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CURRENT TOPICS.

The special evening of the Sultan of Morocco to the queen's jubilee has been returned to Morocco.

FEMALE spiders are much larger and more ferocious than the males, and often devour their husbands.

PRESIDENT FRANCIS B. CLARK, of the Christian Endeavor society, has returned to his home in Boston from a trip around the world.

The hospitals of the Metropolitan Asylums board in London have 3,500 beds apart for most fever and only 700 for diphtheria.

AMSTERDAM is interested by canals, which divide the city into about 90 islands. Communication with them is had by about 300 bridges.

REV. SAMUEL WICKSTED, of Plymouth, England, who was once the president of the English Baptist union, died in Milwaukee from 1854 to 1891.

In Sumner county, Ind., a man gave a load of wheat for the India famine sufferers, a man died of starvation before the wheat reached the Indians.

The correct pronunciation of "Hallelujah," the "h" as in "time," and the "u" as in "we," the accent being on the second syllable.

DR. SHELDON JACKSON, the Alaskan missionary who presided over the Presbyterian assembly now on his way to the north to resume his labors on the Yukon.

The Daughters of the Confederacy in Georgia intend to memorialize the legislature of that state in the interest of the establishment of a national day in the State university.

The Bishop of Meath, Ireland, who has been aligned archbishop of Dublin, is a broad orthodox man with evangelical tendencies. He is a total abstainer from liquor and tobacco.

ISAAC FLETCHER, a Virginia hill-dweller in Walpole county, has a herd 84 years of age that is able to good footing, says the local news.

The animal was killed in 1812.

JOHN McFARLANE, living near Cassopolis, Mo., has discovered a bone containing an undecayed and three others going to the bone was struck by lightning.

DIPHTHERIA is one of the most dangerous of the diseases known to man. It is a fatal disease, but can be cured by a new compound he has discovered.

GEORGE B. DEANIS, of Rowlesburg, W. Va., a surveyor, has the compass and the instrument used by the first grand father when, with Washington, he surveyed the road from Washington to the Potomac.

MISS ALICE O'BRIEN was awarded \$10,000 damages against the Trinity and Union railroad in the district court of Woodbury, Mo., for a dog chained in the depot door.

A newly designed wireless telegraph for telephones has a shell with an absorbent lining, which lining is saturated with antiseptic liquid, whose evaporation is to prevent the accumulation of disease germs in the mouthpiece.

Spain's army is to be reorganized by Russian army officers, one hundred officers having volunteered as instructors in an answer to a circular from one of the military authorities of the East. Spain will select 50 from among them.

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MINERS' STRIKE.

The Big Strike After a Continuance of Nine Months: The Order Issued for a Quarter of a Million Men to Quit Work.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—A general strike of the United Mine Workers of America has been ordered for July 9 by the national executive board, whose headquarters are in this city, and also by the district presidents, as the result of a meeting held here June 24, 25 and 26.

To the Mine Workers of the Country, Greeting:

At the annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America, held in the city of Columbus, O., January 22-25, 1897, it was determined that the scale of prices should be advanced to the following rates:

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

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YELLOW JACK.

Harrowing Story of Passengers on Board the City of Para.—Cases Reported of Them Attacked by Yellow Fever. It is Reported that the Disease is Now on the Coast.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Passengers who arrived here Friday night on the clean, white, healthily appearing steamer City of Para, which left Panama for San Francisco on May 23 last, it seems that two days after clearing the isthmus yellow fever broke out among the crew and passengers of the Pacific liner which caused a panic on board and resulted in the death of the commander of the vessel.

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Condition of the Farmers Bank and Trust Co., Stanford, Kentucky, December 31, 1896.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Cash and Deposits	\$175,000	Capital Stock	\$200,000
Overdrafts	7,500	Surplus Fund	17,000
Real Estate and Bonds	12,000	Individual Deposits	12,000
Due from National Banks	40,000	Due from National Banks	12,000
Revolving Loans	8,000	Due from State Banks	4,000
Furniture and Fixtures	10,000		
Loans	12,000		

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J. S. HOCKER, Pres. JNO. J. McROBERTS, Cashier.

Pennsylvania (Pittsburgh district), pick mining, 69 cents per ton; Ohio, 60 cents per ton; Indiana (bituminous), 60 cents per ton; Illinois (grape coal), 35 cents per ton. Machine mining will be paid three-fifths per cent of the price for pick and one-fifth for grape coal. A corresponding increase in price paid for pick and grape coal will be made to the extent of the increase in the price of pick and grape coal.

Let the watchword be, says the circular, "mine workers are entitled to a fair day's pay for a fair day's work." Local committees are directed to be formed, and to see that action is taken at once. The strike is large and the consequences to the coal and iron industries of this country are of great importance.

