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The Journal of Political Economy in a recent issue presents some instructive figures bearing on woman as engaged in the useful occupations. The figures were gathered by two women connected with the Chicago University. They reveal not only a remarkable "invasion" by the gentler sex, of new fields, but an unequal remarkable shifting about, so to speak.

The basis of the showing is the tenth census, according to which there are 303 occupations. In two hundred and ninety-five of these women appear, and it is only in the United States army and navy, in fire departments and as helpers—unskilled assistants to roofers, brass steam boiler makers, and slaters workers that are not represented. In 1900 more than five million women were earning wages, and for the decade covered the number of the sex engaged in remunerative industry increased faster than the female population while the rate of increase in respect to employment was greater than the corresponding rate for employment of men. A peculiar exhibit is that in some of the occupations more usually associated with woman man outstripped the erstwhile "domestic slaves." For example, women milliners increased in ten years 40.5 per cent; men milliners 34 per cent. Women dress-makers increased 78 per cent, men dressmakers 150 per cent. Again women seamstresses increased only 0.4 per cent, while men "seamstresses" increased 20.8 per cent and it is also found that men have been crowding the women out of the "saloon" business, the "laundries, and in a certain measure the mills. Women, however, increased in all departments of trade and transportation 100.3 to men's 37.6 per cent, and distanced the "former sex" in all but one of the five large groups classified in the census. As a contemporary says, it is well known that certain sociologists and writers on political economy hold the theory that race suicide, the decreasing marriage rate, the increasing divorce rate, wife abandonment, the disappearance of the cook and various other domestic ills are attributable to the tendency of the modern woman to struggle for financial independence outside the home. However this may be, it is a fact that woman is becoming an important factor in the business world.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.
The Union State bank of Hunnewell, Kan., was wrecked by safe blowers.
Gov. Deane of Illinois designated Friday, April 26 as "Bird and Labor day."
Three men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler at Metuchen, N. J.
A huge icicle fell from the Niagara gorge cliffs onto a trolley car, killing motorman.
Lawson Emerson, former clerk of the supreme court of Ohio, was indicted for embezzlement.
Robert B. Oliver and his six friends were acquitted of the charge of peonage at Knoxville, Tenn.
Speaker Cannon and other congressmen, who are on their way to Panama, arrived in San Juan, P. R.
M. Casimir-Perrier, ex-president of France, died suddenly of embolism of the heart at his residence in Paris.
Princes Edward and Albert, the eldest sons of the prince of Wales, will tour the world shortly in a battleship.
Capt. Von Behrens was fatally wounded in a duel near Berlin with a personage of high rank whose identity was concealed.
Clinton Babbitt, Democratic member of congress from the First Wisconsin district in 1891 and 1893 died at Beloit, aged 75 years.

THE WHITLEY COURIER. McKenzie Brown's paper made its first appearance at Williamsburg last Friday. The get up of the paper in every respect, would be a credit to any town, a seven column quarto, filled chock full of attractively set advertisement and well chosen reading matter, nicely printed, infact a thoroughly up-to-date county paper, of which the citizens of Williamsburg and Whitley county should be proud and which they should give their hearty support.

WHATEVER happens don't become so old man or woman. Old age should be a cheerful period of life, when the lengthened shadows soften by the setting sun

when quiet twilight steals on apace soon to be followed by the last nights of rest which remains to all living.

ADJOINING COUNTIES

Lawrenceburg voted in favor of open saloons, the "weis" winning by a majority of seventy-three votes. A movement has been started to ask the County Judge to call an election in the county, when it is hoped that the saloons may be closed.

R. N. Wathen, president of the Kentucky Distillers Association, and thirteen other prominent men in Lebanon were arrested on warrants charging them with bribery in connection with the local option election which was held in that city on Tuesday.

Mr. Harry P. Jones, President of the Big Hill Coal Company, was in town Monday introducing Mr. J. H. Vitchestain to the coal trade of Richmond. Mr. Vitchestain has accepted the position of manager for the Big Hill Coal Company of this State, and is located in this city. It is the intention of this company to open offices here, this being a central point for distribution and near the new mines which will open at an early date. This company has purchased coal fields at Sturgeon and will begin immediately to develop same.—Richmond Clinax.

TEACHERS' WAGES.

