REV. J. E. RANKIN, D. D., LL. D.

One of the most worthy and highly respected men in the nation's Capital, is the Reverend J. E. Rankin, D. D., LL. D., President of Howard University. He has resided in Washington for nearly twenty years, was Chaplain of the Senate, and has always been an earnest and faithful preacher and pastor. While ministering to the spiritual needs of his congregation, Mr. Rankin has always felt that the physical welfare of his people was of very great importance. He is a man of wide research and experience and has seen much of the practical side of life. It is perhaps not surprising that, after careful investigations, extending over a number of years, he made a most outspoken statement concerning what is certainly one of the most popular household preparations in the world. Here are his words:

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BEGGING MUST STOP.

John Burns, a Tramp, Run in for Annoying the Public.

A familiar figure on the avenue for the past week or so has been a tramp, who accosted everyone he met asking aid. About ten days ago he was released from the city prison after serving a ten-day sentence for disturbing the peace of the public, but he immediately resumed his begging on being turned out. His name is John Burns.

Last evening he was arrested by Special Officer Gordon and Patrol Driver Sage. He was intoxicated and creating a disturbance. He is a man of medium size, with sandy hair and mustache. He has the appearance of a professional tramp. When charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace, in police court this morning, he pleaded guilty, but said: "Be easy on me, your honor."

But Judge Easminger fined him $10.

PROMINENT WITNESSES.

John Wilkerson, Mary E. Lease, John Breidenthal and Mr. Keeler Wanted.

Sheriff Burdge has received copies of subpoenas from the district court of Wyandotte county for Bank Commissioner John Breidenthal, Mrs. Mary E. Lease, Judge Henry Keeler and ex-Sheriff John M. Wilkerson, who are wanted as witnesses in the Joe Smith libel case.

This is the case brought by the friends of Governor Lewelling against Smith the author of the letter charging Governor Lewelling with receiving money from the Kansas City lotteries and policy shops.

The case is set for Monday, April 9th.

Lady Delegates Elected.

At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Republican association yesterday afternoon, delegates and alternates were elected for the Women's Republican state convention, which was to have been held in this city April 5, but which has been postponed. The following were the delegates elected: Mrs. P. H. Coney, Mrs. H. M. Priddy and Mrs. J. F. Burris. The alternates elected were: Mrs. A. S. Thomas, Mrs. W. H. Hornaday and Mrs. W. E. Brubacer. Mrs. J. Ellen Foster was unable to attend the convention on April 5, hence the postponement.

The hearing of the contest over the will of H. S. Shaffer, who committed suicide, is in progress before Judge Elliott in the probate court.

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NON PERSONA GRATA.

Yet Congressman Breckinridge Can't be Expelled,

But He Will Not Be There Much Longer,

AND WILL KEEP STILL

The Balance of His Term in This Congress.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—[Special.]—When the report spread about the capitol that Mr. Morse of Massachusetts had in his desk two resolutions ready to introduce as soon as the Breckinridge trial ended—one for expelling the defendant and the other for a milder measure of censure—it excited two pointed comments. One was, "It would look better if he got some Democrat to do that," and the other, "Oh, everybody knows what Morse is!" Later it was stated that some other member had this matter in charge, and there was only a smile at the proposition. But when letters multiplied asking members to act and the resolutions of the Social Purity society were reported there were some serious discussions as to the law on such subjects and, as usual, about as many opinions as lawyers.

No Law to Cover the Case.

The older members agree that there is, strictly speaking, no law on the subject and have not been precedents enough to establish a rule, and therefore the case is to be classed with questions of "reasonable time," "probable cause," "due diligence" and the like where a fixed rule is impossible and courts and juries have great discretion. Of course members have been expelled for various reasons, such as treason, bribery, sale of cadetships, assault on other members, etc., but there is no decisive precedent as to the charge of gross immorality. In two cases which were elaborately argued the lawyers of both houses differed widely on the question whether a crime or crimes committed by a member before his election disqualified him for taking his seat.

On this point the prevailing opinion is that constituents must decide, and that it is always to be assumed that a man has reformed. In the case of Bowen of South Carolina the bigamous marriage took place in this city and while he was a member. In the once famous case in the senate it was not clear that the second marriage was bigamous or that the divorce had been obtained by fraud. In the more recent case Mr. Roach was objected to because it was taken that he had perpetrated a fraud on his constituents and had done nothing in the way of reparation for his original offense. In the Ohio legislature of 1878 it was clearly proved that Representative John O'Connor had deserted from the army and had served a full term in the Michigan penitentiary for burglary, and that he was once notorious among cracksmen as Three Fingered Jack. Nevertheless the prosecution had to rely upon a clause in the state constitution and the fact that he had not received from the governor of Michigan a remission of disabilities, so his election was declared void illegally and the seat vacant, though he had voted for five highly important measures which had received but one majority each.

