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BREEDING ANARCHISTS.

The Kentucky night riders who have been very active recently and who have come in for more or less criticism, are, to some extent, greatly misunderstood. Popular estimation holds them as nothing more than rowdies, bent upon destroying property. As a matter of fact the night riders are tobacco farmers who have banded together to prevent the sale of tobacco to the tobacco trust. The tobacco trust absolutely controls the price the farmer shall receive for his product in this country. For a time after the formation of the trust there was some competition in the matter of prices, owing to the competition of the buyers of France, Spain, Italy and Austria for the government monopolies. But the trust lately has perfected arrangements with the representatives of these governments whereby they shall buy tobacco for their governments in certain localities only, and thus the last vestige of competition has vanished. As a result of this monopoly of price making for the tobacco growers, by the trust, the farmers who raise tobacco receive hardly enough to yield them a scant living. They have had sense enough to realize that this condition is the direct result of the absolute monopoly enjoyed by the tobacco trust, and have sought the only weapon in their reach to overcome it. They are attempting to prohibit the sale of tobacco in Kentucky to the buyers of the trust and it is upon those who refuse to join them, that they are waging their present campaign. We do not say that the night riders are pursuing the right course, when they seek to accomplish their ends by burning the property of their neighbors who refuse to enter the agreement. On the contrary they are ruining their cause, as public opinion is being aroused against them, and will finally defeat them. But we do say that this example bears us out in our contention that the lawless trusts and their anarchist managements are breeders of anarchists among the best citizens of all the walks of life. Here in Kentucky are farmers, the most conservative citizens in the United States, up in arms and supporting the wildest kind of mob law. If that isn't anarchy, and if it isn't the direct result of the anarchist methods of the tobacco trust, what is it?

SOLID DELEGATION.

Last week in an Eastern despatch it was claimed that of Indiana's thirty delegates to the national convention, twenty-eight would be for Fairbanks and two would be for Taft. The two who would be for Taft were said to be Senator Beveridge and a state senator. Such reports as that are erroneous in the extreme for that is not the way Indiana politicians play the game. Senator Beveridge has led the opposition to Fairbanks in Indiana, yet at the love feast the other day he did not back and rear like an obstreperous colt and try to destroy republican harmony and jeopardize a republican victory at the next election by splitting the party. And just as the senator laid aside his personal feelings then, so will he lay them aside at the national convention and stand by the whole Indiana delegation. Splitting a delegation is not good politics, and if any candidate for national delegate in Indiana is seeking election for the purpose of splitting the delegation he had better stand aside and let some man go to the convention who will work in harmony with the working majority.

ADMIRAL EVAN'S GARDEN PARTY

Officers of Fleet Will Be Entertained.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 6.—The American embassy has fixed definitely upon January 14 and 16 for the banquet and garden party, respectively that it will give in honor of the officers of the battleship fleet under Rear-Admiral Evans, which is expected here about January 11. The Diario's club will entertain the officers at the Crystal Palace at Petropolis.

AMERICAN GOLD WILL AID THE CULMINATION OF A BEAUTIFUL ENGLISH WOMAN'S DREAMS.



LADY WARWICK, THE SOCIALIST COUNTESS WHO HAS STIRRED ENGLAND.

London, Jan. 6.—The countess of Warwick announces her intention of starting early this year on a lecturing tour of America, the proceeds from which as well as the proceeds from her memorials, which she is now writing, will be devoted to realizing her ambition to own and edit a paper. The proceeds of this tour, as well as the earnings from the sale of my memorials, which I am now writing, said the countess, "will be devoted to realizing my life's ambition to become the untrammelled proprietor of a daily journal."

The countess has been assured by her prospective manager that the

American lectures will net her enormous amounts. She will start for the United States early in 1908. Whether she intends to found a newspaper or purchase one of the great English journals already extant she declines to say.

The countess is considered one of the handsomest of all European peeresses. She is, moreover, a fast friend of King Edward.

It is expected that the countess will make "Socialism" and "Suffragism" the themes of all her American lectures.

When she came here incognito last September it was under the pseudonym of "Lady Greville."

