

INTERESTING STATE NEWS.

OUR LEGISLATORS.

They are Passing Laws for the Government of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

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CONTEST ARGUMENT.

Thousands of Witnesses Summoned to Testify Before the Investigating Body at Frankfort.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 17.—The gubernatorial contest here, after listening to the arguments of the attorneys on motions and objections, finally reached the stage of examining witnesses. Charles P. Weaver, mayor of Louisville, was the first witness called. After the examination had proceeded at considerable length Mr. Phelps, of the Goebel side, asked the question, "Did the state of facts existing at Louisville on or before November 27 with reference to peace and good order justify calling out troops on election day?" Mr. Weaver said that he could not answer the question.

H. P. McDonald, of Louisville, was the next witness called. He testified as to the entry of anti-Goebel forces inside the polling booths by a mandatory order from Judge Toney to the local authorities he regarded as simply equal to the occasion. H. P. McDonald, of Louisville, was the next witness called. He testified as to the entry of anti-Goebel forces inside the polling booths by a mandatory order from Judge Toney to the local authorities he regarded as simply equal to the occasion.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 19.—Twenty-one witnesses were examined by the gubernatorial board of referees, all of them being introduced by the democrats. Twenty of the witnesses testified in relation to the so-called "bullet" which was fired at the polls in Pike, Martin, Johnson, Knox and Magoffin counties were of no consequence in nature but the marks made by the voters upon them, could be seen. In about every case the witnesses were introduced by cross-examination brought from these witnesses the statement that the state of facts existing at the time of the election in which the thin bullet was used, did not in the last election differ from the average vote at preceding elections.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 20.—The hearing of evidence in chief on behalf of Goebel and Beckham, the democratic candidates for governor and lieutenant governor, before the joint legislative contest board, was completed and the hearing of evidence for Governor Taylor and Senator Goebel, Marshall will now begin.

More than 50 witnesses testified on the side of the contestants. The witnesses at the hearing were introduced mainly from Louisville and the principal evidence was in regard to the alleged violation of the laws relating to the election. The hearing of evidence for Taylor and Goebel, Marshall will now begin.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 21.—The reading of the country's claims of the republicanism parties to the gubernatorial contest, before the joint legislative contest board, was completed and the hearing of evidence for Governor Taylor and Senator Goebel, Marshall will now begin.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 22.—The police force of Louisville, through four of its officers, defended itself vigorously against the charges of the joint legislative contest board, which have been made since the election. The police force of Louisville, through four of its officers, defended itself vigorously against the charges of the joint legislative contest board, which have been made since the election.

FIFTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

WHAT IT REACHED.

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Lord Dundonald's Return to England.

City With 1,600 Men.

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"There is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip," evidently thinks Capt. Evans. Although he presented his bond and his commission from Gov. Taylor is the County Court last Monday and asked that his bond be approved and he be sworn in as Justice of the Peace, yet his motion, which was well argued by attorney S. D. Lewis, was overruled and J. N. Brown's bond was approved by the Court and he was sworn in as Justice of the Peace. In November last Judge Williams appointed J. N. Brown to fill out the unexpired term of his son, R. L. Brown resigned. The order was forwarded by the Clerk to the Governor, but it being the last days of Bradley's administration, the commission was not issued. Gov. Taylor came in and on request appointed A. H. Evans, totally disregarding Judge Williams' order appointing Mr. J. N. Brown. Judge Williams takes the position that the power of appointment is vested in him and not Gov. Taylor, and hence he refused to approve his (Evans) bond and refused to permit him to be sworn in although he presented a splendid bond signed by good ones. This question is a new one to the Kentucky bar, but he gave rather a lengthy oral opinion from the bench, after Messrs. Brown, Williams and Lewis had argued the question, giving his opinion of the Constitution applicable to the appointment and the various sections of the Statutes and acts relating thereto. He founded his opinion on section 152 of the Constitution which provides that the Governor shall fill all vacancies for the State-at-large or for districts larger than a county. Then the Governor, under this section has no authority to fill any vacancy in any district less than a county, which this is Section 1527 Kentucky Statutes vests the power of appointment in the County Judge, while Section 3758 gives the power to the Governor. Judge Williams held that Section 3758 is in conflict with Section 152 of the Constitution and therefore void. If Capt. Evans desires to make a test he will have to bring a mandamus suit against Judge Williams, and then the case will be taken to the Court of Appeals if it is decided against him in the Circuit Court.