Pollard "Touched the Button," Etc.

All these cases are interesting, but not in point. It is further alleged that all the acts complained of were done before Mr. Breckinridge was elected to the present house, and that this gives him immunity. So far, therefore, as opinions have been given they may be summed up thus: "He will not be here much longer, and if not absolutely insane will keep very still for the rest of his term. Pollard has touched the button, and his constituents will do the rest." Nevertheless his friends continue to publish reports that his district sustains him, and that he is already sure of a majority of the delegates to the nominating convention—reports which only excite a derisive smile among southern members, coupled occasionally with emphatic remarks about a "Republican lie."

It is a pleasure to record that the relief society of Washington has closed up its work and dissolved; that all the churches and social orders report less rather than more destitution than usual at this season and that all the gayeties of after Lent are up to the average. In fact, few waited for Easter. All that seemed to be wanted; all the festivals and other entertainments in aid of various orders are well patronized; all the excursions are immense, and visitors are numerous. As one instance out of many 75 schoolma'ams of Cleveland came in a body. Bridal parties are as frequent as usual, and the hotels do not complain of lack of patronage. It is true that a western or southern member occasionally calls attention to the fact that most of the visitors are from the east, and that people in his section have no money to come with, but is it not always true that a majority of the visitors are from the adjacent and eastern states?

The temporary evil bids fair to result in a lasting good. Rents have been reduced materially, and Washington is now a cheaper place to live in than most northern cities. Members of the committee on foreign affairs also call attention to the fact that the world is just now nearer to a condition of universal peace than it has been for 40 years, and it is alleged that last Sunday was the first Easter since 1855 on which no armed forces were in hostile movement in any part of the world. It would require too much research to determine the truth of that statement.

Aching For a Chance.

Those eastern and far northern Democrats who allowed the clause on state bank taxation to get into the Chicago platform are now taking a lesson from the Dickensian circumlocution office—"how not to do it." It will be remembered that the proposition to repeal the 10 per cent tax on the currency of such banks was killed in the banking and currency committee, but it is germane as an amendment to another bill. Mr. Cox of Tennessee has made it a specialty and is confident a majority of both houses are at heart for it. The silver Republicans declare they are "just aching for a chance to jump on it." They have been out of harmony with their party just long enough to get restless and eager for some issue on which all can act together, and this will just suit them. As the Populists want but one kind of currency and that national and a legal tender, and as the eastern Democrats are substantially with the Republicans on finance, it would be interesting to know where Mr. Cox's majority comes from.

The house judiciary committee is wrestling with a pleasing variety of bills of a paternalistic cast, among them an old proposition revived—to divide the United States into nine sanitary districts, with inspectors, boards of control and executive officers for each, the whole to be managed by a bureau of public health in the treasury department. And this is but a specimen of hundreds of measures sent to this committee in pursuance of what the chairman, Judge Culberson, calls "daddy government."

WHAT OF THE TARIFF BILL

Prospects of the Disposal of the Measure by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The present outlook does not indicate that very great headway will be made on the tariff bill in the senate next week.

There are a number of other questions including two appropriation bills, which are pending and which the senators interested in them will doubtless try to have considered before the tariff is taken up to the extent of engrossing all the time of the senate. Senator Voorhees will undoubtedly make his opening speech in support of the bill, and will be followed by Senator Allison on behalf of the Republican side of the chamber during the week and it is probable that a few other speeches will be made on both sides, but it is the general opinion of senators that the week will not exhaust a great portion of the speech making which the bill will surely develop.

Democrats and Republicans naturally differ widely in their estimates of the time required for the disposal of the bill. The more sanguine of the Democratic members of the finance committee place the time at a month and one of them said to-day in his opinion the fate of the bill would be known within three or four weeks of the beginning of consideration.

Republican senators generally laugh at this estimate, and some of them go so far as to say that the bill will be on the calendar next November; it is understood that this talk on both sides is largely for effect, but back of it there is a desire and a purpose on the part of the Democrats to have the bill disposed of at the earliest practical moment, while the Republicans mean to hold it off as long as there is any possibility of encompassing its defeat.

