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Republican Primary Election.

The republican primary election for the nomination of city officers comes off next Tuesday. For the various places there are eighteen or twenty candidates, and all of them have done some lively hustling this week. Every part of the city has been visited and every man likely to support the ticket has been interviewed. There are three candidates for Mayor, seven for Clerk, four for Treasurer, two for Marshal and two or three each for councilmen from the different wards of the city. For Mayor it is Baniel, Stilwell and Smith. There is not a great deal of personal magnetism in either of these three and a number of republicans are heard muttering about an independent candidate for the place after the election is over, but muttering may be all it will amount to. Republicans are going to do a great deal of "whipping in" this year and will not be so independent by election time as they seem to be now. It looks to many outsiders now that as yet Baniel was in the lead for Mayor, but then us outsiders do not know it all.

From the number of candidates for clerk this race has attracted more attention than most of the others. It would seem to be narrowed down, however, to about two—Tracy and Ramsey—and by Monday night the withdrawal of names will be in order and some of them will give up the fight. It is wise to do so when an individual has sense enough to discover he is not in the race. The thing is to see it in time.

Billy Nicholson for the first time finds he cannot have it all his way, and this year has an opponent in Cash Fry that cannot be called down. Fry is a first-class citizen, is well esteemed by his party and the people in general, and if he should secure the nomination it need surprise no one. The other two candidates for Treasurer are not in it at all, and after the votes are counted will think so too.

For marshal it is Brothers or Grimes. Both have been connected with the police force of the city for several years, and both have many energetic working friends. The city seems about as well managed now under Brothers, as in Ensminger's best days. Still the temperance people of the party, it is said, will do their best, whatever that may be to defeat him. They say he gives the saloon keepers too much leniency, that saloons do not close their back doors on Sunday nor close at 11 o'clock p.m. as they should. Would Grimes do any better in this respect is the question? We don't know. That a number of the saloons do sell liquor on Sunday there is no question, and if there is any way to stop them it should be done. But do any drug stores sell whiskey on Sunday? We don't know. Some of the saloon keepers say they do. If so, they should receive the same treatment as the saloons, unless it is clearly demonstrated that it was solely for medicinal purposes and at the instance of a reputable physician.

A KIDNAPED GIRL.

Stolen from Her Home Three Years Ago by an Escaped Convict.

A Brazil special gives the following sad story: "The police to-day made an important arrest in the person of John Taylor, alias Gardner, who has been living in a rude cabin in an isolated woods near Cloverland, west of here. The police who made the arrest also unearthed the fact that he has kept a prisoner for six months a pretty 15-year-old girl named Bertha Gray. The girl says that last September she met Taylor while she was working at Bellair, O., and he promised to take her to her home in Kansas. She gladly accompanied him, but when they reached Terre Haute he, by threats on her life, compelled her to return to this county where he built his cabin. Since that time she says she has been most cruelly treated, Taylor compelling her to accede to his brutal desires and frequently beat her. When he was arrested he was found to have four revolvers secreted about his person. Taylor, who travels under many aliases, is believed to be a noted criminal, an escaped convict from the Columbus (O.) penitentiary and a much wanted man, and the police regard the catch as a valuable one. The acts that led to his arrest was the result of an organized investigation made by farmers into many stock thefts and laid the crimes at Taylor's door. He is now in jail here and the girl is being held as a witness against him. She will eventually be sent to her parents' home. Her parents have heard nothing from her since her strange disappearance from Bellair last September, and have mourned her as dead. The girl seemed almost crazed by joy on being released from the man's clutches.

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The grand opening of the American occurs to-day.

W. C. Hill has gone into the dairy and truck gardening business in the suburbs of Bloomington.

Mr. John Schleppey has returned from the west. It is presumed he will pursue the paths of rectitude and remain.

The lecture by Gen. Lew Wallace at Music Hall next Tuesday night will be a literary treat. It should not be missed.

Bas. T. Merrill, a prominent citizen and staunch democrat of Wayne township, may be a candidate for county treasurer. Mr. Merrill is connected with the Waynetown bank.

BOMB IN A THEATER.

EUROPEAN ANARCHISTS STILL AT WORK.

The Explosive Thrown Through a Window—No Lives Lost—Reports of the Hurricane in Mauritius Exaggerated—Colonna Wants to Fight.

PISA, Feb. 27.—During a performance of "Othello" at the Teatro Nuova last evening a petard was thrown into the auditorium through a window in the rear of the stage. The explosive missile burst with a loud report and caused the greatest excitement, but did not injure anybody and did not damage the theater. After the explosion the people made a rush for the exits, but the conductor of the orchestra shouted that there was no danger and ordered the orchestra to strike up the national anthem, and, later, the "Garibaldian Hymn." The police are investigating the outrage, but up to the present no arrests have been made.

ONLY FIVE WERE KILLED.

