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CONGRESS
HON. G. G. GILBERT,
OF SHELBY.

GILBERT, our next congressman opened his campaign at Richmond yesterday in a powerful meeting in which Gov. McCreary presided. He will speak here next Monday the 12th, at Daviule on the 19th, Harrodsburg, Oct. 4, Lawrenceburg, Oct. 17 and Lancaster, Oct. 24. Davison is invited to meet him, but he will not accept.—Interior Journal.

CRAB ORCHARD.

H. J. Yantis, of B. yansville, was here last week on a visit to his son-in-law, W. A. Carson. Mr. Yantis is 92 years old and is yet hale and hearty. Mrs. Yantis was aged 77 when she died two years ago. This venerable couple raised a family of twelve children, all of whom are yet living and eighty grand and great grand children all living, with one exception.

J. P. Chandler, the successful auctioneer and one of the main stays of Brodhead's successful store, was mixing with his numerous friends here Saturday.

James Holman is the name of the clever gentleman clerk in W. A. Carson's store.

Ben Kennedy, who has been ill so long, is better.

Miss Georgia Lewis, one of Lincoln's brightest teachers, is teaching at Ottenheim.

This place can exhibit the biggest display of old safes of any town of its size in the country.

The poles have been distributed over to Ottenheim for the new telephone route and will soon be in working order.

The following places in town are now connected with the telephone exchange: Dr. Edmiston's office, Gover's livery stable, D. C. Payne's store and Crab Orchard Springs. A number of others will soon be placed. Toll station is at Payne's store.

Miss Pearl Phillips has returned from her summer vacation, resumed her millinery business and taken charge of the telephone exchange.

Henley Bastin is on the sick list. Prof. Milton Elliott opened the public school here Monday. A good attendance is reported.

BRODHEAD.

Mrs. Charley Shumate, of Bloomfield, is visiting her grandma, Mrs. Lear.

Miss Bertha Watson is visiting relatives in Lincoln county.

J. H. Hilton has returned from Louisville where he bought a large stock of goods.

Misses Lillie and Mattie A. bright left Sunday for Lexington, where they will remain a few days and proceed to Cincinnati.

Dr. Benton and A. J. Pike are each erecting dwellings on Church street.

Tollie Hilton, of Kansas, has been visiting friends here for a while and will return in a short short time.

Our efficient section foreman is making rapid improvements here to the track.

Old "Pennyrite" is a mighty good man.—[Ed.]

Rev. Kim Pike preached here last Sunday.

Coke, Murphy, Bain, Thompson and a dozen other drummers were at Frith Hotel in last few days.

Editor Maret was with us Monday.

R. S. Martin reports a good tobacco trade.

A great deal of fertilizer is sold here, which accounts for such large yields in grain crop this year. Farmers are making a rapid stride in the right direction.

W. H. Pettus was "copying" in dispatchers' office a few nights.

LIVINGSTON.

Mrs. Kate Magee, of London, returned home Saturday.

Judge Lair, of Mt. Vernon, visited T. B. Lein last week.

John Mullins went to Frankfort Monday to accept position as guard at the Pen.

Robt. Coffey and Gene Orndorf came home from London school Saturday night.

Jim Sams was the guest of Miss Jude Owens Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Walter Sanders, Wm. McKinney, Reuben Mullins, John Smith, and Bob Bishop are taking in the G. A. R. at Cincinnati.

Miss Virgine Ballard, is visiting friends in Cincinnati.

Dr. Cooper made a flying trip to Crab Orchard Sunday.

The numerous up-to-date mechanical devices that I have lately added to my watch and clock department, enable me to turn out work very fast. Gold spectacle frames neatly soldered; gold and silver rings cut and soldered, made smaller or larger, &c., &c.
S. C. FRANKLIN,
Mt. Vernon, Ky.

BURIED IN A STONE COFFIN.

"Uncle" Stephen Langford, whose critical illness was noted in our last issue, passed peacefully away Thursday night at his home, near Clay's Ferry, aged 86. For some time his health had been gradually declining, and the end was not unexpected. He was tenderly nursed by his nephew, W. A. Langford, who was much devoted to him and to whom he left the bulk of his estate, valued at something like \$60,000. Deceased was somewhat noted for his eccentricity. He began life as a stone mason and by industry and economy accumulated a comfortable fortune. He was an Ironside Baptist, an uncompromising Democrat and a living exemplification of an honest man. Some years ago, it is said he came across a grave burrowed into by ground hogs and the body violated. This so bore upon his mind that he was determined to protect his remains, and accordingly he had made for himself of Rockcastle stone, a mammoth coffin, which he had put away in his buggy house for use when the summons should come. At the same time he had a monument erected in himself on his place and left directions as to how he should be buried, which were scrupulously carried out by his nephew. A large crowd assembled Saturday to witness his strange burial. The ponderous sarcophagus, weighing 1,800 pounds and neatly dressed by Biggs, staff of about undertakers, of this city, was hauled to the grave on a slide, drawn on four big mules. It was lowered by means of an incline and rollers. Services were held at the house at 3 p. m. by Rev. G. W. Young, of the Methodist church, this city, after which the body was carried on a stretcher to the grave and placed in the coffin, which was not only hermetically sealed, but covered with large flag stones, thus inclosing the body in a double stone case, where it is safe to say it will rest undisturbed

until the coming of the Master. He left no children, but a faithful and devoted wife to mourn his loss.—(Ky. Register.)

The above deceased was born and raised a mile and one-half from town.

A Critical Time.

During the Battle of Santiago

Sick or Well, A Rush Night and Day.

The Packers at the Battle of Santiago de Cuba were all Heroes. Their Heroic Efforts in getting Ammunition and Rations to the Front Saved the day.

P. E. Butler, of pack-train No. 3, writing from Santiago, De Cuba, on July 23d, says: "We all had diarrhoea in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, for it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, we are able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact, I sincerely believe that at one critical time this medicine was the indirect saviour of our army, for if the packers had not been able to work there would have been no way of getting supplies to the front. There were no roads that a wagon-train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to lay in a supply of this medicine for our pack-train before we left Tampa, and I know in four cases it absolutely saved life."

The above letter was written to the manufacturers of this medicine, the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by M. C. & D. N. Williams, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Are you paying for what you are reading.

Dr. A. A. Grauman, DENTIST, AT MILLER HOTEL.

Entrance on Main Street. UP STAIRS.

NOTICE

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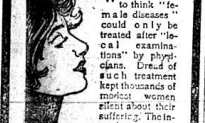
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