The Democrats also base their calculations upon their present intention of making comparatively few speeches and of thus not affording the Republicans any more ammunition than the bill itself gives. Their opponents on the other hand are counting upon doing a great deal of talking and of drawing the friends of the bill into controversy, despite themselves and thus forcing them to aid in the consumption of time.

The Democrats are not so positively sure of passing the bill as is generally supposed and they realize that there are two or three shoals that are likely to give them considerable trouble.

The most serious of these are the sugar schedule and the income tax.

There will unquestionably be a determined effort of the eastern element on the Democratic side of the senate to defeat the income tax and the champions of that bill realize that if the Republican senators should stand out solidly against the tax, it would be defeated. They count upon losing about ten of the Democratic votes on the amendment sure to be offered for the elimination of this part of the bill, but they think there will not be an equal number of votes in favor of its retention among western Republican senators.

They also say that whatever course the Populists may pursue when it comes to acting upon the bill as a whole, they will stand solidly with the committee for the income tax. Consequently they feel comparatively secure with reference to this part of the bill. Still there is an element of uncertainty about it of sufficient potentiality to render the prospects at least interesting to the on looker and to the senators themselves.

Senators Hill and McPherson of the Democratic side of the chamber have already given notice of their intention to antagonize the income tax, and are both preparing speeches against it, which will be heard at an early stage of the debate.

NO MONEY TO KILL WEEDS

Forthcoming from Uncle Sam, But Plenty to Introduce Reindeer in Alaska.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—General Agent Sheldon Jackson has made a special report to the president concerning the introduction of Siberian reindeer into Alaska by the government.

Last summer 127 reindeer were purchased in Siberia, 124 of which were safely landed at the station. This made a total of 346 in September. Herds of 100 reindeer each have been given to four mission stations and distribution to various other stations will follow as the herd increases.

Continuation of the small amount of the appropriations thus far made by congress will result in slow progress though having little effect on the success of the scheme. The scarcity of the food supply of the region is urged as an important reason why the work should be pushed as rapidly as is consistent with thoroughness. Action to prohibit private parties, except the Esquimaux from trading for reindeer for a term of years and until the government undertaking is well established, is suggested.

It is desirable that the larger islands of the Aleutian group be stocked with reindeer. To accomplish this Dr. Jackson recommends legislation for the protection of the reindeer for a designated number of years and for placing them under the control of the secretary of the treasury.

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NEWS OF KANSAS.

Kansas Miners Bound for Coxey's Commonweal Army.

Last Heard from at St. Louis Bound Eastward.

OTHER STATE NEWS.

Kansas Dogs Win Everything at Brentwood Coursing Match.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—A squad of recruits from Kansas City going to join the famous Coxey army attracted considerable attention at the Union depot yesterday. The men, thirty-four in number, were under the leadership of a man calling himself James McGrath. They arrive on the evening Wabash train from Kansas City and left on the Vandalia for Pittsburg, Pa. As soon as they stepped from the train they went to the lunch counter and each purchased a supper of coffee, rolls and boiled eggs.

Their leader, McGrath, told a reporter that they formerly worked in the mines in Pittsburg, Kan. Losing their positions there last fall, some of them drifted to Topeka and others to Kansas City, Kan. Finally all met in Kansas City, Mo., and determined to go east and join Coxey. Through the assistance of friends and of charitable people they were enabled, McGrath said, to "travel in varnished cars as far as Pittsburg." From there they will "foot it" till the main army is joined.

The men are all between the ages of 25 and 30, are strong, healthy looking fellows, dressed like laborers, and are quiet and well behaved. None of them look like tramps. After finishing their supper, which McGrath paid for, they took seats near the stove in the waiting room and conversed in low tones until the train crier announced that their train was ready. Then at a sign from McGrath all marched in an orderly manner to their coach and proceeded to make themselves comfortable for the night. They expect to join the main army Sunday.

KANSAS DOGS WIN.

H. C. Lowe of Lawrence, Takes Everything in Sight at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—A fair crowd turned out at Brentwood yesterday afternoon to witness the grand finals of the twenty-four dog championship coursing stake. In the opinion of old and experienced habitues of the coursing field, the performances of the competing dogs were as fine as any ever witnessed in the open or on any track. H. C. Lowe, of Lawrence, Kansas, who won the Columbus Cup at the international meeting at Huron, South Dakota, last October, took everything in sight, winning first, second and third money, and coming out of the stake with four undefeated dogs.

Mr. Lowe's black and white dog St. Lawrence, that defeated Van Hummel and Le Moyne's celebrated dog Lord Clifton yesterday afternoon, is a full brother of Prince Charlie, the winner of the Columbus cup at the international stake.

