

WATTERSON MAY GO TO THE SENATE

Kentuckians Prefer the Editor To Any Other Candidate.

CHANCES AGAINST BECKHAM

PEOPLE THINK BRYAN'S VISIT WAS A PIECE OF COLOSSAL IMPERTINENCE AS IT WAS NONE OF HIS BUSINESS.

Louisville, Jan. 24.—When William Jennings Bryan asked the legislature of Kentucky to elect a democrat to the United States senate, he did not know for whom he was pleading. And when the democrats who have bolted Beckham told him they would vote to elect a democrat they did not tell him who they had in mind.

Unless the plans fail the intention is to try to elect Henry Watterson, editor of the Courier-Journal, to the senate as a compromise candidate and that is the thing that Bryan did not know when he came to Kentucky.

A meeting was held in the Seelbach hotel the other night—the night of the day that Bryan spoke at Frankfort, and at that meeting were a few close friends of Mr. Watterson. It was stated that the bolting democrats who refuse to vote for Beckham have declared that they will never vote for a republican, and the same authority gives it that the Republicans as soon as it is demonstrated to an absolute certainty that there is no chance to break the deadlock, will go to Watterson and help elect him. This is denied by some of the republican leaders who say that they will stand by Bradley until the end of time because the caucus decided that he should be the republican nominee. But at the same time it is hinted that another caucus can undo what the first caucus did.

Effect of Bryan's Visit.

There is a difference of opinion as to the result of Bryan's visit to this state and the insistence on his part that the democrats elect Beckham to the United States senate. The Beckham men, at whose instigation he came, say there is no question that he did some good, but just how he did any good when Beckham is so far away from the senate as ever, is hard for an outsider to understand. On the other hand, the anti-Beckham forces say that Mr. Bryan's visit was all right, but the object of his visit was a piece of colossal impertinence—that it was none of his affair and the only thing he accomplished was to make the anti-Beckham democrats more determined to defeat the young ex-governor.

The movement to make Mr. Watterson a compromise candidate took form several days ago, and Mr. Watterson went away so he would not hear the noises made by his friends. The argument is advanced that Mr. Watterson is acceptable to a large number of republicans of Kentucky—provided, of course, they could not elect a republican. It is not likely that Bryan would advocate Mr. Watterson very heartily for constable much less United States senator.

The Wily Partridge.

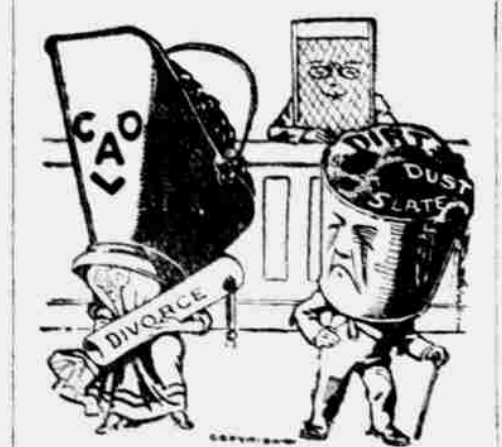
Every creature has a wonderful faculty for determining at what distance a man or anything else is able to strike, its capacities in this direction being far more marked than many care to acknowledge. For instance, as firearms have been improved the keener has become the watchfulness of partridges. They have not been slow to recognize the advantages which the modern choke-bore affords the modern runner.—London Mail.

A man and his wife were fussing. "If I told you what I do," said the man, "any jury would grant me a divorce."

"And all I would have to do to get a divorce," retorted his wife, "would be to show you to the judge."—Athens Globe.

Eating Coconut-Custard Pie

Everybody sings the praises of Coconut-Custard pie if it's made just right so as to melt in one's mouth, but a heavy soggy pie will spoil the entire meal and injure the digestion. It is now possible for everyone to have good pie as groceries are selling "OUR PIE," each package containing just the proper ingredients for two pies. Varieties: Lemon, Chocolate and Custard, 10 cents per package. Order the Custard for Coconut-Custard pies.



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SOCIAL NEWS

To Reach the Society Editor, Call Home Phone 1121, or Bell Phone 21.

