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"TELL MY FRIENDS TO BE BRAVE AND FEARLESS, AND LOYAL TO THE GREAT COMMON PEOPLE."

STATE.

BRODHEAD.

A Thriving Town.

James F. Bratton, aged fifty, was killed by lightning on the farm of Geo. W. Stiles near Sardis.

John Lillard, of Cloverport, filed a petition in bankruptcy at Owensboro. Assets, \$1,028.30; liabilities \$7,750.38.

The Christian county grand jury adjourned after returning 124 indictments, mostly for gaming and minor offenses.

The Knights of Pythias are holding their district meeting at Shelbyville. Many prominent Pythians are in attendance.

The business men of Bowling Green have forwarded a petition to Washington requesting increased facilities for free delivery of mail.

Gov. Beckham will commission Raymond L. Dollings, of Covington, as a member of his official staff. Mr. Dollings is a newspaper man.

Ducien Boone, who was sent to the penitentiary for two years for killing his half brother, Shad Taylor, has been pardoned by Gov. Beckham.

Dr. White Farris, a well known doctor died at Hickman from smallpox. He had been treating patients at Hickman afflicted with the disease.

F. N. Hunting, claiming to represent the Edison Photographic Company, was arrested at Lexington for obtaining money and goods under false pretenses.

The Masonic Temple of London will be dedicated on Saturday, June 23. The Grand Master of the State will be present and conduct the ceremonies.

The women of Taylor county have sent in to headquarters at Frankfort \$215 for the Goebel monument fund, and will increase it to at least \$350.

Judge J. K. Sampson, of Middleboro, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Appellate Judge in the Seventh Appellate district.

Capt. K. J. Hampton received his credentials as Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the Republican National Convention. Capt. Hampton expects to leave Monday for Philadelphia.

The Fiscal Court of Marion county directed the County Board of Health to fight smallpox, and appropriated \$500 to meet immediate expenses. Four new cases developed, making sixteen in all.

Gov. Beckham has appointed C. W. Bean and Mrs. R. P. Stoll, of Lexington; Drs. L. P. Yandell, of Louisville, and Campbell Castrill, of Georgetown, as trustees of the House of Reform.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to arrest John L. Powers, under indictment as an accessory to the murder of Gov. Goebel. A posse quickly formed and left Barboursville for the home of Powers' brother-in-law on Poplar creek, but a runner had been sent out ahead and Powers fled when the posse arrived.

SHORT HISTORY

Of The Boxers.

A Secret Organization Formed in China About One Year Ago.

It will probably be of interest to some of the readers of the Signal to know something of the "Boxers" in China who are now causing so much trouble, and doing so much damage both to life and property.

So we publish a piece, taken from the New York Commercial Advertiser, giving what we consider, a few important facts connected with these "rioters" when they were first organized and what seemed to be their aim at that time.

Accounts differ about the "Boxers," the mysterious Chinese society that has been "making trouble for foreigners and native Christians in China, and within the past week or so has been threatening the safety of the foreign Ministers and diplomats in Peking itself. Authorities differ as to the society's purpose, whether it is religious or political, but all agree that pillage and the hope of plunder have contributed to its growth. As to whether the Government of the Dowager Empress, notoriously anti-foreign, favors or fosters, openly or secretly, the society of "Boxers," there is also a difference of opinion.

There are some things known about the "Boxers," however. Much of the information comes from missionaries to China. There are some men in New York who are especially well informed on this subject, having been in China themselves, and being in correspondence with missionaries and other persons there. One of these men is Clarence Cary, of the law firm of Cary & Whitridge.

"The 'Boxers,'" Mr. Cary said, "whose Chinese name is I Ho Tuan, may be literally translated, I am informed, by 'Righteousness, Peace, the Fist,' were first organized in Shantung province, about a year ago, with the consent of the Governor as a sort of protection against thieves and robbers, the 'Boxers' being allowed to carry swords and to have them in their possession. Many appear though to have turned robbers themselves, and from time to time have added to their gangs by drawing the lawless and such wandering and turbulent elements as could be found.

Their first demonstration was in the province of Shantung, where they murdered a missionary. Later outbreaks seem to have been the adjoining province of Chili, as being nearer the railroad from Tientsin and Pao-Ting-Fu to Peking. At Pao-Ting-Fu, as recent dispatches show, they seem to have done some damage to the railroad and to have cut off a party of Belgian engineers, who, however, have since been rescued and taken to Peking. From Pao-Ting-Fu the movement seems to have spread as far north as Feng Ti on the main line, about fifteen miles south of Peking. Here they have burned some warehouses and destroyed among other things a private car

built for the Emperor, but never used by him."