Gov. Taylor last week pardoned several of his Mountain friends who were down at Frankfort making in the city. While drunk and disorderly, they were arrested and large pistols were found on them. Next morning they were taken before the Police Judge, where they wanted to enter a plea of guilty if they could only get off with a fine of \$25. About this time a messenger arrived on the scene with a pardon from Gov. Taylor. The pardon of one of the defendants read thus:

"Whereas, Fred Threlkell has been arrested in Frankfort, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and carrying concealed and deadly weapons, said to have been committed in said city and town, and believing from the facts submitted to me, that he is being unjustly prosecuted and that he is not guilty, I now pardon him."

In this case both men were willing to admit their guilt, and the weapons taken off of them in connection with this position as evidence of their guilt. The Sheriff has several cases of this kind pending, but he has a great wrong inflicted upon good, law-abiding people who also to have such

Justice Lewis writes on the following opinion by the County Court in part:

"In making the contest Goebel simply exercised a legal right which a candidate for any other office in the State from Constable up to and which public policy requires to be exercised wherever reasonable grounds exist for doing so. Whether Goebel has or has not reasonable grounds for his contest, it is not my province as a private citizen to say. But that his opponents do not regard him as trivial attempts to bribe and overawe members of the General Assembly, and threats of forcible resistance to a decision in his favor, plainly show."

It is the decision of the contest in favor of Goebel he will become the legal Governor and upon taking the oath of office entitled to take possession and discharge the duties, and Taylor will be powerless to do any official act, and not entitled to official recognition by the Legislature or judicial department or any civil officer or soldier. "What, then would be the result of the threatened forcible resistance to a decision favorable to Goebel? There might be rioting and bloodshed. But if a soldier should under order of Taylor, claiming to be Governor, kill a peace officer or citizen he would be guilty of murder; for the law would require him to know Goebel, not Taylor, was the legal Governor."

"It has been said that falling in forcibly resisting the decision, the Judge of the District Court would be applied to for an injunction or some other process by which to prevent the man decided by the proper tribunal to be the legal Governor, from acting as such and to enable the man decided not to be such to hold the office. I do not believe the Judge of that court would interfere, for he has not a semblance of jurisdiction. If however, he does so he will subject himself to both a civil action and to impeachment. I hope that upon a sober second thought all will agree in the matter of the pending contest to let the case take its course."

The case against John Whallen charging him with bribery, was on last Wednesday dismissed, but will be brought up again and investigated by the Franklin County grand jury in April. The case was dismissed on the grounds that one of the grand jurors got sick after the investigation began and another juror had to be substituted in his stead. The next indictment against Johnny will no doubt be one that will stick.

Col. Sam Burdette, of Chicago, formerly of this place and once county attorney of this county, was, on motion of Senator Lindsay, admitted to practice as an attorney in the Supreme Court of the United States.

Land, Stock, Crops

D. B. Hampton sold to Wm. Green sold his crop of lambs for the present year at 5 1/2c. (Whitaker Democrat)

The Interior Journal notes the sales of a lot of shot at 3 1/2c; some butch stock at \$3.40; a lot of southern hams at \$60 to \$65 and ten crates of apples at \$2.00.

North Dixie. Bought 34 head of 2-year-old males of F. F. Johnson last November at \$7 per head. They will be broken down before long. (Herald Democrat)

The Weekly Courier reports the sale of 112 head of young calves at \$1.00 each.

There were 100 sheep at Orange on Monday and 110. These numbers sold at \$1.00 and \$1.00. Yearling steers at \$1.00 and \$1.00. No sheep are being offered.

