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KENTUCKY TRUCE.

No Serious Conflict ... Yesterday at ...

Goebel at ... Court to Keep Peace ... Opponents To ... Monday Will Not Obey.

Special to Journal.

... William ... Goebel ... Frankfort this afternoon ... of the sick chamber ... Goebel suffered ... one o'clock this afternoon ... respond to the remedies ... physicians ...

None of the doctors ... hope of his recovery ...

... Republicans will ... Lexington ...

Washington, Feb. ... Kentucky ...

...

BATTLE RUMOR.

Report That Buller Is Fighting Towards Ladysmith.

... Boers ... North ... Future Campaign Is to be on Methuen's Line.

...

The War office announces that ... deaths occurred in Ladysmith Wednesday and Thursday from disease.

Word has come from Durban ... the flying British column which was dispatched early in December. The column has reached North ... The ostensible object of this movement was to check the Boer cattle raiders. It is believed however that the force is really intended to harass the Boer lines of communication above Ladysmith.

The appearance of this flying column of British in Zululand has created uneasiness among the Boers ...

A number of Boers have been arrested ...

The Boers have at Vryheid about 3000 men with five guns.

A dispatch dated Pretoria January ... says that Commandant ... Stormberg ... Unless reinforcements are sent ... Many Cape Colonists ... left the Boer army ...

London, February 2 ...

...

MANY A SLIP.

... Judge Changed His Mind.

Special to Journal.

...

... not want a Tammany receiver.

Notice of Meeting of Creditors to Consider Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District ...

In the Matter of ... Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

To the Creditors of ... been adjudicated a Bankrupt ... fied by composition.

Take notice that a meeting of creditors will be held at the office of L. J. Moore, Referee, in New Bern, N. C., at ... the 17th day of February, 1900, at which time the Bankrupt will apply for his discharge. You can be present and show cause, if any, why he shall not be discharged.

L. J. Moore,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

New Bern, N. C., Feb'y 5th, 1900.

A valuable and cheap Christmas present, "Spofford's New Encyclopedia" at Ennett's Book Store.

Teachers are Suspended.

Special to Journal.

Thurston, February ... Education of this city ... Miss Vade White, the principal of the ... Lexington school, and ... pending the investigation of the ... fire in which the ... jumping from ... charges are made ... that ... the suspension.

The teachers are ... the pupils ... The teachers ... trying to get the pupils ... their own lives ... against the city ... irate parents of the ...

Safe In Port.

Special to Journal.

Provincetown, R. I., Feb. ... The three masted schooner James ... of Baltimore, arrived in this port today, a week overdue. The vessel had a perilous voyage and a fierce battle with the elements. The men were ... hours at the pumps.

HIS REWARD.

Butler Promises to Make Otho Wilson a Congressman.

Candidates ... Heads ... State ... Expressed ... In Price.

...

Clayton has so far raised $44,000 of the $75,000 wanted for a cotton mill. In 12 months the mill will be in operation.

Father Worth paid out $201,657 from the State Treasury last month.

The Methodists gained 1651 members in North Carolina last year. The Baptists are also growing rapidly.

It was remarked as a curious fact that ... the State educational institutions—the University, Agricultural and Mechanical College, ... and deaf ... Industrial Colleges ... the ... denominational ... Trinity ... the Baptist Female University ... St. Mary's ...

Improvements of the State Treasurer continue. Bright and large ... have been placed ... the backs of all the 10,000 ... volumes ... State reports ... excellent, as is also the remodeling of the Library.

While the Masons desire to buy the city hall at $25,000 ... declaring it to be worth $1... 000.

Attorney General Walser ... Supreme Court ... granted leave for the ... warranto ...

A petition was handed to the Snow Lumber Company, of High Point yesterday signed by the white operatives of the factory, requesting that the negro men working in the shop with them be removed. They ... the negroes working in the yards, but refused to be "mixed up" with them in the shop. The company refused to grant the request, and at 3.30 o'clock someone blew the whistle and all of the white hands walked out. For some time there has been ... white employes against negroes working alongside of them, and that ... here ... exposed to the disease ... the trouble.

THE PRESIDENT'S POSITION.

No Call From Kentucky For Troops Will be Noticed Except From the Legislature.