"Mr. Cary compared the 'Boxers' outbreaks with the present strike at St. Louis in extent and importance. He did not believe that their movement would become general, as that it would assume such proportions that it could not easily be suppressed. He had made inquiries of many persons, missionaries and others who had returned from China, but had never been able to satisfy himself as to what was the real motive of the society."

William Barclay Parsons, chief engineer of the Rapid Transit Commission, who while building a railroad traversed the whole of southern China, said that he had received a letter from a correspondent of his in Tien-Tsin, mentioning the "Boxers." The letter is now eight weeks old. His correspondent wrote, however, that the reports about the "Boxers" had been greatly exaggerated, and that in Tien-Tsin the reports about them caused little or no alarm.

The Chinese troops, Mr. Parsons said, are practically worthless as a means of controlling mobs. The Chinese soldiers who accompanied him on his journey through southern China were armed in the most obsolete manner. Some of them were armed with flint locks, and some even with match locks, the earliest kind of rifle. Many of the Chinese troops, he said, were armed with bows and arrows, two-handed swords and a weapon somewhat like a pitchfork. There was very little discipline, and the officers had practically no control over their men. In the present instance the troops would undoubtedly sympathize to a large extent with the rioters.

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MASONIC.
Ashland Lodge No. 680 meets 2nd Monday 10 p. m.

CHURCHES.
Christian—Holds services Sat. & 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 6:30 p. m.

Presbyterian—Holds services on the 4th Sunday.

Baptist Church—Services on the Second Saturday, night, and Sunday, Sunday School at 9 a. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights.

PERSONAL

Henry Cromer Jr. has fever.

Miss Lydia Marler is very ill.

Mrs. R. A. Welsh is very sick.

S. D. Lewis was in Livingston Wednesday.

Judge Williams is in Stanford and Danville.

James Dolan was up from Pine Hill Wednesday.

E. D. Hinsel and family returned to Versailles Sunday.

David York of Livingston was here Tuesday on business.

S. W. Davis is progressing nicely with his new store room.

C. C. Davis began the wood work on his new dwelling Monday.

A protracted meeting began at the Presbyterian church last night.

Mrs. A. E. Bowers visited friends in Livingston Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mattie Gilman of Lexington, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. S. C. Davis.

Walter Bowers of Parksville is visiting his brother W. H. Bowers of Wildie.

Mrs. Mattie Welch of Cincinnati was visiting Mrs. Dr. Pennington last week.

Mrs. Sue Henderson returned yesterday from a visit to relatives in Parksville.

George Baker and little daughter, Reza visited friends and relatives here this week.

George Johnson and U. G. Baker will start a new store at Wildie in the near future.

Mrs. Ed Woodall of Hazel Patch visited relatives at Maretburg this week.

Dr. Wesley of Lancaster spent Sunday with his brothe Theo Wesley the druggist.

Mrs. J. J. Lawrence left Sunday for Dayton Tenn. where she will join her husband.

Mrs. Zula Jones of Middleborough is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams.

Mrs. Dr. W. A. Brown of Parksville is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Singleton, of Livingston, are visiting relatives in Pulaski county this week.

Little Alza Thompson is getting along nicely selling the book entitled, "That Kentucky Campaign."

Prof. James Walton of Hydeu was here Monday and will preach at the Presbyterian church to-morrow night and Sunday.

F. L. Thompson Sr. and Jr. Misses Susie, Annie and Alza Thompson, Risse Williams and Reza Baker, composed a party who went to Livingston Wednesday to attend a reception and ball given in honor of Walter Saunders.

Miss Fanny Culton from Jackson county was one of the number who took the examination here Friday and Saturday. She is a sister to W. H. Culton, who is now indicted as one of the principals in the assassination of Gov. William Goebel.

LOCAL ITEMS.

M. J. Miller is making considerable improvement on his store, by a nice coat of paint.

Joe Sowder finished up Tuesday morning a nineteen days sentence in the county jail. Joe left on the next train for other quarters.

MIDDLETON,

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Charlie Burcham was tried here Tuesday charged with unlawfully selling liquor and acquitted. Chief of Police Alman of Richmond was here and nabed him as he was released and took him to Richmond to stand a charge of horse stealing.

Dr. Wilson, who is reported to have a pocket book with a \$1000 either at the Miller Hotel or on the train coming down from London, found the lost property. The person who had it was in Knoxville Tenn. The purse contained \$300 in currency and a considerable amount in checks. The checks were returned but the money had been taken out.

Oscar McPherson shot and killed Carrie Arnold at No. 5 tunnel yesterday. He had asked her to marry him several times, but she refused, so on yesterday when she again refused, he said "If I had a pistol I would kill you, and then kill myself," stepping to her trunk where lay a 38 Smith & Wesson, she took it out and handed it to him saying, "I will try you," taking the pistol and placing against her forehead fired the fatal shot. She was the lowest of prostitutes. McPherson has escaped.

