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ANNOUNCEMENT

We are authorized to announce Harry Williamson as a candidate for Electoral Representative, from the Twenty-third district, composed of the counties of Carroll, Henry and Weakley.

Huntingdon's concrete walks and her parks are attractions that will do the down much good.

Judge Horace E. Palmer, former member of the court of civil appeals, died at his home in Murfreesboro last Tuesday morning.

The hotel keepers of Chicago and Baltimore are beginning to act like they own the earth, and they will almost feel that way before the thing is over.

In a Virginia town, near the Tennessee line, last Friday night, twenty-five men were killed in a drunken row over a card game. It is said that practically every man engaged in the game lost his life, while several bystanders were mortally wounded. It was a mining town and most of those killed were Italians. Pistols, whisky and cards, a combination that most always brings a tale of woe.

Carroll county needs good roads. There is only one way to get them, and that is to follow the example of the progressive counties of the state that are voting bonds and building graveled roads. Some claim that taxes would be too high. Madison county with nearly 100 miles of graveled roads has a lower tax rate than Carroll. This is a subject well worth thinking about.

We want to congratulate the citizens of Huntingdon in their recent action to have a county fair, despite the fact that the county court broke a solemn pledge and refused to appropriate a small amount of money to help the cause along. The fair will be held and the citizens expect to make it bigger and better than ever. Nothing could be held that is of more benefit to the people.—Lexington Republican.

"Swat the fly!" is a good slogan; but they would not have to be swatted if their breeding places were broken up. One stable can breed more flies in a week than twenty small boys can kill in a month. When we have clean alleys, livery stables, back yards and kitchens, the flies can be exterminated, and not before. The best we can do is to screen windows and doors, cover food and kill all the flies that get into the house. But as long as dirt and filth are allowed to accumulate in cities, flies will breed by the millions.—Baltimore Sun.

Since the warm sunshine and winds have dried out the mud holes in the public roads, making them at least passable, that good roads fever seems to have died out. There are more people in this county today who are talking about the present good condition of the roads than in the past six months. This county will never have good roads until all public thoroughfares are made fifty feet wide and then graveled—and the county is sufficiently able to gravel them. Let's have a good roads convention about the middle of July.

—Dresden Enterprise.

All honor and success to State Senator Joe Brooks, of Carroll county, who goes to Mississippi State College as a member of the faculty. Senator Brooks, as a member of the Tennessee General Assembly, voted for prohibition

and honest elections and scorned to take the \$200 of graft money which was voted to themselves and pocketed by so many members who thereby irretrievably besmirched their fair names. Tennessee can ill afford to lose such men as Senator Brooks and we congratulate the Mississippi institution on securing his efficient service.—Lexington Progress.

The Democrat wants to again congratulate the members of the Civic Improvement Club on the splendid work they are doing in beautifying Huntingdon. The parks elicit praise from everybody who visits the town. They are an attraction worthy of the commendation of our entire people. The park at the depot attracts the traveling public and gives them a fine impression of the town. The ladies not only deserve praise for what they are doing along that line, but they should have the hearty co-operation and help of our entire people. Every family should feel under obligation to help by beautifying the premises about the home. This would aid much in making Huntingdon a town beautiful.

In view of the fact that B. W. Hooper is governor of Tennessee when he ought not to be, and Mr. Newell Sanders is United States senator for Tennessee when he ought not to be, and the state is under the blight of that baneful product of fusion, state-wide prohibition, when it ought not to be, it becomes democrats to recognize the necessity of subordinating personal preference in the selection of candidates to the party's good.

Thus starts off on editorial in the Nashville Democrat. We expected the truly loyal Democrat to say: "The office of the state treasurer is occupied by a republican when it ought not to be," but nothing of the kind appeared. Does the Democrat endorse the election of Tom Taylor?

Possibly no newspaper in the United States is more reliable in its political prognostications than the New York World. In a recent editorial on the democratic situation the World has the following paragraph: "It is time for facts and not for theories. Judson Harmon might prove a strong candidate in New York and Ohio, but his nomination is rendered impossible. Champ Clark would be a hopelessly beaten candidate in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. He could do no better than Mr. Bryan, who has lost these states three times and would lose them again if nominated. Oscar W. Underwood is of presidential size, but he has been untested as a candidate in the north and is an unknown quantity to most of the voters. Woodrow Wilson alone has a record of continuing victory in the section in which victory is essential to democratic success."

