons in 1901. Its value as given in "The Mineral Industry" was \$113,803 in 1901 and \$143,520 in 1902.

The average of prices for the year were as follows:

First grade lump,	\$14 40
Second grade lump,	13 90
Gravel, first grade,	13 40
" second grade,	12 49
Ground, firsts,	17 90
Seconds,	16 50

The average value at the mines was, lump \$5; gravel \$4. Foreign fluorspar sold during the year, lump \$8 to \$12, ground \$11 to \$14.

The Henderson company, operating what is known as the "Lady Farmer" carbonate of zinc mine near the Old Jim, was incorporated last week with a capitalization of \$70,000. David Clark was elected President and Chas. E. Dal-lam Treasurer.

The gasoline engine, pump, log washers, etc., are already on the ground and a very large, handsome pile of ore is ready to ship from their ore dressing platforms.

Mr. Clark has found on the De-boc purchase, in addition to what was already in evidence when that land was purchased by his company, a very strong body of carbonate in place between walls. The certainty of a mammoth body is practically assured.

In the break on the 23 acres belonging to the Reed Mining company near this city a depth of 25 feet has been sunk into a high grade fire clay deposit, which chemist Wareing pronounces absolutely first class. How much deeper this clay extends is not yet known, but there seems to be ample to supply a very large fire brick plant for many years to come.

The Rosi Claire mine has now attained a depth of 300 feet in the main shaft and has four levels. The levels have been driven in 700 feet on each side of the shaft. At the 300 foot level the vein of fluor spar, with galena to quite a large per centage, is 20 feet wide. The capacity of this property is 100 tons of fluor spar daily, besides the lead ore.

A mining company is being organized at Morganfield to work property purchased of Harry Watkins, of Marion.

The fluorspar mined in Arizona is being shipped to California, where it is being used in the manufacture of Portland cement.

Fluor spar is being mined near Rome, Smith county, Tennessee, by the Tennessee Fluorspar company, and shipped to Nashville.

There are 12 to 15 car loads of carbonate of zinc and sulphides on the ore dressing platforms of the Old Jim mine ready to move to the Mineral Point, Wis., zinc works.

The State of Kentucky production of brick and clay building material in 1901 amounted to \$1,514,541; the total production of the United States of this material was \$87,747,729.

The production of zinc and spelter in the United States during 1902 was the largest annual output yet recorded, says the Mineral Review. It also adds that Kentucky contributed important quantities from the mines near Marion.

It is understood that the Lead Hill mine, near Cave-in-Rock, Ill. which produced fluor spar in 1802, has for the present, at least, suspended operations.

Sheridan, just west of Marion is assuming considerable importance as a center of a new carbonate country. Many favorable openings are being made in that vicinity.

The Western Tube company, of Kewanee, Ill., have in stock at their works sufficient of our high grade fire clay to last them until next May. They have discontinued shipping from Marion for the present.

The Glendale Mineral and Mining company was formed here the other day by the following named Morganfield gentlemen:

Messrs Steve Anderson, John Crowe, Henry Walker, Martin Clements, Carl Briscoe, T. M. Dyer and others. The company has bought 60 acres of land and will begin work on a shaft as soon as practicable.

At a meeting of the stockholders T. M. Dyer was elected president, Henry Walker manager and Lucien Drury secretary and treasurer.

This is the second company formed in Morganfield to mine zinc and lead in Crittenden county.

It was really a sort of personal bereavement to all of us when the afternoon train passed Monday, taking away nearly every one of those big-hearted Methodist preachers that have made the week of conference a delightful affair in every way.

One felt as though he had just discovered a big body of carbonate every time he clasped hands with Bishop Hendrix or any one of his clergy. The greeting was so cordial, the feeling of pleasure so pronouncedly manifest that we shall all deeply miss the cordial good mornings from the hundreds of black coated gentlemen that have thronged our streets for a week.

We can only suggest one innovation in the conference rules. Make it a month instead of a week—in Marion.

SPECIAL CALL MEETING.

The Populists of Crittenden county, are called to meet in Marion, next Monday, Oct. 12, (county court day.) All of the old guard should be on hand. We invite as many from Livingston county as can conveniently attend to meet with us.