The weary and care-worn school teacher has been enjoying a few weeks of needed rest after a term of eight or nine months of tireless mental and physical labor. Many persons who have had no experience in the teaching line seem to think that any common school teacher whose wages are from \$25 to \$40 per month, ought to make an independent fortune in a short time. Let such a one stop and consider what is expected of a teacher. In the first place she is expected to be well dressed at all times, which is no small item of expense. She is expected to buy all the latest books, and subscribe for all the popular educational journals of the day; attend teachers' meetings whenever and wherever held, and to spend from three to five weeks at an institute during the short vacations. All of these requirements are attended by no small expense, and the teachers who comply with them will find at the close of the year that they have a very small portion of their earnings left to lay up for a "rainy day."

Do not understand by the above assertions that such requirements are useless. But when it has become almost absolutely necessary for a teacher to attend all such meetings as those who have supervision over them shall appoint; it should be also required of the board of education and directors that they pay their teachers such wages as will enable them to attend and have enough of their earnings left to last them until the school term begins again.

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POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

There will be no election of a United States Senator, to succeed John C. Spooner until May 7th, according to an agreement reached among legislative leaders in Wisconsin.

The dispatches from Washington containing Secretary Root's proposal for a settlement of the question in dispute between the United States and Canada are the subject of considerable comment at London, following a heated debate in the New York State Assembly regarding the order of final passage of the bill providing for a recount of the ballots cast at the Mayoralty election in New York City in 1905. The Tennessee House passed the State Pure Food Bill, after one of the hardest fights which has been known in that body in years. The Legislature defeated the Budget Ship Bill, and it is now a dead issue.

PROGRAM FOR EASTERN. Prelude. Processional. Reading of Resurrection Chapter. There is a Green Hill far away. Gounod. Miss Bessie Sparks. Hymn by congregation. Softly, Softly, Solemn Measure—Weber. Augusta B. von Eichen. Solo and quartette, 'Thou Art With Me.—Thomas. The Palms.—Foure. Mr. James McDonald. Hymn by congregation. Prayer, Benediction. Recessional.

The March high temperature record for twenty years.—The register Government station has been established at Lincoln, Neb., broken Monday when the thermometer marked 91 in the shade for a period of three hours.

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CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Advertis received in Washington show that the cause of the present war between Honduras and Nicaragua was a dispute over the ownership of one mule, which it is claimed was stolen by Nicaraguans in Honduras territory.

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Six persons were killed and seventeen injured, some of whom will die, in a head-on collision between a special train, carrying students from an intercollegiate track meet, and a passenger limited in the city limits of Los Angeles. All of the dead were students.

Whenever you have a cough or cold, remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package Chas. C. Davis, druggist.

The post office department will now draw the color line in the matter of white and negro mail clerks working together on the same route as the white clerks of the middle west had planned to ask.

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TIME TABLE

Table with 2 columns: Direction (North/South) and Time (1:24 p.m., 3:40 a.m., 1:24 p.m., 12:20 a.m.)

AS. LANDRUM, Agent Phone No. 58.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky. Postoffice as second-class mail matter.

PERSONAL

The Snodgrass is here for a few days. Mrs. Martha Lewis continues very sick. Rev. R. B. Mahogey was here this week. Atty. Elmer Evans of London, was here yesterday. E. Billock, the harness and buggy man, is in Louisville this week. W. C. Mullins was here from La-Follette attending court this week. W. M. Billock is in Louisville buying goods for his Hanstford store. Agent J. A. Landrum is able to resume his duties in the L. & N. office. Reasonably good sized crowds have been in attendance at court most all the week. Eliza Langford says she expects to leave for the West at an early date to make his future home. Hon. B. J. Bethurum is acting Commonwealth's Attorney, J. N. Sharp not present. Oscar Wallen, of Somerset, was here Sunday calling on one of Mt. Vernon's society bells. Miss Frances Sparks is at home from the Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, for a few days. Capt. M. F. Smith spent Saturday until Monday with his daughter, Miss Elizabeth, at Loretto. Mrs. W. J. Sparks and daughter were in Louisville yesterday. Mr. Sparks was in St. Louis Saturday. James I. White was here Monday and Tuesday. Mr. White is in the real estate and insurance business. Misses Ida Proctor and Ann Brannaman were over from Wildie yesterday shopping and having dental work done. Judge Alcorn, Hon. F. F. Bobbitt, W. McC. Johnson and E. V. Puryear, of Danville are the visiting attorneys this week. J. H. Gallagher, T. P. A. of the Henderson Route was here yesterday to fix up the tickets for E. A. Adams and Eliza Langford to Oklahoma. Mesdames M. C. Miller, Jr., and C. C. Davis were called to Lexington Tuesday on account of the death of their uncle. Rev. E. Snodgrass. Conn Brown has returned from California where he has been sojourning since last August. Conn is very much taken with the West but with all this he did not forget old Mt. Vernon, which he says is the best of all.