First Reports of the Hurricane in Mauritius Were Greatly Exaggerated.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Dispatches received here from Port Louis, island of Mauritius, show that the reported railroad disaster on that island was greatly exaggerated. The following are the facts in the case: A violent hurricane passed near Mauritius on Thursday, but its effects were only partly felt on the island. A train of nine carriages, while passing over the Port Louis bridge on the Midland line, was blown into the river and completely wrecked. Only five of the passengers were killed and ten were injured. The hurricane only did slight damage to the town.

Colonna Wants to Fight.

PARIS, Feb. 27.—Prince Colonna has returned to this city from Naples and has been in consultation with a distinguished American lawyer. The latter advised him that the only possible way to regain possession of his children was to go to the United States and bring the matter before the courts of America. Prince Colonna is furious at the manner in which he has been referred to in some of the New York papers, and has expressed the wish to challenge the proprietor of one of the leading newspapers of New York.

Riot of Vienna's Unemployed.

VIENNA, Feb. 27.—A riotous demonstration of the unemployed took place here yesterday. A meeting of the people out of work was held at which about 1,000 were present. The meeting became disorderly and eventually the police, reinforced by a strong detachment of mounted police, charged upon the rioters and dispersed them.

Gladstone to Retire Temporarily.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—There is a rumor to the effect that Mr. Gladstone informed the Queen yesterday that he was about to undergo an operation for his eyes and that he desired the royal sanction to Lord Rosebery's acting as premier pro tem.

Twenty-Five Men Killed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 27.—A terrible boiler explosion has taken place at the big iron works at Alexanderowsk. Twenty-five men were killed and ten were seriously injured.

LITTLE HOPE FOR M'KANE.

Application for Certificate of Doubt Is Denied by Judge Cullen.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Judge Cullen has denied the application of John V. McKane for a certificate of reasonable doubt. This proves a disappointment to McKane's friends, as they had felt quite secure in the hope that Judge Cullen would grant the application, and based thereon the defense expected to make their great fight for the freedom of the ex-boss of Gravesend.

OHIO MINERS IN DISTRESS.

Executive Board Trying to Ameliorate Their Sorry Condition.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 28.—The National Executive Board of United Mine Workers met in special session yesterday at the headquarters in this city to consider the serious condition of the mining interest in this country. The condition of miners in Ohio is deplorable, and unless something is done to relieve their distress and suffering the result will be fearful. It is estimated that fully 15,000 miners are out of employment and there is no prospect of work. Mining is at a standstill in Jackson, Belmont and Jefferson counties, while the Massillon and Bellaire and a large number of the Hocking Valley miners are not digging a pound of coal. Among the plans discussed was an assessment or per capita tax upon the miners who have work, but nothing definite will be determined until other members of the board arrive.

RAN OVER THE RED LIGHT.

Five Men Attempt to Hold Up a Santa Fe Train Near Hutchinson, Kan.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., Feb. 28.—An attempt was made last night to hold up the east-bound Santa Fe railroad passenger train at the Rock Island crossing, one mile east of this city. A red light was swung in front of the approaching train and then left in the middle of the track. Engineer McNeil, suspecting something wrong, opened the throttle and put on full speed. Word was sent to this city from Kent, and a posse was at once organized and a thorough search of vicinity instituted, but no trace of the men could be found. Engineer McNeil reported that the men were five in number, wore no masks, and from all appearances were ordinary tramps who were green at the job.

FLORAL CURIOSITIES.

Violet Plants That Cost Over Sixty Dollars Each.

Few people would want to pay \$2,000 for thirty-two violet plants. Yet that is what a San Francisco florist sold that many roots for, and he does not think he was overpaid either. As may be supposed, the violets are curiosities.

They are the outcome of years of patient hybridizing. Only violets of one gender grow on a plant. This renders them capable of being experimented with successfully. The big, bold double violet is the male flower. The demure single blossom is the female. From the double flower the pollen is carefully cut and placed in the cup of the single blossom. Only one blossom in a hundred of those artificially treated will produce seed. This seed is then planted, and the resultant violet is a rare hybridized with some other remarkable specimen.

Sometimes odd colors are obtained. Sometimes odd form. A year ago a nurseryman produced a violet giant. It was four times larger than the ordinary flower, and grew on a stem from twelve to fifteen inches long. The plant on which these remarkable blossoms grew sprang up from one of the seeds resulting from a long series of hybridizing. It was subdivided and now there are thirty-two plants.

These were purchased by a city florist for \$2,000. An iron-bound contract prevents the propagator from giving away, selling or keeping a single rootlet. A nursery will be started to be devoted to multiplying the peculiar plant. None of the plants or blossoms will be sold for two years, by which time the thirty-two roots will have grown to 4,000,000 or 5,000,000. The violet has been named the "Tiburolo Parrott," after the well-known capitalist.

