

W. P. WALTON.

WHILE we supported Senator Harris in the primary contest for governor in good faith, because of neighborly considerations and the knowledge that he was a good man, we all the time had a very great admiration for Simon Bolivar Buckner as a soldier, as a man and as a patriot. This admiration has increased as his term of office advances for so far as we can see he has hardly made a mistake. He seems to be guided only by what he believes to be just and right and this he does regardless of the consequences to himself or to his party. That he is ever watchful of the interests of the State and determined that so far as lies in his power, no vicious or improper legislation shall be accomplished, his last veto like the first fully attested. A couple of local bills entitled "An act incorporating the Old Fellows' Orphanage," and "an act to incorporate the Home for the Aged and Indigent Women of Covington," were passed and each contained a clause exempting them from taxation. The governor very properly considers such an exemption unconstitutional and in his message he sets forth this opinion in language both pointed and convincing. The exemption of various classes of property has grown to such an extent as to become burdensome and the governor adds another pin to his cap in using his power to stop it.

THE Dependent Pension bill is to be worked in Congress again, but the public has the satisfaction of knowing that a brave and patriotic executive stands between them and the swindling raid that the fee coolers and bounty jumpers would make on the treasury. The object for presenting the bill now is not from any hope that it will become a law, but simply to manufacture campaign material for the republicans, who think by championing it to make themselves salt with the soldier vote. Fortunately there are some patriotic soldiers left, who do not think that because they fought in the war for the preservation of the Union, that the country's treasury should be turned over to them and the earth besides.

THE case in the next tub has at last been liberated. Thobe, was pretended to think he had some claim on Carlisle's seat, has entered indisputable evidence that the dollars and cents were what he was after by asking Congress to appropriate to him the sum of \$4700 for expenses he claims to have incurred in making the contest. It is rather safe to presume that Mr. Thobe's effort to raid the treasury will not be entirely successful. The highest amount ever allowed a contestant heretofore is \$2,000 and that is out of all reason. The law ought to be changed in the matter anyway. There would not be half the contests if there was not so much money in it.

SOME member has presented a bill to make the carrying of any deadly weapon other than a pocket knife a felony and the punishment thereof at from one to two years in the penitentiary. As has been remarked before, the penalty is now severe enough, but the law is not enforced. If the sapient gentlemen will turn his attention for awhile to amending our criminal laws so that a murderer cannot pick his jury, he might be of more service to his day and times than in seeking to create a law which from the very nature of the excessive punishment would at once become a dead letter.

SOMETIME ago it was published in flaming headlines that Eugene Zimmerman, a director of the broken Fidelity Bank of Cincinnati, and who is pretty well known here in connection with the so-called Oressa, Peaks & Nashville railroad, had skipped to Europe, after making over all his property, to avoid prosecution by the Federal authorities for his part in the bank swindle. Hearing the charges he at once set sail for home and is now in Cincinnati ready to face the music if any is to be played for his benefit.

ONCE when MARK TWAIN was suffering with a cold, he was besieged with remedies by anxious friends all over the country. Everything recommended was faithfully taken, including "a pint of sturgeon salt water, very warm." Then he commenced to vomit and continued to do so till he declared, and does to this day, that he "threw up his immortal soul." Everybody has his remedy for a cold, but they usually run their course all the same and stop when they get ready.

THE Salvation Army has discharged Capt Polly Bryan because she persisted in wearing a bustle. The commanding officers evidently want to make their women look as mean as possible. A shirt without a tail is about as useless and as unbecoming as a woman without a bustle.

WILL S. HAYS has professed religion under Moody and the old hymn is again verified: As long as the lamp holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return. Hays will devote his musical talent in the future to writing songs for evangelistic work.

THE crying need for the development of the mountain country is an act to quiet the land titles there. Nearly everything is in a muddle and in about nine out of ten cases a man who invests in real estate buys a law suit.

Kentucky paid in the two years ending January 1, \$316,832 interest on her bonds.

THE Courier-Journal makes this gratifying prophecy and for its fulfillment the whole country will say "amen." The democratic national convention will be held in New York City. Mr. Cleveland will be renominated by acclamation. His message will be his platform. He will have the hearty support of Hill, the half-hearted support of Randall and will carry New York without any serious opposition. Blaine will find great difficulty in holding Massachusetts and the Northwest.

THE trial of Mrs. Monday for the murder of her husband is at last under headway at Lexington, after costing the State many thousands of dollars. It will be remembered that the object of the murder was to obtain the insurance on her husband's life and that she was assisted in the removal by a doctor, who is serving a life sentence for his part of the work.