W. H. Brown, Chmn.
A. H. Cardie, Sec'y.

SALEM.

Remember Dr. Gray will be in Salem Tuesday, Oct. 13th, and remain one week at the Mrs. Roney Hotel.

HATS! HATS! They say I have the nicest and cheapest ladies hats in town, W. H. Towery, Shady Grove.

METHODIST CONFERENCE

The Fifty Eighth Annual Session Adjourned in This City Monday Morning.

REV. T. V. JOINER RETAINED HERE!

The Louisville Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, adjourned Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Much good was accomplished at this meeting, both for the members of the conference and the citizens of Marion, and judging from the resolutions adopted by the conference, thanking the people of Marion for their entertainment, there was nothing left undone on the part of our citizens.

Sunday morning probably 3,000 people attended services at the various churches. Bishop Hendrix preached at the Cumberland Presbyterian church. He took as his text the thirteenth verse of the third chapter of St. John: "He must increase but I must decrease."



REV. T. V. JOINER.

The sermon was a great one. Wonderful exhortation; services were held in the other churches in the morning, afternoon, and evening.

Monday morning the church was crowded with the ministers and people, anxious to hear the appointments read.

The return of Rev. T. V. Joiner to Marion for another year met with universal approbation. Rev. Joiner has served the church faithfully for three years, and is greatly beloved by the people of the city, and all were anxious for his return. Rev. Elgin remains as Presiding Elder of the Princeton district. He is popular and has made an excellent presiding elder.

The appointments are as follows:

LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

GROSS ALEXANDER, P. E.
Broadway, W W Pinson
Fourth Avenue, B M Messick
Walnut Street, F M Thomas
Chestnut street, W P Ricks.
Lindsey Memorial, T H Norris.

Jefferson street, P G Throgmorton.
Portland, Joseph S Chandler.
West Broadway, B F Atkinson.
Jefferson, Ind, J B Butler.
Clifton, J D Sigler.
Wilson Memorial, S J Thompson.
Lander Memorial, G H Means.
Rivers Memorial, F M Petty.
Bechmont, B M Messick.
Ashbury, J P Stubblefield.
Middleton & Anchorage, C A Humphrey
Conference Missionary Secy, W L Loyd
South Louisville, W P Baird.

ELIZABETHTOWN DISTRICT.

P. C. DEVAL, P. E.

Elizabethtown, A P Lyon.
Elizabethtown Circuit, J G Freeman.
Hardinsburg, W F Hogard.
Hodgenville, E M Metcalf.
Vine Grove, G F Cundiff.
Brandenburg, T L Crandell.
Big Spring, L M Russell.
Irvington, W A Hynes.
Falls of Rough, E M Gibbons.
Sonora, D F Walton.
Hardin Spring, W R Gobb.
McDaniels, J H Massey.
Louisville Circuit, B A Brandon.
Wolf Creek, W V Moorman.
Leitchfield, C F Williams.
South Leitchfield, B A Hunter.
West Point, B F Wilson.
Millerstown, B M DeWitt.
Stephensport, J C Hoskinson.
Rosetta, Felix Roberts.

OWENSBORO DISTRICT.

J. T. RUSHING, P. E.

Settle Chapel, T R Kendall.
Main Street, B M Currie.
Owensboro Circuit, T J Randolph.
Yelvington, A J Bennett.
Rosine, B W Lawhern.
Calhoun, R H Rose.
Bech Grove, R C Bogard.
Hartford, W T Miller.
Hawesville, E R Bennett.
Cloverport, P L King.
Beaver Dam, E D Boggress.
Lewisport, Jas H Walker.
Fordsville, J B Galloway.
South Carrollton, W W Prime.
Livermore, J L Reid.
Sulphur Spring, G A Salvage.
Pleasant Ridge, R D Bennett.

HENDERSON DISTRICT.