Washington, Feb. ... The attitude taken by the President towards the Kentucky political situation is ... senators and Representatives ...

As long as there ... law and ...

... of the cabinet say that the death of Mr. Goebel has not changed ...

Big St. Louis Fire.

St. Louis, Feb. 4.—Property ... in value at one and one half million dollars was destroyed today by fire that burned over portions of three blocks and resulted in the death of one fireman and injury to nine others.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CAMPAIGN.

... West ... to Begin at Once.

Republican ... Open ... During ... Conference From ... Springs ...

...

THE MARKETS.

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PEACE OR WAR

Kentucky Democrats Talk Of Raising A Large Militia Force.

A Conference In Session To Settle Matters. Taylor States His Position. Two Rival Legislatures Likely To Be In Session.

Special to Journal.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 5. Steps have been taken by the Democrats ... a new militia organization under the leadership of General Castleman.

A petition has already been put in circulation and received hundreds of signatures. W. L. Weller, Jr., who wrote the petition denied the legality of the militia now under the command of General Collier and that the new militia would assume its place as the legally qualified military organization of the State.

He said that the organizers of the new battalion could secure arms and ammunition within an hour and that 2500 men could be mustered into service within six hours.

Frankfort, February 5.—Special. Governor Taylor, said today, "My position is not changed. I will do my duty as I see it. I am backed by the Constitution. I understand a board of arbitration may be formed by both sides to arrange a settlement of the case. While I did not originate the plan of this conference I sanction anything to bring order out of chaos and effect a just settlement of the office. Several of the legislators now at Cincinnati want ... Goebel's funeral ... would be arrested ... I immediately wired that I would do all in my power to prevent arrest ... The Legislature now in session ... They will manage their own affairs and may arrest absent members if a quorum is not present. It is not in my power to order ...

I am open to negotiations for a peaceful settlement. I hear that ... to take charge of ... this is done we will meet ... force. Understand that I am acting under the Constitution."

John K. Kendrick, attorney for the Democrats, said this morning that the controversy will be settled peacefully in twelve hours. The courts will be ... and the militia will be gone.

A formal conference is now in session in Louisville. Blackburn and Beckwith represent the Democrats ... and Marshall represent the Republicans. It is understood that the ... represent Taylor but the ... Taylor is said to ... party leaders are going ...

... Democratic Representatives and ... Senators held a legislative session at noon today and adjourned subject to the Speaker's call. Representative Chatton was elected speaker pro tem and Senator ... acted as President of the Senate.

Chief Justice Hazelrigg wired the Judges of the Court of Appeals to meet him in Louisville. Judge ... is now in Louisville and the others have left for that city.

London, Ky., Feb. ... A company of militia of ninety men arrived from Barbourville today.

Frankfort, Ky., February 4. William Goebel died from the assassin's bullet at 6.35 o'clock last night and J. C. W. Beckham, who was promptly sworn in, is now the Governor of Kentucky, according to the Democratic theory. He was the candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the ticket with Goebel.

CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH

Declares England ... Never ...

No News ... Losses ... Many ... Africa.

...

London, Feb. ... Chamberlain ... today declared ... the war in South Africa ... crush the ... will never ...

The debate was ... Harcourt who sharply ...

... infantry ...

... the fourth of the ... the government ... the original ...

... Gen. ... Ladysmith. He should reach his ... this week.

... Joubert, it is stated, was seriously injured by a shell at the Willow ... near Estcourt. The shell threw him from his horse. The shock, it is said, was so great that Joubert will never be able to command on horseback again.

An informal truce was concluded to enable the combatants to bury their dead at Spion Kop. Although nine days have elapsed since the battle was fought, small parties of the Boers still going about on horseback and afoot searching the hill under cover of the Red Cross flag. Runners and deserters state that the Boer losses at Spion Kop were a thousand men, and that General Buller's artillery disabled seven of their guns.

London, Feb. 4.—A former British resident of South Africa said today:

"From a good source I learn that the losses of the Boers have been enormous considering their limited forces. They have had over 9,000 casualties.

"These losses they conceal with the utmost care from the relatives of the dead. There are thousands of letters at the Boer headquarters which are undelivered because they are addressed to men who are no more.

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