EDITOR RULE, of Knoxville, who cleaned out the cowardly crowd that attacked him while he and his wife were going to church, is fast convalescing from his 16 wounds. One of his antagonists has since died, another will die and the others are nearly scared to death. We editors are bad medicine, and don't you forget it, so don't come around fooling with us.

THE Senate has passed a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution fixing April 30 instead of March 4 as the day for the adjournment of Congress and the end of the Presidential term.

THE Senate post office committee has very wisely reported adversely on the bill to reduce letter postage to one cent. Postage is low enough now and nobody is kicking for a reduction.

ACTS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

A bill to declare the marriages of first cousins void and incestuous is being evolved by a House member.

Senator Harris' bill to incorporate the Richmond, Nicholasville & Beattyville railroad passed the Senate.

The House passed a bill this week to legitimize a child born out of wedlock, the couple having afterwards married.

The Senate tabled the bill appropriating \$30,000 for a Kentucky Exhibit at Cincinnati. The moss-backs are evidently in the majority.

The committee to investigate the Mason Ford Company finds that it owes the State about \$1,600 and that its bond is good for more than a million of dollars.

The Senate refused 17 to 12 to have Congress abolish the tax on tobacco and the House adopted the Senate's resolution, protesting against the Blair bill, characterizing it as an infamous measure.

In the last year or two the auditor has paid out \$18,634.30 to lawyers for services that are expected of the Attorney General and Senator Glenn has very wisely entered a bill to repeal the act allowing the employment of outside attorneys.

NEWSY NOTES.

The public debt decreased \$15,387,320 last month.

Ten thousand Cincinnati steamers have gone on a strike.

Bradford Store, Knox county, will be discontinued as a postoffice after the 10th.

A square on Broadway, in New York, was gutted by fire causing a loss of over \$2,000,000.

Our firemen got mixed on the reduction in the price of coffee. It is 20 per cent. instead of 50.

The stables of a United States cavalry company at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, were burned with 36 horses.

Eugene Huisel shot and seriously wounded the race horse man, Owen Bradley, at Lexington, over an election quarrel.

Buffalo, N. Y., was the scene of a great conflagration, destroying business blocks and property amounting to \$1,500,000.

Knoxville, Tennessee, has begun the shipment of 100 cars of canal coal per week to New York City, to be used in the manufacture of gas.

Louisville is getting to be worse than Chicago. Eight divorces were granted there Monday, two new applications were filed and two dissolved.

Governor Wilson, of West Virginia, has issued a requisition on Governor Backner, of Kentucky, for the release of parties imprisoned in Pike county.

Joseph Hoesch, 28 years of age, was found to be of unsound mind by a jury at Louisville and that the insanity was caused by excessive cigarette smoking.

Judge Matt Walton, Dr. M. T. Scott and Wat Park have been appointed by the Governor as Commissioners of the Eastern Lunatic Asylum at Lexington.

Charles Barton, of Cleveland, Tenn., beat his young wife unmercifully while in child labor, and the babe was born dead. He was arrested, but made his escape.

Dr. J. G. McGee, a young dentist, shot and killed Ed Hickman at Berletown. A previous quarrel renewed under the influence of liquor, caused the "unfortunate affair."

Charles C. Waite, Editor and owner of the Flemingsburg Times-Democrat, has been declared insane. He married Miss Fannie Walton, a relative of Judge Matt Walton, of Lexington.

It is said that Mr. Huntington, who is 65, wants to retire from the active control of his railroad property and will reorganize the Chesapeake & Ohio with M. E. Ingalls, of the Big Four, as president.

The portion of the Virginia Penitentiary leased by a Baltimore shoe firm was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday. Loss to the company \$150,000, to the State \$25,000. Several hundred convicts were employed and they will be idle for the present.

The venerable Gov. David Meriwether, of Jefferson county, is in Washington looking after a claim of \$3,000, for salary due him as Governor of New Mexico. There is probably not one other living who set in either the House or Senate when Gov. Meriwether went to Washington 36 years ago as a Senator from Kentucky, to succeed Henry Clay. He is now in his 88th year and has lived an eventful life.—[Courier-Journal.]

Gov. J. B. McCreary introduced the following bills Monday: A bill to establish a United States Land Court and to provide for a judicial investigation and settlement of private land claims in the territories of Arizona, New Mexico, Wyoming, Utah, and in the States of Colorado and Nevada; a bill for the relief of James and Thomas H. Gray, of Boyle county; for the relief of the heirs of James McKenize, of Lincoln county; for the relief of Abijah Gilbert, of Owsley county; for the relief of Sallie Ann Higgins, of Louisville.

HUSTONVILLE, LINCOLN COUNTY.

The mild atmosphere of Monday and Tuesday breathes pleasantly on our frost-bound soil, and gently whispers hope of the ultimate dethronement of the blizzard dynasty.