James H. Shaw will give a lecture at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, under the auspices of the "Lincoln Legion." The subject will be "Lessons from Lincoln." There will be special music.

The Good Cheer club met this week with Mrs. Walter Stark, north of the city. The afternoon was spent socially and a paper was read by Mrs. Perry Jackson on "Club Life in America." Refreshments were served. Miss Gena Stevens of Sioux Falls, S. D., was the guest of the club.

A club recently organized met at the home of Mrs. Henry Chessman of North Fifth street. "Teddy Bear" was decided upon as the novel name for a club. Euchre was played at three tables. Prizes were won by Mrs. Mason Bowers, Mrs. Edward Dye and Mrs. Joseph Reid. Refreshments were served. The club meets in two weeks with Mrs. Albert Collet of North B street.

Teachers and officers of the church council of St. Paul's Lutheran church gave a banquet last night in the church parlors. About one hundred and forty were in attendance. The ladies of the church furnished the banquet and the girls of Miss Lena Schultz's class did the serving. Business for the coming year was transacted after which a social time was enjoyed by all present.

The missionary circle of the First Universalist church met yesterday with Mrs. Thomas at 101 North Nineteenth street. The circle met for devotional and social purposes. A two-course luncheon was served. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Fritz at 304 North Eleventh street. The following are the members of the organization: Mesdames Cox of Dublin, Anna Fritz, Mary Thomas, Rosier, Cox, Wm. Smith, Fritz, Gard, Comer, Cokerill, Genn, Owen, Blair, Keck, W. E. Clark and Master Roland Judy.

The Friday Night Whist club which meets every two weeks will meet with Mrs. C. A. McGuire of North Nineteenth street tonight.

Section six of the Penny club wishes to thank all those who so kindly assisted them in their entertainment at the high school last Friday evening.

Katharine Ladd Secretary.

The Ladies of the Eastern Star will have an informal social at the temple parlors Saturday evening. Cards will be played.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dickinson have gone to Cincinnati for a few days. Mrs. Dickinson was formerly Miss Nellie Taylor, and a niece of Mr. Frank Parsons. The young people were married yesterday morning.

The party which was to have been given tonight for the Sunday school classes of Mrs. C. A. Pierson and Mrs. D. R. Ellabarger, at the home of Mrs. Pierson, on South Eighteenth street, has been postponed indefinitely.

Miss Nellie Tangeman entertained a company of friends at euchre in honor of her guest, Miss Kathryn Hock of Dayton, Ohio. A three course luncheon was served.

The Madrigal club under the direction of Justin LeRoy Harris, with the assistance of Mr. Harry Paris, tenor of Muncie, Ind., will give a concert at the Pythian Temple, February 5. The club is composed of about twenty ladies. The concert will be a treat to lovers of music.

A Mothers' meeting was held this afternoon at two o'clock at the North Fourteenth street mission. All the mothers were expected to attend as a fine program had been arranged. Light refreshments were served.

A pleasant surprise was given the venerable Ruth Dudley at her home on North Fourteenth street yesterday in honor of her eighty-fifth birthday anniversary. About thirty guests went with well filled baskets and spent a most delightful afternoon. The rooms were beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums of different colors. Music was furnished while the guests gathered around the bountiful spread table.

Mrs. Joseph Hill entertained a party of friends at her home on Asylum avenue at an informal bridge party.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Elmer of 1212 North A street, entertained last night for a small company of friends.

Miss Marcella Lanken of South Thirtieth street, entertained a club of ten ladies at a most delightful dinner. The evening was spent in sewing and social visiting. Mrs. Carrie Gunther of Wapakonetta, O., was the guest of the club.

The Argo club gave a dance last night at the L. O. O. F. hall. About twenty couples were in line for the grand march which began at nine o'clock.

The Chocolate club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Nicholson, 125 South Tenth street. The organization has eight members. Refreshments were served. The club will meet again in two weeks.

Mrs. Martha Parry entertained the members of a sewing circle in a delightful manner yesterday afternoon at her elegant home on East Main street. Twelve were present. The circle meets in two weeks with Mrs. Ira Wood and Mrs. Hawkins of 31 South Twentieth street.

