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Write for my Catalogue.

Politics and Politicians

The Russian Government showing the closest attention and keenest interest the outside world can have in the common enemy now being shown.

A bet of \$5,000 to \$10,000 has been made that Roosevelt will not carry New York if he is nominated. The Platt-Oberly feud is said to have broken out afresh.

Leading Republicans in Nebraska are organizing to promote the candidacy of John L. Webb, jr. of that State, for the Republican vice-presidential nomination.

A call was issued for a caucus of the Democratic members of the Legislature to be held on the evening of January 4, at Frankfort, for the purpose of selecting officers of the two houses.

Hon. D. R. Hubble, ex-Senator, died at his home, on Science Hill, Pulaski county, of typhoid fever yesterday. He had served a term in the Legislature, and was re-elected as Polaski's Representative last November.

Gov. Beckham has gone to Savannah, Ga., to attend the wedding of Lillian Vuleck Beckman and Miss Myra Wilcox. During the Governor's absence from the State, Lieut. Gov. Thomas will be the acting Governor.

State Auditor Hager announces the following appointments: Henry R. Prentiss, of Mr. Sterling to be State Insurance Commissioner; Mott Ayres, of Fulton County, Deputy Insurance Commissioner; and W. J. Daley, of Louisville, to be Assistant State Auditor.

In his biennial report to the Legislature, Auditor Connor says the present revenues of the State will provide ample funds for the erection and furnishing of new capitol buildings and that the State would not have to borrow a dollar to increase the rate of taxation.

The Hon. James D. Richardson, of Tennessee, says that the Secretary in public expense there has the opportunity to be successful in the passage of bills.

LEVEL GREEN

"A Happy New Year" to the SIGNAL and its readers.

Christmas passed without any noteworthy events, not even a good drink. — We are getting better. Monday was set by Esqr. Kugel to hear the charge against T. G. McLenore for suicide by killing a neighbor's hog with malice aforethought.

Woodstock Lodge F. & A. M. elected the following officers, last Saturday, for the ensuing year: J. N. Brown, W. M.; J. H. Cash, S. W.; M. G. Colson, J. W.; C. J. Thompson, Secy; and Houston G. Borne, Treas. J. T. Brown was elected Tyler for 1904.

R. L. Blum, of Somerset, spent Xmas with me and Betsy. Joe and Tommy are spending vacation at home. They Grove. Price and Everett McQuay attend the St. Bennett at London, but Betsy is better represented from here.

Jarvis Brown has one case of measles at his house with a chance for 8 more soon. — Uncle Martin D. Bord is convalescing again. Long may he live for the good he has already done. He will be 75 in a short time, and is the oldest "man here" now living in Pecosan Hotel. — Our old men are scarce.

Jack Towery is home from work in the picture business for a few days. — J. F. McQuay, of Plato, will sell horses, cattle and sheep at public outcry next Saturday. — Mrs. North Carolinians are coming to buy homes among us we are informed. This country is far west to them, but our people must go further towards sunset.

No preaching at the Campbell church for two months and the members still wrangle some for the same of our farmers here, among gathering corn yet and many Irish ears not yet dug. — May be the early "set in" and continued one of this winter will cause us who live to get a bigger hustle on us next fall. Experience is the only school in which we will learn and never learn to learn it.

Life is too short for us to experiment in all things in which we are interested, therefore, we must learn a lot from observation and other people's lives. — What a cheap thing advice is and how ready some people are to give it; but the best we sadly fail to take.

Uncle Bill says: "Fear God and keep His Commandments and all will be well," but then the question arises among us as to what these "commandments" are — "people will differ"; "people will talk"; but we should properly think: Well, sir, I dream a lumpy dream last night and Betsy is trying to interrupt it.

NEWS ITEMS

There are only 16 towns in Tennessee where the new liquor law has not closed the saloons.

The death of E. Z. Bush, of Bar's county, is attributed to the excessive use of cigars.

Mrs. Fagin, aged 75 years, is dead in Menifee county. She was believed to be the oldest woman in Eastern Kentucky.

George W. Stimpert, aged 83, and the father of 12 children, of whom 11 are living, died a few days ago in Lewis county.

An eighty-year old Ohio woman, living near Columbus, signed with a negro. She had mortgaged her property and turned over all of the money to him.

"Reduced wages are threatened for 100,000 miners in the bituminous fields of Maryland, Pennsylvania and parts of West Virginia, unless conditions generally improve.