George Mullins, driver of the delivery wagon, for Hoak and Son, requests us to ask the parents of the small children around town to please keep them off his wagon, before they get hurt, as it is a matter of impossibility for him to do any thing with them. Monday morning three or four children who were hanging on the back end of the wagon, horse and driver all ran a narrow escape of being torn to pieces by a train, all due to the fact that these boys were hanging on the back end of the wagon, and the driver was watching them instead of the train.

A serious accident occurred at Calvary about six miles from Lebanon, on the C. & O. branch of the L. & N. Rail road Tuesday by the falling in of a bridge, which resulted in the death of two Rockcastle men and a serious injury to twelve others, four of whom were also Rockcastle men. The dead are James Houston of Pine Hill and George Mullins of this place, both bridge carpenters. The injured in this county are Arch Brown, W. C. Cabel, John Newland, Bill Adams and Walter Miller, bridge carpenters, from Brodhead. There is little hope of Cabel and Newland's recovery. The remains of the dead ones, were brought up Wednesday, Mullins being left off here, and taken to his mother's to remain over night, when the burial took place yesterday at the Freedom burying ground. The body of James Houston was taken on to Pine Hill, his old home, where he was buried that evening, by the Masonic order, of which he became a member only one month ago. It is a matter of impossibility to get the facts, how the accident occurred, but from what we can gather the blame seems to be on the Supervisor, J. B. Martin of Lebanon, he, forcing the men into a place, where they did not want to go and, where their good judgement told them not to go. The distance which the men fell was about 70 feet.

Later: W. C. Cabel died yesterday at 11 o'clock, the remains were brought to Brodhead last night. The burial will take place to-day at Brodhead this afternoon.

The stock holders of the proposed bank met in the court-house here Saturday at 2 o'clock. L. W. Bethurum was made chairman and E. S. Albright, secretary. The following are the officers and different committees as selected: M. J. Miller, Sr., President. Dr. John M. Williams, Vice Pres.

DIRECTORS.
Geo. Levisay Sr.
S. H. Martin,
J. T. Adams,
W. J. Sparks,
Jonas McKenzie,
A. T. Fish,
Gus Stavason.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.
C. C. Williams,
Jonas McKenzie,
L. W. Bethurum.

SAFE COMMITTEE.
W. L. Richards,
Dr. John M. Williams,
Jas. T. Adams.

W. L. Richards was made a committee of one to buy the books and stationery.

Dr. John M. Williams and W. L. Richards were appointed on the committee to select the furniture.

On motion of Judge Williams Jarve Cook deputy county clerk, was appointed to take around the articles of incorporation and acknowledge the signature of the stockholders. The meeting then adjourned to meet July 21st. at which time all committees are requested to report, as to that progress they have made in their work, all the stock holders are specially requested to be present on that day.

While there was only about a quorum of the stock holders present, yet great interest was displayed and we feel sure that the very thing which Mt. Vernon has been trying so long is now sure to come. It is the intention to have every thing ready so the bank can commence business on or about Sept. 15th. Let every one who has a spark of interest in the welfare of his county fight for the bank.

ORLANDO.

Prof. Reppert was in town this week.

D. B. Langford was here Sunday.

Herry Bales has sold out his growing crop and expects to leave for Cincinnati in a few days, to make the Queen city his future home.

Several parties from this place attended church at Climax Sunday.

It is said that church was disturbed at New Hope Sunday by some young bloods who had been looking at the sun through a bottle of white-lightning.

A few political speeches and other very interesting performances here Sunday directed attention to Egypt and confessions were made very promptly at Sgt. Gatliff's. We think the Bible gives some hope to the man who confesses before men.

Rufus and Geo. Childers attended church at Caloway Sunday.

Geo. Johnson was in Mt. Vernon Monday looking after some real estate business.

James Hamm contemplates moving to Missouri in the near future.

A sewing machine agent was here last week and left several machines with the good women of the county.

All the trouble at Mullins Station has been adjusted and the men are at work as usual.

Boggie Laswell has returned home after a few weeks stay at Mt. Vernon.

We learn that Miss Mattie Bales will likely teach Macedonia school. Miss Bales is an elegant young lady and a good teacher.

Robert Reed of this place has accepted the position of head sawyer for Magee & Co.

The Democratic Congressional Committee has decided to print the speech of Representative Rhea, of Kentucky, in opposition to the passage of the Monetary Bill, passed by the recent session of Congress, as a campaign document.

In the grocery store of the Columbia Finance and Trust Company of Louisville, trustees, against the Bowling Green Stone Company for \$148,600.10 the court at Bowling Green awarded Bodley, Baskin & Morancy, of Louisville, a fee of \$2,500. They represented the plaintiff.