The national executive board is composed of: Exec.—H. B. Davis, Jr., J. H. Kennedy, Harry Stephenson, James M. Campbell, and Fred DeLoach. The district presidents are W. E. Parns, W. G. Knight, James W. Carson and Patrick DeLoach.

The proposed scale is intended by the miners to make work for miners profitable to them in the Pittsburgh district and elsewhere. Pittsburgh, as claimed, is paying 54 cents per ton and Ohio 45 cents per ton, or nine cents below Pittsburgh. The miners propose, if possible, to raise Pittsburgh prices so as to prevent a reduction in Ohio to 45 cents, and the possibility of one a further reduction to 40 cents in Pittsburgh should keep lowering.

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Address, in Part, of Rockcastle's Orator, R. G. Williams,

At Brodhead Picnic, on July 3rd.

It is a beautiful custom of the American people to meet and celebrate, with appropriate and imposing ceremonies, the memorable events in our country's history. In doing so, we come to our hearts beating and our bosoms heaving in love and adoration for noble spirits of '76; inspired by the teachings of heroic ancestors, and moved by the valor and patriotism of him whose brain gave birth and whose hand penned the Declaration of Independence. It was Thomas Jefferson who established the American free-school system and built that great college of letters, the University of Virginia, that lifts its dome toward the sky like the many shadows of his Monticello home. It was there, ennobled by the cordial greetings of Virginia, that his eyes first rested on nature's beautiful handiwork. Such successful warriors as Napoleon, Hannibal, Caesar and Alexander have inscribed their names in the red catalogue of military butchers. They excited the passions of men; were applauded by the world and worshipped by that class of people who idolized strength and success. But the never-dying name of Jefferson will live in a higher and purer realm as long as light and liberty shall dwell upon earth, or lips glow eloquent over the recital of heroic deeds of valor done. Our brave fore-fathers stationed themselves upon the sacred rights of citizens not to be taxed without representation. They looked down the avenues of time and saw posterity marching in a silent but mournful procession with down-cast eyes and Damocles sword suspended in anger above their heads; then it was that the knightliest of the knightly warriors, moved by a sympathy for the oppressed and the unfortunate, and inhaling a divine impulse, like Moses on Sinai, buckled on the armor of right and marched forth with the courage of a Theban band to fight for the cause of a new born Republic. This country, the Queen of the world, sprang from chases into an "indestructible union of indestructible states," but not with one bound or a single leap. This Union is not the child of a day but the growth of centuries. It is not the offspring of chance or misfortune, but the beautiful star-eyed maiden of divine providence. And like the Hebrew children wherever the cloud led or the pillar of fire moved, we followed faithfully on until we escaped from England's task-masters and with timbrels in hand, we parted the waves of the bloody river and finally anchored our shattered and battle-worn army in the harbor of eternal bliss and prosperity. We have continued the march until,

"America see 'no backward No more alone for strength Her march is for the woman's sake Her home is on the ocean."

The evolution of time has brought its own prosperity. From chaos has come cosmos. Huts have grown into gilded palaces. Briar stiches have been converted into vegetable kingdoms and flower gardens. A barren waste has become a veritable Eden. Shall men receive the credit for it all? No! No! Woman, lovely woman, has borne her part with a patience akin to that of the lowly Nazarene. The tender hand of noble woman is found in every great and good work. From 17th century ribbons from one had grew a garden of beautiful roses which are heaven appointed messengers to elevate and purify mankind. It was woman who was last at the cross and first at Joseph's tomb. What would this world be without her?

"Ah, woman in this world of ours, What gift can be compared to thee? How slow would drag life's weary hours, Though man's proud brow were bound with flowers And his wealth of hand and eye, It destined to exist alone And n'er e'er man's heart his own?"

Where is the boundary line of woman's influence? Earth contains it not and heaven hath not yet declared. Her hand rocks the angels' crib and silently administers cordials on tip-toe for fear of arousing the sleeping husband. With the soothing hand of love she irons out the wrinkles of care and pain and brings back the bright, red rose of peace and happiness.

Ah, the birds of heaven chanting their sweetest songs to the angels of God's throne could never fly across her dominion. An Axtel or a Sunol speeding with nostrils expanded and panting with tattered flank could never reach the out-post of woman's empire. When we revert to the God-sent messengers of mercy, many of whom were leaders of feivoly, changed into heroines, appessing the wounds of the battle-fields, we recall the beautiful lines of Walter Scott:

"O! What a! in hour of ease, To curran, coy and hard to please; When pain and anguish wring the brow, A ministering angel thou!"

Here the speaker paid a glowing tribute to the courage of the soldiers on both sides. He then spoke of the dangers of centralization of federal power - and finished with the following peroration.

Standing here to day, surrounded by my countrymen whose virtues I delight to proclaim; whose civility and boundless hospitality have made them known and honored of men all the way from Tampa Bay to Puget sound—from Atlantic's pulsing bosom to the vine-clad hills of California.