CLEAN SPEECH.

There is nothing much more offensive to a sensitive mind than a vulgar man. While the vulgar utterances are more polluting to the mind that originates them than to the mind that is forced to hear or receive them, yet they are very objectionable to any one who tries to keep his mind from becoming a moral cesspool. Dirty jokes are not indicative of a strong mind or of clean character. The Memphis News Scimitar writing along this line says: Your coarse jokes may be laughed at with that loud, hollow laugh that comes from the throat only, but rest assured that you would be less as a clown and more as a man if you were to indulge in clean humor that makes men laugh all over and that the heart tendrils can tie to.

Nobody ever thought more of you because of unclean speech.

It never made you think better of yourself, and it never will.

There is no luxury so rich, nothing so free, and at the same time so many and Godlike, as cleanliness.

And of all forms of cleanliness that of speech is sweetest, and

commands most genuine respect of others and of oneself.

What has become of the Frazier Carroll County Club? It is getting about time the organization was being perfected. Senator Frazier is going to need about all the help he can get.

Governor McMillin's announcement for governor has put some people to guessing what the outcome will be. With six or seven candidates in the field everybody ought to be pleased.

The cool nights and north winds this week have done much damage to the growing crops, especially to young cotton. Crops are not looking good. The soil has a dry and dead appearance, and rain in some districts is beginning to be needed. This has been a hard spring on the farmer.

Corn is selling at five and six dollars a barrel. The farmer who has corn to sell is strictly in the swim, but the farmer who has to buy is in a bad streak of luck. Every farmer should try to raise all the grain and hay he needs. By doing this he will have fatter stock and more money in the bank.

TAFT AND ROOSEVELT

Next Tuesday the republican national convention will meet in Chicago to nominate a candidate for president. The national committee is in session in Chicago now passing on the cases of contested delegates. The campaign has been one of the most remarkable in the history of the republican party. The present president, William Taft, and the ex-president, Theodore Roosevelt, have been on the stump denouncing each other in the most vehement way, and if one-half of what each says about the other were true, neither would be worthy of the position he seeks. All kinds of questionable methods have been resorted to by each of the candidates and their friends to secure an advantage over the other, and there is much feeling among, not only the leaders, but the masses as well.

The national committee found over 250 contested cases to be disposed of, and the committee standing as it does, 38 to 14, in favor of Taft, is making quick work of many of the cases, and at this writing every contest has been disposed of in the interest of the president, Roosevelt and his friends are doing some heavy kicking, but the committee is paying no attention to it, and the big steam roller continues to flatten out Roosevelt and his hopes for securing the nomination.

What the outcome will be cannot be told for certain, but it looks very much like Taft will be nominated. The veiled threats made by the ex-president is being differently interpreted, but they are nevertheless giving the party much concern. He may bolt, some think he will, but other believe he will make a bold and desperate fight, and if he fails will take his medicine.

By next week we hope to give the results of the convention unless the contest is prolonged beyond the ordinary.

Makes the Nation Gasp

The awful list of injuries on a Fourth of July staggers humanity. Set over against it, however, is the wonderful healing, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of thousands, who suffered from burns, cuts, bruises, bullet wounds or explosions. Its the quick healer of boils, ulcers, eczema, sore lips or piles. 25c at Patrick Drug Co.

Monument to Taylor.

The Travelers' Protective Association, of Knoxville, has started a movement for the erection of a monument to Senator Robert L. Taylor in Gray Cemetery, Knoxville. The campaign will be extended to all parts of Tennessee and an address to friends of the late senator has been sent out.

HOME TOWN HELPS

JAPANESE CITIES AS MODELS

Lecturer Declares They Are Ahead of Other Nations in Municipal Government.

That western ideas of civilization have permeated Japan to such an extent that it is rapidly forging ahead of some of the recognized leading nations of the world was the declaration made by Harvey N. Shepard of Boston, former attorney general of Massachusetts, in an address on "Japanese Municipal Governments" to the members of the Philadelphia City Club. Mr. Shepard also declared that the Japanese people were far ahead of Americans in solving municipal affairs.