A Western newspaper says that E. R. Bruce and Miss Edna Bitzer were married near Logan, Mo. The paper failed to state whether a minister or a carpenter performed the ceremony.

An Ohio weather prophet, who has kept a record of the weather for 75 years, says that November was the coldest from day to day that this section has ever known during the present century.

The Kentucky Live Stock Breeders' Association and Citizen National Band of Louisville have filed suits at Owensboro against the guarantors for the deficit of about \$13,000 in the cost of the State Fair held at Owensboro.

Twenty-two persons are dead as the result of the collision between two passenger trains — the Peoria Marquette railroad, near Deer Park, Mich., Saturday afternoon. Twenty-nine people are suffering from injuries sustained in the wreck and seven of them, it is believed, will die.

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, who is in Geneva, will give the remains of General Sherman, founder of the Smithsonian Institute, at Washington for reininterment. The removal of the remains is said to be due to the encroachment of a stone quarry on the English cemetery at Geneva.

A German lieutenant has been discharged from the army and sentenced six months, because he wrote and published a novel without consent of the Minister of War. He had killed a private soldier for failing to file police, he would have had a much lighter sentence. Such is militarism.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson reports that the United States is spending \$600,000 a year in efforts to instruct farmers how to improve their business. Four thousand persons are directly employed in this work. In addition, many of the States are making considerable expenditures for the same purpose.

The Cuban Congress has unanimously voted to Gen. Gomez \$50,000, yet there are hundreds of Cuban soldiers who were as patriotic, made as much sacrifice, and endured as much hardships for Cuban independence as did Gomez, and they are yet unpaid. After all there is nothing which makes such wide and wicked inequalities among men as militarism.

This country has an alarming number of strikes this fall and the discontent among workmen seems to be wide spread and deep. That it is not wholly unreasonable is indicated by the fact that according to a report of the Government Bureau of Labor, the cost of living has increased 10 per cent. in the last seven years. That this, as it seems unjust to reduce wages, as many corporations are doing.

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Uncle Henry says: "Married life is more or less of a failure, with the wife at the head and the husband at the tail. — My friend says that a young man and his wife lived in harmony until the husband died."

THE WEST POCKET DOCTOR

Arrived in the city, no doubt so happy, and we had a very good time. The doctor says that a young man and his wife lived in harmony until the husband died.

WHAT

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LAND, STOCK AND CROP

At John Barton's sale of Shortbottom, W. Va. Wednesday 50 head sold at an average of \$65 — Cynthia Ann Democrat.

Tom Holladay sold last week \$100,000 worth of stock.

M. W. Holladay (fourth) sold 100 head of stock for \$100,000.

Winchester.

Jedie Rollins, of Raleigh, sold 100 head of stock for \$100,000.

Joe. Sellers sold to J. W. 100 head of stock for \$100,000.

The Harrodsburg Herald called a meeting of the stockmen and farmers of Mercer county to meet January 16th, to consider the advisability of holding an old fashioned stock fair at Harrodsburg next summer.

Hibler Bros. bought of Quincy Ward, 450 head of cattle, at \$4.75 — C. M. Gray sold to Hibler Bros. 1,300 lb. cattle at \$4.15 — Hibler Bros. shipped last night 250 hogs, averaging 175 lbs. that cost 4 cts. — Paris, Kentucky.

Robert Daugherty, of Willetts, Cal., formerly of Hardin county, has returned home to reside permanently. He will engage in farming on his farm on Cedar Camp, near Elm Grove, Kentucky. — He has 500 head on hand and expects to receive more soon. Within a few weeks he expects to have a herd of 1,000 — Winchester Democrat.

An eighteen month's old calf that tips the beam at 750 pounds is in possession of Sgt. John Rose. Indeed it was raised by him, and is a specimen of his O. L. Custock, which he introduced in our section. These hogs are pure white, easily fattened and free of disease. Mr. Rose has just sold two pairs of pigs at \$25 per pair — Hazel Green Herald.

HARRTBERG

Mr. M. Hartz is very sick. — Mrs. Essie Cummins is in Stanford. — Christmas passed very quietly here. — Mrs. Bessie Reynolds is in Lexington.

BROODHEAD.

R. P. Pike and children spent Christmas in our town. — T. J. Hamm is in from Florida looking as sprightly as ever. — Robt. Pike, of Livingston, was visiting relatives here last week. — John Saters is home from Illinois.