Mrs. Harry Lamum of Columbus, O.,

is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Haynie.

Mrs. Charles Feltman of South Tenth street entertained last night in honor of her twenty-fifth birthday anniversary. On the mantles were large vases of carnations. Ferns were also being used in the scheme of decoration. The favors were pink carnations. The invited guests were Mrs. Mary Daub, Mr. and Mrs. Jorgens, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Verogge, Mrs. Mary Verogge, Edith Daub, Roland, Howard and Elizabeth Feltman and Edna Verogge.

THE CITY IN BRIEF

Mrs. F. M. Green of Eaton, O., was in the city yesterday.

The sweetest orange is the Arizona navel. You get them at Price's.

If you doubt whether or not you can learn by mail, call at the window display of the I. C. S., corner of Ninth and Main and see what others have accomplished and be convinced. 24-25

Hear Roberson at Earlham; first lecture Thursday night, the 23rd. 21-24

Lard 25 lbs. or over 3c; at Long Bros. Cash Meat Market, Opp. Court House. 24-26

Everybody welcome to a free booklet on correspondence work by calling at Corner Ninth and Main streets, anytime. 24-25

Mrs. Charles Cool of Glen Falls, N. Y., is the guest of Supt. Mott and wife.

Hot chocolate with wafers served at Price's.

Plat now open for Roberson travel lectures on South America at Ross' Drug Store. 21-23

Howard Horton is in the city, the guest of friends and relatives for a few days.

Fresh Oysters daily by express at Price's. Standard, Selects and Counts.

Fresh side pork 10c; good beef to boil 7c, at Long Bros. Cash Meat Market Opp. Court House. Delivered to all parts of the city. Both phones. 24-26

Harvey Hunt has returned from a business trip in the East and a few days visit in Chicago.

This cold snap makes Oysters taste good. Price's serve them.

Mrs. George Ross of Chicago, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Compton of this city.

All students of the I. C. S. are requested to stop at the window display or call at our local office any day or evening. C. W. Tannahill, local representative. 24-25

Arizona Oranges, Jonathan Apples and Malaga Grapes at Price's.

Mrs. G. E. Harsh of 211 N. W. 3rd street, returned yesterday from a visit to her parents and sister, at Oak Harbor and Toledo, Ohio.

See the big display corner of Ninth and Main. It's worth your time to make a special trip and see what your neighbors are doing. 24-25

Price's Chocolates are the very best. You would like a box.

Special meeting of Boys' Brig. 4c at Parish House, 8:15 o'clock tonight. Colonel E. A. Biddle. Boys are to come in uniform. 24-25

Visit the window display of the International Correspondence schools at the window of the Big Store, corner Ninth and Main. 24-25

A number of leading colleges are using International Correspondence Schools copyrighted instruction papers in some of their class work and nearly all have their volumes in their libraries. 24-25

DANCING SCHOOL POSTPONED.

Mrs. Koip's Friday Evening Dancing class will not meet tonight but will be postponed until next Friday evening, I. O. O. F. Hall.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

We are all happier for a lot of things we don't see.

Add is never satisfactory. The best way is not to need it.

You probably expect more of a friend than you are willing to give.

The worry of today is usually the result of carelessness of yesterday.

Bravery isn't much credit to a bulldog. He hasn't sense enough to be afraid.

People would be less suspicious of others if they didn't know themselves so well.

No storekeeper becomes so well acquainted with a customer that he likes to have him go behind his counter.

Compliments are like wine—it only takes a small dose to go to the heads of some people, while others can stand a good deal.—Athens Globe.

Physical Strength and Degeneracy.

Never in the history of the human race—not even in the gladiatorial days of Greece and Rome, when physical strength was worshipped almost like a fetish—has so much study been devoted to bodily development and well being. In spite of all this, however, we cannot shut our eyes to the fact that, aside from the reports, while the standard of health may be going up with a section of the people, it is steadily going down with others—in a word, that physical degeneracy is alarmingly on the increase.—N.Y. News.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to return our sincere thanks to the many friends, Order of the Eastern Star, Bethel choir, and those who sent floral tributes, for their kindness shown us during our very sad bereavement.