A Thing of Shores and Pittails.

What an elusive thing a new language is, to be sure. A lovely old German lady, showing me her wonderfully trained birds, ordered one of them to sing, and as it prettily obeyed she lovingly said: "Poor creature! he is blind all over," meaning totally blind. Old Mr. Soehner, the German merchant, well versed in his own language, but always in hot water with ours, once writing an English letter fell into controversy with the word "before," and not satisfied as to its final letter, he sung out to his partner in the other room: "Oh, Benham is there behind an e in before?"

A Milwaukee Bank to Reopen.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 27.—Official announcement has been made that the Commercial bank, which suspended last July, is to reopen. The date is not fixed, but it will probably be Thursday, March 1. The bank is to have new capital of \$400,000 and a guarantee fund of \$100,000. There is to be a reorganization of the bank, with the following officers: President, J. G. Flint; vice-president, A. B. Gilfuss; cashier, Thomas E. Camp.

Lynching of Three Men Expected.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., Feb. 27.—Word has been received from Mountain Home, Ark., to the effect that Mrs. Anderson Carter had confessed that her husband, with Bert Carter and Jasper Newton, had killed H. Wilson and afterward robbed the house of \$1,900. Her confession was followed by one from Bert Carter. Great excitement prevails and it is thought the three men will be lynched.

Thirteen-Year-Old Boy Lynched.

SHERMAN, Ala., Feb. 27.—Thomas Douglass, aged 13, was hanged here by a mob and his body riddled with bullets. The boy shot and killed Deputy Sheriff John Cowlett, who had gone to the boy's home to levy on a cow owned by his mother. She refused to let it go and told the boy to shoot the officer if he attempted to drive the animal away. The officer started and the boy fired with the result noted.

Seattle Contractor Shot.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 27.—W. N. White, a prominent contractor, fired three bullets from a revolver into James S. Holt, formerly his foreman, and a few minutes later shot himself through the heart. Holt probably will die. White charged Holt with too intimate an acquaintance with his wife.

Armstrong Arrested at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Cal Armstrong, escaped convict and defaulting deputy treasurer of Tipton county, Ind., was quietly arrested here yesterday by an officer from Kokomo, Ind., and taken to the penitentiary at Michigan City, Ind., where he will serve a sentence of three years.

Action in the Cornell Banquet Tragedy.

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Over 1,000 Cornell students met yesterday to take action regarding the banquet tragedy. Resolutions were adopted expressing regret for the accident, and assuring the civil authorities of co-operation in their efforts to bring the offenders to justice.

Woman Pleads Not Guilty.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Erastus Wiman appeared in part 1, general sessions, yesterday and pleaded not guilty to the indictment against him. He immediately left the court room, his bail of \$25,000 being continued. No date was set for the trial.

Death of Councilman Tomlinson.

Austin Tomlinson, councilman from the 23rd ward, died at Fullerton, California, on Thursday afternoon. He left here for that State last December in hope of improving his health which had been declining for near a year past. His disease was consumption. His wife, formerly Miss Edith Guthrie, arrived there a few days previous and was present at his bedside. He remains will be brought here for interment.

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NEW ROSS.

E. M. Aikins was at Crawfordville Tuesday.

Miss Bertha McVey is visiting her father at this place.

A. W. Johnson, of Mace, spent Sunday at this place.

There was a social at Mrs. Still Harris' Tuesday night.

Miss Emma Brooks visited her sister at Zionsville Sunday.

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A. S. Clements, of Crawfordville was seen on our streets Monday.

Miss Ida Dorsey visited friends at Pittsboro Sunday and Monday.

Home Miller, of near Shannondale, was seen on our streets Friday.

James Heath moved into one of James Aikins' houses Tuesday.

J. H. S. Davis has returned from Kokomo where he has been selling musical instruments.

A two weeks meeting at Providence held by Rev. Wetherford, of Mace, closed Friday night with ten new members.

Charles Davis was seen on our streets Tuesday night. Some people think that "Andy's Charley" is on the detective force.

New Ross has three good barber shops and there is talk of another being set up just as soon as warm spring visits us once more.

Frank Walters, in attempting to strike Bert Epperson with a scoop shovel, struck Willie Brooks over the eye, which resulted in a severe bruise.

David Norman has begun the construction of a house in the center of his water melon patch where he can sit and guard away intruders and also teach the doctrines set forth by the Populist Party.

The following subject will be discussed at the

literary Friday night. Resolved: That England has a better form of government than the U. S. A. W. Johnson, and Herbert Bowers will take the affirmative and C. E. Johnson and Harry Aikins the negative.

There will be three lectures given by J. E. Reasburg, a ("Free Thinker.") The lectures will be given at the New Ross opera house, March 12th and 13th. The lecture on the 12th will begin at about 7:00 o'clock. The subject will be on "False claims of Christianity." The other subjects are not yet known.

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