Good news for C. S. Teachers—A late act of the legislature directs the immediate payment of all teachers claims reported as taught on. The Treasurer's draft may be expected in a few days.

J. M. Cook is in Palaski prosecuting his official mission. J. P. Gode has returned from escorting a lot of West bound passengers until they "got used to the keery." Miss Sae Ellis left to day for Grant county where she will probably remain some time. Rev. J. C. Randolph having accepted a call to Lancaster, the Presbyterian church at this place is without a pastor. Rev. Mr. Allen supplies the Baptist and Eder Ballou the Christian churches.

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

James Pope, a negro man about 45 years old, from Mitchelsburg, was adjudged a lunatic on Wednesday and ordered to the Asylum at Lexington.

At the sale of Benjamin Speers on Wednesday the personalty brought good prices. Mr. Speers will soon go to Nicholasville, where he will go in the livery business.

Hon. Wm. Berkeley, of Garrard, was in town Thursday. The Squire has a way of making friends of everyone he meets, irrespective of party, race or previous condition of servitude.

Mr. Joseph S. Moore, who went to New Mexico last fall, is expected home on Saturday. He did not find the climate so beneficial to him as was hoped and expected. Mrs. Mary B. Fisher is visiting friends in Shelbyville.

Prof. Argo, of the Duff and Dumb Institute, expected a committee of the State Legislature on a visit of inspection Wednesday evening. The committee had not been duly organized, however, and did not come. Dr. Meade, a representative, is here informally and is the guest of Prof. Argo.

The funeral procession of Mr. Caleb Tucker, who died at his home near Parkville Monday night, passed through town Wednesday on the way to McCormick's meeting house, where the burial occurred. Mr. Tucker was 76 years old and although a native of Lincoln, had lived in Boyle county for 40 years. He was a good citizen and a kind hearted man.

A horse belonging to Hiram Johnson, of Bryantville, ran away with a spring wagon loaded with brooms Wednesday evening. The brooms were spilled, two lamp posts, one at the north west corner of the Gilcher House, the other in front of the Tribune office, were upset, a shade tree on 2d street was broken down, a buggy belonging to William F. Davis and the spring wagon steered were badly wrecked. Should other returns come in they will be duly recorded.

The Boyle County Medical Society met on Wednesday at the office of Dr. D. C. Tucker. The members in attendance were Drs. W. T. Polk, J. M. Meyer, Purdon, W. A. Brown, R. M. Oran, L. S. McMurry, Fayette Danlap and D. C. Tucker. An interesting exhibition of new medical preparations from the house of C. H. Phillips, of New York, was presented. Dr. Tucker read a paper on "Typhoid," which was freely discussed. Several reports of interesting cases were made by different members. Dr. Purdon, of Mitchelsburg, was elected president and Dr. Cartwright, of Junction City, vice president, and Dr. Fayette Danlap secretary and treasurer.

A correspondent of a Louisville paper from Danville very unkindly or thoughtlessly, at best, seems desirous of stirring up an old scandal, which, when everything has been said on both sides, can only effect a poor young girl of good character, who is striving to live a life of usefulness. "And Jesus went unto the Mount of Olives, and early in the morning He came again into the temple and all the people came unto Him; and He sat down and taught them. And the Scribes and the Pharisees brought unto Him a woman taken in adultery; and when they had set her in the midst they say unto Him: Master, this woman was taken in adultery, in the very act. Now Moses in the law commanded us that such should be stoned; but what sayest Thou? This they said to tempt Him, that they might have to accuse Him. But Jesus stooped down and with His finger wrote on the ground as though He heard them not. So when they continued asking Him, He lifted up Himself and said unto them: He that is without sin among you, let him cast the first stone."

WORK AND WORKERS.

The new shaft at Bressa, Ill., is ready for business.

The St. Louis malleable iron works is to be converted into a steel-casting shop.

Howard, Center County, Pa., has a new rolling mill for making iron and steel wire rods.

Toleno capitalists are building a \$200,000 factory and a rail mill 330x100 feet at Jackson, O.

The Cincinnati Southern Railroad Company will build shops at Somerset, Ky., and employ 400 men.

The reduction of the hours of labor in the State of Maine to ten has not resulted in any decreased output.

A wire mill in Lockport, Ill., has been running twenty-two hours out of every twenty-four, except Sundays, for two years.

The substitution of steam from the locomotive for the car stove as a method of heating cars is progressing very satisfactorily.

CANADA takes more than a million tons of anthracite and nearly nine hundred thousand tons of bituminous coal yearly from the United States.

The Rock Island Railroad Company has secured 6,000 acres of coal land in New Mexico, and will shortly proceed to develop them.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has ordered the superintendent of its bituminous mines at Shamokin not to resume work there until April next.