LOCAL

Easter services at the Christian church Sunday. Born to the wife of Wade Live, say a fine boy baby. Remember the Concert and reading in the Fish opera house next Tuesday night. The "Skating Rink" continues to draw big crowds and Mt. Vernon is rapidly developing some expert "scoters". OYENING: The ladies are invited to see my display of Spring and Summer Millinery Saturday March 30th, 1907 Mrs G. S. HIATT. The Norton case will be called today. There is speculation as to whether or not the case will go to trial, however we get it that the defence will announce ready. I will take in exchange for tomb stones and monuments, any price that there is a market for in Mt. Vernon, at the highest price. George Owens Mt. Vernon.

OPENING

Visit my opening of spring, millinery tomorrow. Mrs. CLAO BROWN.

GREAT OYER: The Cincinnati Post, daily; Human Life, monthly; Farm News, monthly; Spare Moments, monthly and the Mt. Vernon SIGNAL, weekly, all one year for only \$2.60. This offer is only good for one week longer.

UNPRECEDENTED SNAKE STORY: John Bowles, a farmer living near Dangoo post office, says that he has a horse that was bit by a copperhead snake on the 29th of 1st January. Who ever heard of snakes, real snakes—in the winter time?

John Bryant, of Barbourville, who came here about two weeks ago to visit the family of his relatives, B. B. Taylor of near Sparks Quarry was taken down with pneumonia, soon after he arrived and died Sunday. His remains were taken back to his home for burial.

LOST: Between D. N. Williams dwelling and Mrs. S. Butners' Masonic Pin with both the Royal Arch and Knight Templar Emblems with the appropriate letters for each. The finder of the Pin will be rewarded by the return to Mrs. Butners at Mrs. Butners' residence. MISS LOR BOUTWELL.

Every little while we read in the paper that someone has run a rusty nail in his foot or other portion of his body and lockjaw resulted therefrom and the patient died. If every person was aware of a perfect remedy for such wound and would apply it, such deaths would cease. The remedy is simple, always at hand, can be applied by anyone—what a better, it is infallible. It is simply to smoke the wound or any wound that is bruised or inflamed with a woolen cloth. Twenty minutes in the smoke will take the pain out of the worst case of inflammation arising from such a wound. People may sneer at this remedy as much as they please, but when they are afflicted with such wound, let them try it.

Mr. Jas. C. Hayes, of the East End, announces this issue that he is a candidate for the office of Lincoln county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Hayes has a wide acquaintance in the county, having been prominent in farming and stock trading circles for a number of years. He is a high toned gentleman and an unswerving Unionist and has many friends who will be gratified should he be successful in his aspirations.—Interior Journal.

There is looking out our friend and former Rockcastle citizen will hold the plums. Many of our citizens and best officers of Lincoln has ever had, were Rockcastle men, as can truly be said of two of the present officers the jailer Mr. Ike Herria, and the chief of police of Stanford, Mr. Robert Jones. Truer, braver and better officers than these can not be found in Lincoln county honors Mr. Hayes, with the office to which he aspires and which we believe she will do, the same high standard in the management of the county jail, will be maintained in the future as it has in the past.

Rev. Eugene Snodgrass, 48 years of age, died at his residence, 425 East Sixth street, yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock, after a protracted illness of consumption.

Nineteen years ago Mr. Snodgrass went to Japan as a missionary under the auspices of the Foreign Board of Missions of the Christian Church.

Later he severed his connection with the board and who lives independently. Four years ago he returned to this county on account of ill health. Rev. Snodgrass reached home yesterday morning on the 8:33 Queen & Crescent train from Sabine, Texas, where he went, accompanied by his wife, in November of last year.

Rev. Snodgrass is survived by his wife and daughter.—Lexington Leader.

For several years he had been a sufferer of lung trouble, but not until last fall, when he had an independent school at Broadhead, did his illness become so serious having to give up his school on account of his affliction.

Rev. Snodgrass's life was spent as an educator and a child of God. Besides his wife and daughter he leaves an aged mother, who lives in this county and one brother Isaac Snodgrass of Wigwam Colorado, all of whom were at his bedside when the end came.