"In no other countries on the face of the earth," he said, "are the municipal governments closer to the will of the people than they are in the Flower Kingdom, and graft and extravagances such as often charged against the officials of cities and towns in our own country are practically unknown. While the municipalities of Japan are of a more recent development than our own they are founded on a firmer basis to further the prosperity of the people. Patterned after the cities of France and Prussia their administration corresponds greatly to that of the municipalities of those two European countries. All over Japan there is a marked progress in municipal affairs. Public works are being forwarded and they are constructing good roads and developing their harbors."

Mr. Shepard spent many years in Japan and studied closely the phases of life in that empire. "As skilled workmen," he said, "the Japanese are rapidly becoming proficient and are equal to the skilled workmen of our own country. There is no child labor in the factories, and because of this wages have increased perceptibly. While modern and ancient civilizations are contrasted sharply with each other in some parts of the Japanese islands, they are rather a modern country with telegraphs, railroads and other conveniences such as we in America enjoy."

Ends Hunt for Rich Girl.

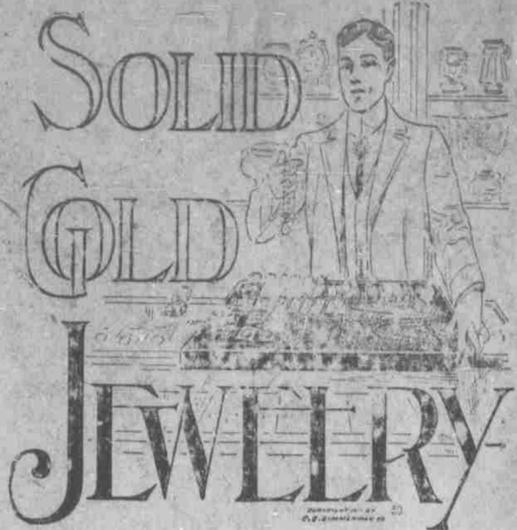
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Decoration Service.

Decoration services were held at Barren Springs last Sunday at the grave of Richard Foust by the Woodmen of the World. There were about 300 people present and the exercises were very interesting. Superintendent D. T. Barnhill was the principal speaker and the grave was beautifully decorated with flowers. The drill work by the team was also a very interesting feature of the day.

Move on Now!

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PEDIGREE: RUDERVILLE is the son of Brown Hal, 2:12½, the sire of Star Pointer, 1:59½; (the first two minute pacer) Hal Dillard, 2:04½; Hal Chaffin, 2:05½; Elastic Pointer, 2:06½; Star Hal, 2:04½; Hal Braden, 2:07½; New Richmond, 2:07; Storm, 2:08½; Laurel, 2:09½; Brown Heels, 2:09½; Braden, 2:10; Gray Hal, 2:10; Silver Hal, 2:10; and fifty-one others on the 2:30 list. No other horse yet has sired so many 2:10 pacers.

The dam of Ruderville, Cameo, was a fine saddle mare of extreme speed. Her sire, Tom Hal, (Gibson's) sired Hal Pointer, 2:04½; Little Brown Jug, 2:13½; Brown Hal, 2:12½, etc., and her dam was by Blue Bull, the sire of sixty others in the list.

Terms of Service. He will make the season at my stable in Buena Vista at \$15 to insure a mare in foal. Season due when colt is foaled or mare transferred. All care will be taken to prevent accident but not liable should any occur.

LONGFELLOW. Registered No. 1701.

LONGFELLOW is a black Spanish Jack with white points, 15½ hands high, standard measure. Foaled June 23, 1904. This is a very long jack, good foot and bone, good weight, good broad chest, flanks well, broad hips and smooth couplings.

In 1908, at Columbia, Tenn., this jack won first in his age class, and was grand champion over a ring of fourteen other jacks. Also at the Tri-State Fair, at Memphis, Tenn., Longfellow at the head of the herd, won first prize—\$50 breeders' silver cup. Also same year won the \$50 breeders' cup at Gallatin, Tenn. Was also first at Shelbyville, Tenn. Was first in his age class in 1908 and also in 1909. Altogether, he has won over fifty ribbons and cups.

TERMS OF SERVICE. Longfellow will make the season of 1912 at \$10, on same terms and conditions as Ruderville.

I also have a fine young Jack which I will stand at the same place and on the same terms as my horse, except the fee will be only \$8.00.

A. J. SEDBERRY

March 15, 1912

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