Henderson, J H Early.
Corydon, G M Everett.
Smith Mills, E E Pate.
Robards, J B Seay.
Morganfield, G E Foskett.
Morganfield Circuit, S L C Cowherd.
Earlington, C W Hisson.
Hanson, W B Lucy.
Slaughtersville, J W Love.
Sacramento, W O Rickard.
Seebree City, C R Crow.
Sturgis, W H Archey.
Dixon, G W Pangborn.
Audubon, R L Melton.
Hebbardsville, R H Higgins.
Madisonville, J B Adams.

RUSSELLVILLE DISTRICT.

R. F. HAYS, P. E.

Russellville, G P Overton.
Russellville Circuit, P H Davis.
Adairsville and Oakland, J A Chandler.
Allensville, J L Kilgore.
Elkton and Bells, W C Brandon.

Pembroke, W C Leitchfield.
North Elkton Circuit, J T Cherry.
Kirkmansville, H Jones.
Trenton, F A Mitchell.
Hopkinsville, E L Southgate.
Hopkinsville Circuit, W F Cashman.
Crofton, E D Ryon.
Lafayette, W C Hayes.
Auburn, G W Humwell.
Lewisburg, J C Brandon.
Epley, Elias Smith.
President Logan Charge, B F Atchison.

PRINCETON DISTRICT.

VIGOR ELGIN, P. E.

Princeton, W A Easley
Marion, T V Joiner.
Tolu Circuit, J W Bigham.
Shady Grove, T F Rowland.
Salem, To be supplied.
Carrsville, J O Smithson.
Smithland, R M Wheate.
Grand Rivers, R L Talley.
Eddyville, J C Peters.
Lamaso Mission, A Royster.
Kuttawa, E T McConnell.
Cadiz, J R McAfee.
Canton Circuit, Smith Givens.
Cerulear, J E King.
Star Lime Works, J L Mitchell.
Greensville, Geo. H Givan.
Dawson Springs, R L Hartford.

COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

S. G. SHELLEY, P. E.

Columbia, F E Lewis.
Glens Fork, T J Campbell.
Gradyville, A L Mell.
Thompkinsville, G P Dillon.
Bear Creek, T F Barber.
Albany, J P Van Hoy.
Highway, W A Duncan.
Wayne, Marion H Keen.
Burkesville, R B Reiter.
Renox, J H Nicholson.
Monticello, T L Hulse.
Jamestown, J A Goodman.
Temple Hill, D F Tarter.
Edmonton, W E Thomas.
South Burkesville, J E Lovell.
South Fork, J E Lovell.
Summer Shade, G A Galley.
Russell Mission, J W Corley.
Financial Agent Educational Board,
—C R Payne.

LANSVILLE, E S MOORE.

BOWLING GREEN DISTRICT.

R. W. BROWDER, P. E.
State Street and City Mission, W F Loyd
Bowling Green Circuit, R T Brown.
Franklin, S H Lovelace.
Glasgow and Dover, J D Gilliam.
Woodburn, D S Bowles.
Scottsville, T O Chisholm.
South Scottsville, G Y Wilson.
Horse Cave, G S King.
Glasgow Junction, M L Dyer.
Brownsville, J H Crowley.
Smiths Grove, L W Browder.
Richardsville, J H Richardson.
Rochester, Grant Reynolds.
Morgantown, B F Harper.
Chapel Hill, H W King.
E. Franklin Circuit, O G Prather.
Camner, A G Fraser.
Agt Preachers Aid Soc, L E Campbell.
Book Editor & Editor Review, J J Tigert

LEBANON DISTRICT.

J L MURRELL, P. E.
Lebanon, J Lewis.
Bardstown and Samuels, C H Prather.
Mansville, R C Love.
Springfield, C D Ward.
New Harvey, A C Gentle.
Thurlow, Jas A Johnson.
Bradfordville, S P Styers.
Campbellsville and Early, J L Edrington
Campbellsville Circuit, S A McKay.
Shepherdsville, J W Woodriddle.
Greensburg, C F Hartford.
Munfordsville, W H Newkirk.
Jeffertown and Coopers, G W Givan.
Mt Washington, B A Cundiff.
Uptown, J T McCormick.
Pelltown, John Bowles.
Brooks and Mt Eden, J S Scobee.
Buffalo, S F Ashbrook.

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