Walker Buckner bought in Fleming six yearling steers at \$37.00 each. Joe Hensley has bought a lot of cattle shotes, average 100 pounds, from Jamie Linton at 3 1/2 cts. R. K. Hart, of Fleming bought fifteen yearling males last week at 75 cts.—(Burton County)

A fatal disease pronounced paratyphoid indigestion is killing mules in Garrard county. A prominent farmer of near Hubble stated that he had lost seven animals in a week. The cause of the disease is not known. The loss is heavy now that mules are in such demand in the Southern markets for shipment to South Africa.

Butter sells at 16 to 17c in Cincinnati, eggs 17, corn 34 1/2, wheat 71c, best cattle 5 60, do hogs 4 1/2, sheep 4 1/2 c and lambs 5 1/2 c.

J. J. Thompson bought at Lancaster yesterday the John K. Adams farm of 260 acres, lying near Preshersville, at \$22.

LANCASTER COURT.—A large crowd attended Lancaster court yesterday and there were 300 cattle on the market. There was some demand for them and most of them changed hands. A good bunch of yearlings brought close to 4 1/2 while from 4 to 4 1/2 were the ruling prices for yearling and two-year-old steers. Heifers brought 3 1/2 to 3 60 butch cattle 3 to 5 1/2, milk cows \$22.50 to \$35. J. L. Hamilton bought six mules at \$60 to \$70 and P. P. Nunneley sold three at \$45 to \$75. Several horses sold at \$40 to \$60.

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SERVICES.

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LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

U. G. Baker is on the sick list. Constable J. D. Hamm was here Wednesday last.

W. A. Carson, of Brodhead, was in town Tuesday.

Dr. John H. Williams left for Louisville Sunday.

Willis Allen, of Crooked Creek, was in town Tuesday.

Tom Miller returned to his home in Garrard yesterday.

Hugh Miller is the agent here now for the Globe fertilizer.

Rev. Riddell will preach at Buckeye next Sunday morning.

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Miss Minnie Jones, of Pittsburg, is the guest of relatives here this week.

C. C. Williams and sister, Mrs. Cleo Brown, were in London this week.

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Mrs. Mae Rider left for Upton, Ky., Sunday where she will join her husband.

Keep your eye on the Basement for all kinds of fruits and vegetables. jan26-31

Egbert Wallin was here visiting his sisters, Mrs. H. L. Tate and Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Cass of Brodhead and Mrs. H. L. Tharp of Lotzetta, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Lewis Rowlett, of Disputanta, was in town Wednesday securing aid for building a church at that place.

When you come to Court don't forget the Basement for a good lunch. jan26-31

Miss Georgie McFerron, who was here Wednesday, says that her sister, Miss Fannie, is visiting in London.

The company of State guards recently organized here are moving along nicely, drilling from four to six hours each day.

Mrs. Georgie Rice and sister, Miss Florene Brown, have quit house-keeping and are now boarding at the Miller House.

Judge R. C. Williams has bought of White & Krueger the lower half of the brick in which C. C. Williams' law office is located.

Granville Owens, of Disputanta, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Owens owns and operates a shingle mill, and reports a thriving business, and while he runs his mill at home continuously, he finds it impossible to keep up with orders.

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To whom it may concern.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the late A. W. Hart, deceased, and all persons having claims against said decedent, will present the same duly verified to the undersigned administrator at the store of said A. W. Hart, deceased, in Conway, Rockcastle county, Ky. jan26-31

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Special attention given to collections.

COUNTY COURT.

Allen Bishop and John Wallen \$2.50 each for failing to work county road. Joel Suttles and J. B. Farris \$1.50 each for breach of peace. Cynthia Fry, \$5 and cost for breach of peace.

Chapped hands, cracked lips, and roughness of the skin cured quickly by Banner Salve, most healing ointment in the world. C. C. Davis & Co., Mt. Vernon; Dr. Clark, Brodhead, Hagan Bros, Livingston.