Assembled here in the proudest State of the grandest Union that was ever kissed by the loving beams of fonders smiling Sun, Canopied by as beautiful a sky as ever charmed the gaze of a Manhattan bar or as ever inspired the musical chord of Marcello's brain; our locks fanned by a balmy breeze as ever woke to melody a Tasso's lyre; our blue grass waving above a fertile soil; our mountains rich with unexplored regions of minerals; blessed with as fine a fruit as ever tempted our primitive ancestors in the garden of Eden; noted everywhere for our skilled barristers, our able jurists, our enlightened statesmen, our brilliant paragaphers; our brave men and virtuous women. Let us come to-day inhaling the refreshing zephyrs of the Southern magnolia mingled with the sweet aroma of the Northern pine and reverently bow at Freedom's shrine with uncovered heads and patriotic hearts, weighing each word before we give it breath, let us renew our faith at the nation's altar and invoke the blessings of liberty and union now and forever.

Fill the air with the spirit of repubanchan perpetuity and let it kiss the flag that waves so peacefully on the Nation's capitol which is the glorious emblem of a free and independent people where "long may she wave o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

As he spoke these words he waved a small American flag.

ORLANDO.

Mrs. Abi Evans is very sick this week.

Miss Martha Gill has been very sick with measles but improving.

Logan Salyers and wife were visiting friends at Livingston Sunday last.

Tip Langford and family were visiting his mother near Cove, Sunday last.

Rev. R. E. Bell preached at Caloway, Sunday last. He will teach at that place this fall.

Henry Hundley's wife has been very sick for several days. Dr. Lovel is attending her.

Andrew More, wife and brother, are visiting friends in Jackson county. J. B. Owens has control of his store during his absence.

Dr. E. J. Brown and M. Pennington performed a surgical operation on Mrs. S. R. McClure at Section house Sunday last. She stood the operation exceedingly well.

Horace Edwards who will teach the Flat Rock school this year is a very economical man he says that his correspondent wears his \$18 suits while he wears his \$5 one. Now I feel quite complimented to think that Mr. Edwards values my clothing so highly. I hope that after he teaches our school that he will open up his heart and buy him one \$100 suit to wear on swell occasions. I am sure that he would never regret it.

GOCCULAND.

Mrs. J. C. Phillips is on the sick list.

Preaching at the Baptist church Sunday next.

A. I. McGuire is visiting relatives at Livingston this week.

Grover McGuire made a flying trip to Berea Friday.

The rose bud of Ino, was among the big girls this Sunday.

Mrs. G. C. Clark was the guest of her parents Mrs. T. J. Ballard last week.

Miss Alza McGuire gave a social Saturday night. All voted a good time.

Your correspondent was the guest of Miss Addie Phillips Saturday last.

I. F. Griffin, of near Weddie, spent Saturday and Sunday last with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stewart of Wildie were the guest of her parents Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Martin failed to be at the social Saturday night. Miss Angie Fu is supposed to be wearing a long face.

Green Chiles shot and killed Joseph Gattiff at Big Hill in the edge of Madison Co. And Henry Raney killed Chiles' horse while trying to arrest Chiles. Chiles was sent to Richmond. Drinking now was the trouble.

PINE HILL.

Bro Ragin preached Sunday and Sunday night.

The Sunday school here is progressing nicely, most every body is talking an interest.

A party of young folks of Pine Hill celebrated the fourth at Sulphur Springs near the Coal mines.


Mr. J. M. Houston spent the fourth at home. We like to see Jim come about the always has a pleasing smile to every one he meets.

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CREDIT COURT - Second Monday in February, Fourth Monday in May and Third Monday in September.
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MORE OUTRAGES

Wealthy Cubans Arrested and Hurried Off to Jail.

Their Homes Invaded by Troops and Lamas Shamefully Treated.

Forteen Children Arrested and Put in Prison as "Abettors of the Revolution."

New York, July 6.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Havana says...

Seven hundred and seventy ill and another...

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KENTUCKY STATE NEWS.

Max Ned Palmer, formerly of Louisville, secured a divorce from her husband in New York.

The Louisville post office was transferred to Dr. T. H. Baker...

Mr. Pauline Vimmer and her daughter submitted suicide attempts...

Miss Sara C. Coker, the insane heiress who has been starving herself...

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TEA FARMING.

Report of a Veteran Horticulturist on the Matter.

Prospects of Its Profitable Growth in South Carolina Promising.

Washington, July 6.—Secretary of Agriculture...

The labor question is the most important...

It means at this minute you are a laborer...

There are a great many laws on the statute books...

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GAVE THE WAITER HIS FEE.

An Excusable Man's Ignorance of the Law Costs Him a Liberal Tip.

The waiter and his old gentleman...

"Why, why, why?" screamed the old gentleman...

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Queen A. Crockett.

During the Tennessee and International Exposition...

"I am not a laborer," said the waiter...

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