Notwithstanding the utter defeat of the local dogs, the effect of the meeting has been to give an impetus to coursing as a sport that is destined to bring it into general favor.

Reliable sources are to the effect that two more coursing clubs are in course of formation, and that by next fall another coursing park will be established with every facility near Kirkwood.

Dr. J. Irwin Boyce, of Topeka, Kan., and E. G. B. Hayman, coursing editor of the American Field of Chicago, who came here on special invitation of the Coursing association, before leaving for their homes last night spoke in the highest terms of the successful management of the meeting, and were of the opinion that St. Louis had a promising future as a coursing center.

EDWARDS FOR SECRETARY OF STATE

Letters to the Republicans of Pawnee County Asking Votes.

LARNED, March, 31.—W. C. Edwards publishes the announcement of his candidacy for secretary of state. It fills nearly a column of the Chronoscope. Edwards and J. W. Rush who wants to be lieutenant governor are fighting for the county. Mr. Edwards says:

"I confess my ambition to become secretary of this great commonwealth, and I feel warranted in being a candidate at this time. I have the endorsement and personal assistance of thousands of loyal and influential republicans in all parts of the state, who have expressed a desire to join us in another effort for success in securing the nomination. Much as I desire this recognition and would esteem it a great honor to have charge of the great seal of the state, I do not wish to force myself upon a generous people. I would rather never have another political honor than have you feel that my ambition had been a hindrance to republican success in either state or county, or that I was asking more than you were willing to accord me.

"Whatever may be the action of our county or coming state convention, I will still be a republican; and when November comes and I shall have cast my twentieth ballot it will follow in the line of the nineteen gone before, representing true republicanism."

THE ADVENTISTS WIN.

Election Held on Saturday in Order to Shut Them Out.

ATCHISON, March 31.—The Nortonville school district row which has been in the courts for about two years was yesterday decided by Judge Webb in favor of the Seventh Day Adventist faction. The evidence went to show that the election for voting bonds was called on Saturday for the purpose of preventing that faction from participating in the proceedings.

The costs in the case will amount to about $350, and will have to be paid by the trustees of the school individually, as it was held that they had performed an illegal act.

LOOKING FOR OIL AT FT. SCOTT.

Pennsylvania Oil Men Believe There Is Something There.

FT. SCOTT, March 31.—M. S. Wickersham and T. B. Neal, of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived in the city last night. They are interested with Guffey & Galey, the wealthy Pennsylvania oil men who are prospecting for oil and gas in a promising strip of land between Paola and Neodesha, Kans., which includes the western part of Bourbon county. They came here to look after oil leases on farm lands with a view to sinking a prospecting well in this county. They are quite confident, from the scientific investigation made by their geologists, and from the discoveries heretofore made all over the county by prospectors, that there is an abundance of excellent oil in this section.

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A Thirteen-Year Old Boy Commits Suicide Through Mortification.

ATCHISON, March 31.—Fred Doeringer the 13-year old son of John Doeringer, a prominent farmer living four miles northwest of Nortonville, committed suicide yesterday by hanging himself.

Young Deeringer with several other children, were playing around his father's house and became quite noisy. Mr. Deeringer had requested his son several times to be orderly but no attention was paid to this by the boy. Finally the father took a switch and whipped his son for failing to obey him. The boy then went up stairs and nothing more was thought of the matter until supper time, and when the boy did not appear a search was instituted for him. It was some time before he was found, no one thinking to look in the garret, until the father went there several hours afterwards and found him hanging from a rafter.

THE LAWRENCE LAW SCHOOL.

Appointments Made for Commencement, Which Takes Place June 5.

LAWRENCE, March 31.—The commencement appointments for the Kansas university school of law have been made. The commencement exercises will be on Tuesday morning, June 5.

The following are appointed: As orators, J. M. Challiss of Atchison; T. D. Barnett, Jumper; A. T. W. E. Higgins, North Topeka; J. A. Orr, Cane Springs. For theses, Mrs. May Phillips, Lawrence; R. E. Melvin, Lawrence; R. K. Campbell, Muscotah. Debate, J. A. Park, Russell; W. H. H. Sproul, Crestline. The senior class this year is one of the largest and best the school has ever graduated.

Ewing Herbert's New Paper.

ATCHISON, March 31.—Ewing Herbert of the Hiawatha World is going to conduct a newspaper called In Touch, devoted to personal gossip of Kansas newspaper men, advertising rates, etc.

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