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FISH'S CASH STORE

Rev. A. C. Roker will dedicate the new church at Poplar Grove, the 2nd Sunday in May. Dinner on the ground. His many friends at this place will be grieved to learn of the death of Mr. Wm. Weber, for many years a citizen of his town, who died at his home in Chattanooga Friday and was buried Sunday. For more than three years he had been an sufferer of Bright disease. We join with his friends in extending to the bereaved family our deepest sympathy. CIRCUIT COURT. Circuit Court commenced Monday. On account of the detention of the regular Judge, M. L. Jarvis, Judge E. E. Johnson, of Frankfort is special Judge. This is Judge Johnson's second court to hold at this place, and he makes a splendid court, before whom all the attorneys are pleased to practice. The charge of Judge Johnson to the Grand Jury was scrupulous and impartial in every word as possible, to cover the various violations of the law. The following gentlemen were selected as Jurors: W. H. Sewer, Sam Ward, J. L. Thompson, Perry Mink, George Thompson, J. E. Blackburn, Geo. Deatherage, Alex Harrison, J. S. Rowe, Ed Fisher, J. E. Bullock, W. R. Dickson. PETER IVARY. Andrew Martin, S. Y. Durham, Sam Bryan, Jarvis J. Brown, James Obaney, J. W. Harper, James Head, Josh Ball, Sheila Foqua, Solly Griffith, W. W. Marler, Willis Johnson, L. Scott, M. G. McKinney, Jesse Childress, J. H. Reynolds, Allen Herdette, Joel Pitman, I. S. Langton, William Arnold, Samuel Field, J. W. Mink, W. H. Gentry, and J. Norton. The following cases were tried including yesterday's business: George Capps breach of the peace \$1.50 and cost. [Little] John Mullins, John Carter, Nehm McWhorter or James Sothard, George McCormick, James Taylor, Joe Smith, Tom Mullins, Hill Durham, G. L. Wren, Sherman Mink, William Reece, C. Reiter, Pate McClure, John Baker, Estey Durham, Hiram Mitchell and A. Mink were each fined \$20, and cost for gaming. Walter Boyd breach of the peace \$1.50. Major Ball giving whiskey to a minor \$25 and cost Rufus Menefee trespass acquitted. W. F. Anderson for tearing down the Flat Rock church building acquitted. This church had been abandoned as a church and question involved was the question of who had the right to it and who owned the building. The case against Wm. Lourey dismissed. Pryor Dalton for shooting at another dismissed. Nath Doan for presenting a pistol at George Frederick acquitted. Higgin Baker for shooting at another without wounding fined \$50, and cost. James Dyer for striking his brother-in-law Dock Nicely, giving one year in the pen. James Floyd the thief who stole John Brown's horse about two months ago pleaded guilty but was given two years in the pen. Eugene Spurge charged with murder, the case continued until next court. Graden Ball, malicious cutting and wounding \$25 and cost. William Johnson, the negro who broke into C. D. Sutton & Co. store at Level Green, one year in the pen. Ardy Mason malicious shooting continued. Ed Owens gaining \$20 and cost. W. J. Sparks is getting in readiness to begin shipping, the conglomerate of sand and gravel which he has in endless quantities on a tract of land near No. 5 tunnel, about three miles north of Livingston. Mr. Sparks will erect a crusher for crushing this conglomerate which has been pronounced by experts to be the finest of material for making all kinds of concrete. Mr. Sparks has ever reason to believe that he has found a nice fortune in this material and will spare neither time nor expense to have the matter a fact test. LIVINGSTON. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver are in Knoxville buying Spring goods.—John Stucky was out from Covington visiting George Sambrook. The little children of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Argenbright are quite sick.—Mrs. Sue Mullins and Mrs. Bertha Hicks have returned from

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Col. Henry C. Shaw 65 years old a former newspaper man recently connected with the customs house in San Francisco is dead. Col. Shaw was a veteran in the civil war. The Iroquois hotel in Michigan Soo was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$700,000. It was one of the finest hotels in northern Michigan, and did a large tourist business. President James J. Hill told a Minnesota legislative committee that he would be glad to have the government take the Great Northern railroad off his hands. Knoxville Tenn. by a majority of nearly 2,000 votes, decided that the saloons must go. Six months more will be allowed the city close. President Roosevelt stated, that so far from granting a pardon to former Senator Burton of Kansas he would lengthen his term of imprisonment if he could. President James J. Hill told a Minnesota legislative committee that he would be glad to have the government take the Great Northern railroad off his hands. Princeton students presented a silver loving cup to ex-President Grover Cleveland in commemoration of the passing of his seventieth birthday anniversary. Mr. Cleveland was much affected, and in broken voice expressed his gratitude for the token. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