Wyoma L. Speed and Relatives.

Boston Store

WINTER HOUSE CLEANING SALE

Just four days left. Are you getting your share of the bargains? Sale is to close Wednesday. Special Bargains added in every department for the closing four days.

88 Colored Cloth Coats Half Price

Our entire line of this season's Colored Coats, loose and fitted backs, in all the new colors, including evening shades at just 1/2 price.

Former Prices \$8.00 to \$32.50, now \$4.00 to \$16.25

23 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at one-third off. Former prices \$11.50 to \$37.50, now \$7.50 to 25.00

Four Black Velvet Coats at One-third Off. See them.

8 Caricel Coats at One-third Off. Former prices \$20.00 to \$50.00, now go at \$13.25 to \$33.50

FUR JACKETS

1 Astrachan Jacket, \$37.50, now \$18.75

2 Blended Coney Jackets, \$30.00, now \$20.00

2 Plain Near Seals, \$35.00, now \$25.00

1 Plain Near Seal, \$40.00, now \$30.00

1 Near Seal Blouse, \$50.00, now \$35.00

6 Plain Near Seal, \$50.00, now \$37.50

2 Plain Near Seal, \$60.00, now \$40.00

1 Near Seal, Skunk Trimmed, \$60.00, now \$30.00

1 Near Seal Mink Trimmed, \$60.00, now \$40.00

1 Near Seal Beaver Trimmed, \$65.00, now \$42.00

H. C. HASEMEIER COMPANY

ASSOCIATION HAS A BALANCE FROM THE LAST EXHIBIT

The Richmond Art Association Is Shown to Be in Most Excellent Condition and Is Prospering.

ITEMIZED ACCOUNT OF ALL EXPENSES GIVEN.

The Report Does Not Include The Daniel G. Reid Fund Nor the Mary T. Foulke Prizes Which Were Awarded.

After having paid all expenses the Richmond Art association had a balance of \$44.00 after the last annual exhibit. This is regarded as a very satisfactory showing.

The report of Miss Alice Unthank, treasurer, which was audited and found correct by T. A. Mott and Ellwood Morris, is as follows:

Receipts.

Subscription and ticket sales, \$192.00
Sale of tickets, 122.00
Sale of catalogues, 111.75
Council, 100.00
Muncie Art association, 92.84
Commission on sales, 37.79

Total, \$653.84

Expenditures.

Jury of awards, \$22.80
Door keeper, 14.12
Express, 11.99
Freight, 19.47
Printing, shipping and distribution, 136.59
Printing catalogues, tickets, etc., 117.68
Material used in handling, 22.58
Hauling, 14.38
Postage, 24.50
Postage, 24.50
Insurance, 64.80
Labor, 17.52
Western Union Telegraph Co., 2.75
Lunch, 6.10
Relating frames injured in shipping, 13.70
Traveling expenses incurred in securing exhibit, 32.50

Total, \$609.84

Receipts, \$653.84

Expenditures, \$609.84

Balance, \$44.00

As most of the exhibit was used by the Muncie Art association, the expenses which were common to both cities were shared equally.

The above report does not include the D. G. Reid fund of \$300, which

went for the purchase of the painting "At the Well" by Frank Vincent Du Mond of New York, nor the Mary T. R. Foulke prizes. The \$50 Indiana prize was awarded to Wm. Forsythe, of Indianapolis for most meritorious painting by Indiana artist. The Richmond prize of \$25 was awarded to J. E. Bundy for the best painting by a Richmond artist.

ALICE E. UNTANK, Treasurer.

A GOOD SADDLE.

Except in the South and West, Most Riders Take What Is Offered.

A well known horseman in speaking of the sport of riding in the United States recently said:

"Although there are a number of good riders in this country, very few men, except in the west and south, seem to know or care much about the saddle—that is, the way it is built. They simply take what their dealer gives them. In England it is usual for riders to have their saddles made to order, and they generally know what to order too."