COURT CALENDAR.
COUNTY COURT.—Fourth Monday in each month.
QUARTERLY COURT.—First Monday in January, April, July and October.
CIRCUIT COURT.—Second Monday in February, Fourth Monday in May and Third Monday in September.
MT. VERNON POLICE COURT.—Third Monday in each month.

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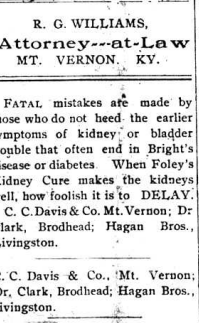
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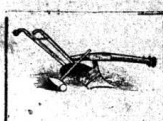
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Bacon, per lb	10c
Dani Boone Soap, 3 cakes	3c
Star Soap, 3 cakes	10c
Rice, No. 1, per lb	7 1/2c
Granulated Sugar per lb	6 1/2c
Extra Light Brown Sugar lb	6 1/4c
Spray, Caramel, gal. bucket	35c
Sorghum, best home-made, gal.	40c
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Calico, all cheap grades 5c & under	8 1/2c
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Corn 25 bu or more per bu	60c
Corn, lots less than 25 bu	65c
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Timothy hay per hundred	\$1.00
Potatoes per bu	75c
Eggs per doz	75c
Feathers per lb	40c
Cattle, extra shippers	\$4.75 to 5.00
Cattle, common	\$2.75 to 3.00
Hogs, best heavies	7.50
Hogs, medium	\$4.95
Hogs, roughs	\$4.75 to 4.90
Sheep, extra good	\$4.25 to 4.45
Sheep, common	\$3.00 to 3.75

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Salt, and bacon, &c., &c., &c.,

BRODHEAD

Squire Granvil Owens was at Crab Orchard Monday.
Rev. A. J. Pike filled his regular appointment at Gillard, Madison County Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. O. V. Jarrett is at home this week for a little recuperation.
Misses Belle Hendrickson, Lela Pike and Bettie Willmot went over with the Rev. A. J. Pike to his appointment at Gillard. Here's hoping that Brodhead's fairfest may have an enjoyable time.
Mr. Vick Owens is back once more with his many friends here. The boys were glad to see him and his lady friends seem to be rejoicing over his appearance.
Your correspondent left Brodhead last Wednesday morning in the interest of Columbia Nursery at Rochester, N. Y., passed out in the neighborhood of Freedom Church, as far as Mr. Mat Owen's where he enjoyed dinner with Mr. Owens, after which I walked over to Mr. Morgans, then back to Freedom Church to Mr. Fred Hohms', one of Rockcastle's best farmers, and every thing was looking nicely and it seemed to me that every thing was in its proper place. I then passed on to our old friend J. H. McKinney's and he was putting in his best licks in his corn and the sweat was running freely. Thence to my old friend Josiah Mullins and from there to Mr. Nelson Griffin's where I found him ploughing in his corn. I put up with Mr. and Mrs. Griffin for the night and there is no clearer man on earth than Mr. Griffin. From there I passed across as far as Mr. Frank Angels and thence across to Mr. Frank Hunts, and across to the state road at Mr. Jimmie Pucelli's, and back to Brodhead. Never in all my travels have I met a more energetic set of people than on this trip, every man seemed to be on the go and up and doing.

Mr. John Pike has returned home after a lengthy stay with Mr. Tillman Gilpin on the railroad in Northern Kentucky.
Again you can hear the old town drum beat, the boys are preparing for the 4th of July and quite a lot of them are collected together again after a rest for at least six months, by a little training Brodhead could have a band that she could be proud of, we have the boys and they are all nice of fellows and would make a show let them go where ever called on, at this moment a large crowd with the band is serenading the town and are making a splendid show.
W. H. Collier still holds his own and seems to be enjoying himself very well.
W. G. Adams continues very low.
Old Uncle Jim Wiggins is improving slowly.
I wish to say to the people the campaign for Gov. of Kentucky will soon open up and you may in the near future have a lengthy letter from a converted republican who escaped the assassins blood. We have our McCreary, our Black and our Lewis, all of whom Kentucky is proud of, and whose hands are washed as pure and white as snow, whitn their veins rushing forth the blood of true democracy. Either is good enough for us and let whoever be the standard bearer of Kentucky, he is sure to win.
Mrs. Annie Hurt wife of section foreman David Hurt who was reported dangerously ill last week, continues to grow worse, and is not expected to live but a few days.
A. H. Albright has just returned from a two weeks business trip in Madison county and reports a very pleasant and profitable one.
Miss Maud Watson is visiting friends and relatives in Garrard this week.
Judge R. G. Williams and E. S. Albright paid Brodhead a pleasant visit Sunday.

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