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SOME Kentucky editors seem to be running their papers "as Annanias would do."

Two Mormon elders are distributing tracts in Richmond. They ought to be distributing tracts from Richmond.

It is a remarkable coincidence that conventions, reunions and association meetings always name dates during the strawberry and Spring chicken period.

Hon. W. J. Bryan has ridden the goat into Elkhorn, becoming one of the "Best People On Earth." He will be elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the White House in November.

Political Topics.

Hon. John R. Allen speaks at the court house in this city Monday afternoon.

Hon. South Trimble, the Democratic Committeeman for this district, has issued a call for a meeting of the District Committee in Frankfort May 5th, for the purpose of selecting the time and manner of nominating a candidate for Congress.

The Ninth district Republican convention, at Catlettsburg, Wednesday re-nominated the Hon. S. J. Pugh for Congress, and elected George W. Armstrong and Horace J. Cochran delegates to the National Convention. The Ninth district Democrats will hold their convention at Catlettsburg June 6.

Mr. Bryan At Columbus.

Col. W. J. Bryan Tuesday night addressed an audience of 10,000 people in the Columbus Auditorium. The crowd was one of the largest ever assembled in the hall. Congressman Lentz presided at the meeting. Col. Bryan discussed the money question, imperialism and trusts. Later, by invitation, Mr. Bryan attended a banquet given by the Columbus Board of Trade.

Kentucky vs. Ohio.

THERE will be a very interesting shooting match on the grounds of the Cincinnati Gun Club Monday between teams representing Ohio and Kentucky. The teams will be composed of 10 men on a side.

Mr. Emile Pragoff, of Louisville, Ky., is Captain of the Kentucky team, and Mr. Milt F. Lindsay, of Cincinnati, Captain of the Ohio team. Messrs. J. Q. Ward, G. W. Clay and T. H. Clay, Jr., will shoot with the Kentucky team.

The conditions of the above match are 15 birds per man, the first match, as stated above, to be shot at the grounds of the Cincinnati Gun Club on May 7, and the second match on the grounds of the Kentucky Gun Club at Louisville, Ky., May 12.

The School Tournament.

[Winchester Sun.]

The Bluegrass Graded School Tournament will be held in this city May 24, 25 and 26. It is expected there will be between four and five hundred pupils and visitors in our city during the three days. The eleven teachers in the city schools have been appointed a committee of entertainment and to secure homes for the pupils and visitors, each having a portion of the city to canvass. It is the desire of the committee to secure homes for all and make the affair a success worthy of our people, as other cities have done.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Oscar Farmer, mother of Miss Lucy Farmer, who is well known in this city, died Wednesday at her home in Louisville. The remains were interred yesterday in the Frankfort cemetery.

Knights Templar Conclave.

The annual State conclave of Knights Templar will be held at Cynthiana May 16th and 17th. The program is briefly as follows:

Wednesday, 10 o'clock, a. m.—Escort Grand Commandery to Baptist Church, where services will be held.

12 o'clock.—Address of welcome at opera house by H. L. Peterson. Response by John G. Orndorff, V. E. Deputy Grand Commander. Opening of Commandery.

1:30 to 3 p. m.—Lunch at the court house.

4 to 6 p. m.—Receptions at homes of Knights.

9 to 12 p. m.—Progressive euchre at opera house.

Thursday, 10 a. m.—Business session. Visit points of interest.

Lunch 12 m. to 3:30 p. m., at court house.

9 p. m.—Reception and ball at opera house.

The Knights will also be entertained by the Elks and A. O. U. W.

THE FARM AND TURF.

News For the Farmer, Trader and Stock Raiser.

J. W. Thomas, Jr., sold in Cincinnati last week seven hds. of tobacco at \$15.75 to \$13 and six at \$14 to \$10.25.

Turney Bros.' two year old colt Bowen, by Wavegus—Hindoogan, won a \$400 selling purse Monday at the Aqueduct track, at six to one. Their filly Annice ran second the same day in another race.

Woodford & Buckner's Pink Coat and Talbott Bros.' John Bright will be starters in the Turf Congress Handicap to-morrow at Louisville. The stake will be worth \$3,500.

W. C. Whitney has this week bought from John Madden the three year old colt Kilmarnock, for \$20,000. Kilmarnock was raised at Runnymede Stock Farm, and was last season owned by Clay Bros., who sold him for \$5,000. The colt worked a mile, with 116 pounds up, in 1:40 3/4 over a slow track.

The Ky. Agricultural Experiment Station, Lexington Ky., has received a quantity of sugar beet seed from the Department of Agriculture at Washington, and would be glad to send them to any person in the State who is interested in sugar beets. They will be sent free to all who make applications as long as the supply lasts. Address, M. A. Scovell, Director, Lexington, Ky.

The Confederate Reunion.

During the Confederate reunion Louisville will be the rendezvous for many heroes. Five Lieutenant Generals of the Confederacy will be here. They are Gen. John B. Gordon, Gen. Jo Wheeler, Gen. Stephen D. Lee, Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner and Gen. Wade Hampton. Alabama will send 1,000 veterans to the reunion. Headquarters for the delegation will be secured this week.

One of the interesting delegations to the reunion will be Company A of the Memphis Camp of Veterans. It will come sixty strong and each member will carry the old musket he shouldered during the civil war. The company will be handsomely uniformed and will present a fine appearance in the great parade.

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