"A good saddle fits both the horse and the man. It should be roomy everywhere and especially so in the pannels if you are heavy. The throat should not be so narrow as to cause pain or so wide as to wobble. Plain flaps are most comfortable and businesslike. A felt pad or at least a good saddle cloth should always be used, and to give a trim appearance it should be cut to the outline of the saddle. It should be frequently washed and sunned. Stirrups should be open, wide and heavy, so that the feet can be readily freed in case of a spill."

"A proper fitting saddle will stick with very loose girths, and you can find where it fits by walking the horse around a few minutes before mounting with the girths unbuckled. The horse will shift the saddle to the exact place where it is most comfortable. When through with your ride, remove the saddle at once and bath the back with cold water, following this, if possible, with an alcohol shampoo."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Dangerous Precedent.

The best case which I have seen of law versus justice and common sense is one which Montaigne relates as having happened in his own day. Some men were condemned to death for murder. The judges were then informed by the officers of an inferior court that certain persons in their custody had confessed themselves guilty of the murder in question and had to do so circumstantial a tale that the fact was placed beyond all doubt. Nevertheless, it was deemed so bad a precedent to revoke a sentence and show that the law could err, that the innocent men were delivered over to execution.—London Graphic.

Practical Patriotism.

In the early part of the war between the states, when patriotic merchants and manufacturers were sending their clerks and workmen to the field, with a promise to provide for the wants of their families, as well as to continue their salaries during their absence, a very enterprising lady of New York offered to allow her boarders' bills to run on as usual should any of them desire to go for the defense of the nation.

1 Near Seal, Mink Trimmed, \$75.00, now \$50.00

1 Near Seal, Blended Squirrel Trimmed, \$60.00, now \$40.00

3 Fur Capes, \$25.00, now \$12.50

6 Rain Coats at less than half price.

17 Ladies' Suits, \$11.50 to \$40.00, at just half price.

One Lot of Dress Skirts at half price.

See the Lot of Fur Neck Pieces at 98c each, worth up to \$4.48.

See the Special Lot of Embroideries, 18 inches wide; Insertion 3 1/2 inches wide, worth 35c to 50c; now \$25c

See the Extra Size Cotton Blankets, this sale \$1.12

See the Special Silk Petticoats, \$7.50 value, \$4.98; \$8.50 value, \$5.98

See the lot of Caps and Tams at just half price.

Bates Dress Gingham, 12 1/2c kind, now 7 1/2c

Cotton Batting, 16 Ounce Rolls, this sale 10c

Stevens all linen crash, 12 1/2c kind, this sale 8 1/2c

12 1/2c Bleached Muslin, now 9c

See the Unbleached Table Damask, 50c value, now 35c

Dress Goods at Special Prices; See the lots at 39c, 49c, 75c, 98c.

All Rugs Reduced during this sale, including room size.

All Men's Negligee and Stiff Bosom Shirts at 39c, or 2 for 75c

All Boys' White Shirts 19c

One Lot Men's Heavy Fleece Shirts, 50c value, now 23c

All 75c Ladies Oneita Union Suits to go at 49c

See the Bargains in Gloves, Ribbons, Laces, Belts, Neckwear.

Particular About Her Company. "What's the matter? You look glum." "I made my estate over to my wife to save it from the creditors." "Well, what of that?" "She's sold it and gone abroad with the money. She says she can't live with a man who cheats his creditors."—Slovo.

Still Worried.

"It used to worry me when the barber informed me that my hair was getting a little thin on top."

"But you got used to it, eh?"

"No. Now it worries me because he doesn't mention it. I must be getting old."—Philadelphia Pre.

Queer Book Titles.

"These old books," said the antiquary as he pointed to a dingy upper shelf, "are curious for their titles."

"Here is a volume of sermons printed in Salem in 1792. 'Sermons to Ases' is its scornful name."

"Here is a book dated 1743 that is called 'Look to It or I'll Stab Ye.' It is a treatise on polygamy."

"This is a pamphlet by a spinster against the young men of the seventeenth century. Its title is 'A Dissertation on the Pertness of Our Youth in General. Especially Such as Are Trained Up at Tea Tables.'"

"A return blast to that dissertation is this other pamphlet of the same year: 'Quippes For Upstart Newfangled Gentlemen; or, A Glass to View the Pride of Valinglorious Woman.'"

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