RUNS THREE MILES IN TERROR TO ESCAPE BEAR; 'TAS ONLY A MULE

Port Jervis, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Erastus Wared, residing on the Plank road, eight miles north of this city, was the most frightened negro in that section last night.

He was on his way to a neighbor's to ascertain whether he had any cure for a sick mule and had proceeded only a mile when he discovered that he was being followed by something.

A bear had been killed in the neighborhood a month ago and visions of another bear rose up before the excited Erastus. Although he is 75 years old and afflicted with rheumatism, he started on a keen run.

The patter of feet behind him made Erastus wild with terror, and he fairly flew over the ground, reaching the neighbor's house in remarkably quick time.

Without asking permission he pushed open the door and, rushing in upon the startled household, yelled: "Bear!"

Going to the door the neighbor found Wared's mule there. The animal had followed its master out of the barn when he started for medicine and had run behind all the way.

Erastus does not like to hear any one ask him why he ran three miles to escape his own mule instead of a bear. It makes him wrathful.

OUTRAGES AGAINST WOMEN WIPED OUT BY LYNCHING OF NEGROES

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Only 51 lynchings were recorded in 1907, a much smaller number than in any previous year for the last decade. In 1906 the total was 68 and in 1905 it was 66. All but four of the 51 cases of lynching in 1907 were of negroes, and 19 of the cases were those in which the charge against the victim was assault on white women and girls. In the four cases of white men one was for an assault on a girl. Several of the cases in which negroes were lynched were based upon the murder, or alleged murder, of white women in which the question of assault is implied.

As in previous years, nearly all of the lynchings were in Southern states, Mississippi having ten and Louisiana and Alabama nine each. Quaker-settled Pennsylvania recorded one case.

that of a negro reported to have killed his wife, and one lynching occurred in Iowa and Nebraska each.

In three of the four cases in which white men were lynched murder was charged. Atrocities are hardly recorded in the lynchings of 1907; in most cases the victims were summarily hanged by shot, and there was no burning at the stake, such as has accompanied these acts of summary vengeance in former years.

ENOCH ARDEN GETS LARGE FORTUNE

Man Thought to Be Dead Returns to Get Bequest.

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 6.—Although officially declared dead several years ago, and for many years believed by his wife and friends here to have died, George M. Gable appeared in the local court to claim \$12,000 from the estate of his uncle, Jacob Gable. Seventeen years ago, Gable disappeared, leaving his wife and several small children. All efforts to trace him failed and his wife, believing him dead, remarried. When Jacob Gable died in 1904, Gable, one of the heirs, was declared dead by the court. The executors, however, refused to pay over the inheritance to his widow and instituted a search which resulted in the long-missing man being found in Sacramento, Cal.

Respect For Funerals. A French friend of mine who has been staying in Glasgow for a short time is amazed, not to say shocked, at the indifference of the crowd during the passing of a funeral. They do things differently in France. Even in the crowded streets of Paris every one lifts his hat or cap at the sight of a funeral; in many cases the onlookers stand bareheaded till the cortege has passed slowly. My French friend assures me that in some parts of his country one would run the risk of almost being assaulted if the obsequies were neglected.

Mr. Saphedde—Do you think men have descended from monkeys? Miss Caustique—Not very far.—Philadelphia Record.

Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

LEE J. REYNOLDS—Candidate for Representative from Wayne County, subject to the Republican Nomination.

WALTER S. RATLIFF—Candidate for State Representative, subject to the Republican Nomination.

COUNTY TREASURER.

ALBERT R. ALBERTSON of Clay township, candidate for Treasurer of Wayne County, subject to Republican Nomination.

COUNTY RECORDER.

WILL ROBBINS of Abington Township, candidate for County Recorder, subject to the Republican Nomination.

BENJAMIN F. PARSONS, of Wayne township is a candidate for County Recorder, subject to the Republican Nomination.

COUNTY CORONER.

DR. A. L. BRAMKAMP, Candidate for Coroner Wayne County, subject to the Republican Nomination.

COUNTY RECORDER.

JOHN C. KING of Center Township, is a candidate for County Recorder, subject to the Republican Nomination.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

ROBERT N. BEESON, of Harrison township, is a candidate for County Commissioner to represent the Western District, subject to the Republican nominating election to be held in February.