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John Chambliss, of Richmond, and A. J. Spurgeon, of Va., and John Roberts, of Middletown, were the first of the young fellows after the issuance of the railroad which is expected to start from this place the "near future."

Born to the wife of V. D. Lowell, a fine girl, on the 18th.

Tom Anderson and three of his children are sick with fever. He and one of them are some better, the other two very ill.

Houston Childers has moved to the Jack Carpenter farm and Reynolds Gill now occupies the house vacated by Childers.

Rev. Oliver Wallin was over in our neighborhood Sunday last.

Born to the wife of W. T. Sharp a boy, on the 18th.

Geo. Johnson's store house is nearing completion and when finished it will be the best building in this part of the county.

Judge R. C. Williams and H. L. Tate made a business trip to our town Tuesday.

Elza Langford has returned to this place from Pittsburg where he has been working for some time.

Elmer Hansel and his sister, Miss Maggie, were visiting at Rev. Williams' last Sunday.

Lee Porter has returned to Mt. Vernon after spending a few days in our town.

Mrs. M. E. Proctor and daughter were at Mt. Vernon a few days since.

J. B. Owens' family has moved to Riley's Station, and Frank Mullins has taken possession of his farm.

G. T. Johnson's trothor Grover, now stands behind the counter for George. He is an up-to-date boy and is sure to make an efficient clerk.

Andy Mason has returned home from Berea where he has been for several days.

A five-foot vein of coal has been found on L. J. Scott's place.

Josh Ball has been employed in Eastern Kentucky for several weeks.

Several of our boys had important business in town Wednesday.

Albert Allen, Preacher Solomon and Dick Johnson were in Mt. Vernon Monday from this section of the county.

BRODHEAD.

Mr. Wm. Collyer is visiting her son, Isaac Snodgrass, at Lily, this week.

Our Marshal is taking advantage of the beautiful weather, in repairing the streets this week.

R. J. Pike was in Lancaster Monday mule-swapping.

Dr. Sieffert was in Mt. Vernon, Tuesday.

L. L. Jarrett has sold out his stock of groceries to Frith & Dunn.

Jim Hayes bought of J. Thos. Cherry a lot of hogs Wednesday.

Brown and Cross were here this week buying cattle, hogs and sheep.

"Squire" Bill Owens was in town Wednesday.

W. A. Carson is in Mt. Vernon this week.

Mrs. Hutchison, of London, is visiting Mrs. Ida Adams this week.

Mrs. Lou Purcell is visiting at E. S. Martin's this week.

E. S. Albright was down Tuesday in the interest of his paper—The Signal.

Sheriff Catron was in town Wednesday.

Dr. Philpitt has appointed as of Gililand, Madison county, on Saturday and Sunday.

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By Mr. Renick—An act to secure proper decision in cases in State courts.

By Mr. Traver—An act to appropriate \$1,500 to repair the Boone monument.

By Mr. Klan—An act creating the office of Back Tax Assessor in cities of second class.

By Mr. Money—An act to prohibit corporate insurance companies from extending their policies over more than ten counties.

By Meny—An act to pay Fleming, instead of Lewis, in the Thirty-first Senatorial district.

By Perkins—An act to protect telephone and telegraph properties oil wells, pipe lines, etc., also an act to prevent waste of oil gas or oil wells.

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By Hall—An act making the theft of brass journals from railroad cars a felony.

By Abe—An act relating to the sanitary condition of factories and work shops.

By Heissman—An act prescribing glass vestibules for street railway and tramway cars.

By Halland—An act to adopt the edition of 1899 of the Kentucky Statutes.

By Brown—An act concerning the assessment of real estate for taxation.

By Cantrill—An act to regulate the sale and manufacture of drugs, foods and beverages.

The Hickman substitute for Kelday's prison investigation resolution, as amended by Charlton yesterday was adopted.

In Senate—

By Mr. Farris—An act to insure the better assessment of property and collection of taxes.

By Mr. Kirk—An act to prevent disturbing of public worship or public assemblages.

By Mr. Ferguson—An act to regulate the renting of farm lands; also an act for the benefit of farm laborers.

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