A CO-OPERATIVE shop is to be built at Tallapoosa, Ga., that will employ 100 molders, who will turn out farm implements, saddlery, hardware, etc.

The silk manufacturers through Pennsylvania are having difficulty in finding a sufficient supply of skilled labor. The workmen object to leaving the large cities and going into country towns.

Is the several carpet mills of New York there are 2,000 females employed who average \$8 per week. They all belong to Assembly No. 136. They are said to be about the best dressed working girls in the city.

It is stated that a rolling mill is to be erected at Riverside, Los Angeles County, Cal. The projectors control iron ore lands within two miles of Daguerre, from which to supply the material to be worked.

The Canadian Pacific Railroad Company will build at its shops this winter 5,000 freight cars, 250 passenger cars and 100 locomotives. Large shops are to be erected at Montreal, and additional labor is to be employed.

The Stover Manufacturing Company, of Freeport, Ill., have put in operation the new foundry which has just been added to their works. The new building is 25,000 feet in area, with a high bridge roof, well lighted and ventilated.

TEXAS and spindles are to be put in at Ellenboro, N. C., a \$700,000 opera house at Atlanta, Ga., an \$800,000 cotton factory at Mount Airy, N. C., a large block of buildings at Bessemer, Ala., and a \$300,000 cotton mill at Vicksburg, Miss.

SWANE'S Iron and Steel Directory for 1888 enumerates miscellaneous works as follows: Wire mill, 47; wire rod and wire mills, 57; car wheel works, 114; carriage works, 79; car-building works, 92; locomotive works, 35; wrought iron pipe works, 23; cast iron pipe works, 23.

A WINDSOR (Vt.) cotton manufacturer has decided to transfer his factory to Mobile, Ala., with 7,500 spindles, 250 looms and 20 cards, and water and steam power will be used. This project says it is only a question of time when all the cotton mills will have to get nearer to the staple.

MACHINISTS in nearly all lines of work say there is no perceptible diminution in work, that a great deal of business is promised for the winter and spring, that buyers are not insisting upon unreasonably low prices, and that material can be purchased at lower prices now for winter delivery than they could a month ago. Many of the machinists are carrying more work in the way of iron and steel.

MARRIED THREE TIMES.

A Young Couple Who Were Not Content With One Ceremony.

Nearly all classes of professional men have queer experiences, and clergymen are not excepted. One evening some time since, says the Rome (N. Y.) Sentinel, the pastor of one of our city churches upon returning home from a sick call found three persons—a gentleman and two ladies—awaiting him in the parlor. The gentleman and one of his companions were quite young, while the other was far advanced in years. As the domestic opened the old lady immediately made known the business by stating that the young couple desired to be married. The minister replied that that was quite the proper thing to do, and proceeded to bring forth a number of books and documents. The young couple seemed somewhat embarrassed. The clergyman, thinking that the novelty of their presence had a depressing effect upon them, assumed his lightest air, and, by pleasant remarks and cheerful conversation, sought to reassure the bashful swain and his sweetheart that the married state was not so bad as it had been painted from time to time by cross-grained old bachelors. Under the present Marriage law of the State a clergyman is required to propound numerous questions to parties desirous of being married, the answers to which must be kept on record. The clergyman minutely remarked, as he spread the document on the table before him, that getting married nowadays was like a will or drawing up a deed, and told the couple that they must answer a great many questions.

"Yes," chimed in the old lady to her younger companions, "you must tell every thing."

After a little hesitation the couple stated that they had been married before, and the officiating clergyman was the predecessor of the gentleman upon whom they were calling for the purpose of being reunited. Without questioning them further the clergyman stood, upon making an examination of the records, that their statements were true. He was somewhat surprised, however, at finding opposite the record a memorandum to the effect that that was their second marriage. When questioned on this point the young couple owned up that they had been married twice.

"Then why in the world do you desire to be married again? Isn't twice enough?" asked the minister.

They explained that the first marriage took place in a country village and was performed by a clergyman without the presence of witnesses. Not being satisfied with this, they were united the second time. The young lady had continued to reside at home and had never acquainted her parents or any one else of their marriage; it was a profound secret. The couple said they were desirous of living together as husband and wife, but the young lady feared to break the news of their relations to her parents, as they might be provoked at the deception she had practiced. They thought the only way out of it was for them to be again married and present a new certificate. The clergyman told them that the presentation of a certificate signed at that time would be as much of a deception as in the other case and advised them to go home, break the news to the world and try to get along on the double marriage.

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N. B. Train No. 9 leaves Chicago at 6:00 A. M. and arrives in Chattanooga at 1:00 A. M. No. 10 leaves Chattanooga at 4:35 P. M. and arrives at Oakland at 7:30.

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