BARNEY H. LINDERMAN—Candidate for Commissioner of the Middle District, Clay Township, Wayne County, subject to the Republican nomination.

RICHARD A. DAVENPORT of Boston township, is a candidate for county commissioner of Wayne county, Eastern District, subject to the Republican nomination.

TOWNSHIP ASSESSOR.

TOM J. GOLDING—Candidate for Township Assessor, Wayne Township, Wayne County. Subject to the Republican Nomination.

CHARLES E. POTTER—Candidate for Township Assessor of Wayne Township, Wayne County, subject to the Republican Nomination.

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

CHARLES L. WETTIG—Candidate for office of Township Trustee, Wayne Township, Wayne County, subject to Republican nomination.

HOMAS B. MARTIN—Candidate for Township Trustee of Wayne Town-

ship, Wayne County, subject to the Republican Nomination.
JAMES H. HOWARTH—Candidate for Township Trustee, Wayne Township subject to the Republican Nomination.

MARRIAGE BY MAIL, FAILURE

Wife Secured Through Classified Advertisement.

Marysville, O., Jan. 6.—A mail order wedding, which took place in Columbus on Dec. 1, 1907, uniting Frank L. Denman of this city, and Cornelia Doud of New Jersey, came to grief, when Denman secured a divorce from his wife on the ground of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty.

Denman inserted an advertisement in a newspaper for a wife, and after corresponding a few times, Denman sent Cornelia Doud \$40 to come to Columbus, where he met her and they were married on sight. In a few weeks the couple quarreled and separated.

Denman says his short matrimonial experience cost him nearly \$1,000.

The Hub of the Body. The organ around which all the other organs revolve, and upon which they are largely dependent for their welfare, is the stomach. When the functions of the stomach become impaired, the bowels and liver also become affected. To cure a disease of the stomach, the bowels get a 50 cent or \$1 bottle of Dr. Cassell's Syrup Pepsin at your druggist's. It is the prompt relief for constipation and dyspepsia ever experienced.

Chicago passengers using C. C. & L. trains land at 12th st. (Illinois Central Station); most conveniently located. Remember this 6-11

Pension Yourself

The surest way to provide against your later days being spent in want or dependence is to establish a fund by saving now.

Let the interest on the nickels and dimes and quarters you save in the present pay you a pension in the future. This company accepts deposits of one dollar and upwards, and would be pleased to have your account.

Richmond Trust Company
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All Day Wednesday, Jan. 8th

Home Grown Potatoes, per bushel.....	\$.75
Fancy Red Home Grown Onions, per bushel.....	.85
18 lbs. Granulated, 19 lbs. A, or 20 lbs. C Sugar.....	1.00
25 lbs. Pride of Richmond, White Lily or Carpenter's Fancy Flour.....	.70
Our Favorite Succotash, 3 cans for.....	.25
Tomatoes, Solid Pack, 2 cans for.....	.15
6 lbs. Fresh Ground N. Y. Buckwheat Flour and 30 Stamps.....	.30
Large Sour Pickles, per dozen.....	.15
Our Leader Coffee, per pound.....	.15
Our Special Blend Coffee and 23 Stamps.....	.25
Best Square Crackers, per lb.....	.05
A No. 1 Good Ginger Snap, per lb.....	.05
Best Vanilla Wafers, per lb.....	.10

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25 STAMPS with one lb. of Coffee at 35c.	60 Stamps with one 18 oz. can of A. & P. Baking Powder at 50c a can.	50 STAMPS with one lb. of Tea at 70c.
20 STAMPS with one lb. of Coffee at 30c.	15 STAMPS with one lb. of Coffee at 25c.	45 STAMPS with one lb. of Tea at 60c.
10 STAMPS with 3 lbs. of Gloss Starch at 5c a lb.	19 Pounds Fine Granulated Sugar \$1.00	40 STAMPS with one lb. of Tea 50c a lb.
10 STAMPS with one bottle of A. & P. Liquid Blueing at 10c a box.		10 STAMPS with one bottle of A. & P. Ammonia at 10c.

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