

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

News Items.

President McKinley's health continues to improve.

Rev. Mandell Creighton, D. D., Bishop of London, is dead.

Ten persons were killed by an explosion near Manchester, England.

William Neufeld was electrocuted at Sing Sing for the murder of a woman.

Sixty native rebels were killed by a British punitive expedition in South Africa.

Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and Miss Elsie French were married at Newport, R. I.

Mrs. Flora Moore of Williamsburg has been granted a pension of \$12 per month.

The Italian ship Leone was lost off the coast of Corsica and many bodies drifted ashore.

The plea of infancy cuts a figure in the Duke of Manchester's bankrupt case in London.

The annual convention of the National Building Trades Council is in session at Cincinnati.

A Russian Prince was arrested at Nice on the charge of plotting to take the life of the Czar.

James B. Ireland of near Skillman, Ky., who has lived in three different counties, is dead.

The trial of the alleged murderers of Jennie Boschister, the mill girl, was begun at Paterson, N. J.

A rich gold mine is said to have been discovered in the Cumberland Mountains, near Tullahoma, Tenn.

There are at least twenty-five cases of smallpox at Somerset, and leading business houses are closed.

Central of New Jersey railroad stock was bought by the Morgan syndicate at the rate of \$750 a share.

Fire at Legends, near Springfield, O., caused a loss of over \$75,000. It is believed one life was lost.

King Oscar of Sweden has recovered his health and will resume the reins of government, in a few days.

An Independent telephone association has been organized at Nicholasville and work will be begun immediately on the line.

The stockholders of the defunct German Bank of Louisville have been assessed \$58 on each share of stock held, to pay deficiencies.

The American Cigar Company formed at Trenton, N. J., with a capital of \$10,000,000 will take charge of the American Tobacco Company.

Millard West, of Lancaster has resigned his position as deputy collector of Internal Revenue, and will get a \$1000 clerkship under Commissioner Yerkes.

About the most important coal oil discovery, which has been made for years, was in Jefferson county, Tex. The production is estimated at 13,000 barrels per day.

In the past year there has been a net increase of the rank of the Macdonalds of 69,000. The order although only 20 years old now numbers 500,000 members.

Representative Berry has introduced a bill granting honorable certificates of discharge and gratuity pay for services to the volunteers who repelled the three mad raid into Cincinnati by Gen. Kirby Smith.

Large quantities of coal oil, has been discovered at Booneville in Boone county. All the surrounding counties are being taxed by the proposed corporation, upon the ground that the oil is common property, and it is said that the corporation will not be incorporated in the State of Kentucky.

BRODHEAD

Rev. A. J. Pike filled his appointment at Burkeys church Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Roberts, who has the typhoid fever, is some better.

Mr. John Newland is visiting at Lebanon Junction this week.

Old grandpa Sharp is reported very low.

Bill Fletcher's has a very sick child.

The prospects look like several new houses will be erected in 'bur little town this year.

Mrs. W. A. Tyree is much better this week.

Dannie Owens will start his ice factory soon.



E. C. Williams, One of the Ablest Lawyers in Eastern Kentucky.

ORLANDO

Geo Evans has a very sick baby.

R. L. Porter was in Mt. Vernon Monday.

Judge Chemsalt was here a few days last week.

Rufus Childress, of this place, has entered school at Mt. Vernon.

Geo Reams, of this place, was in Mt. Vernon Monday to help with the Masonic goat.

A letter from W. D. Laxwell says he is getting along first rate in the Medical College.

Lee Tate, our clever Deputy Sheriff was here last week on business connected with his office.

Jack Laxwell, who has measles, has returned home from Tere and reports several cases in Berea College.

Last Saturday one of our citizens was on a very moderate drunk but when he checked up his business Sunday morning, he was short just \$38.40.

Geo T. Johnson has employed Mr. Ove Evans, of Richmond, to work in his store. Mr. Evans waits on the trade in a very business like manner.

This is a progressive age and since our town is over run with civil engineers and surveyors who are putting up many little stakes with peculiar marks on them. We look around for progressive signs, and first we notice the water works which consist of pipes leading from the various springs on the hills that lead water to many of our citizens doors, but they have no sewerage pipes and in consequence thereof, the air in the mud-dirt pipes on earth. Another thing we notice is one or more cars of coal on the switch ready for shipment and an electric plant could not be put in at once and the L. & N. has not seen cause to put switch lights on this road yet, so all the lanterns fit town and all that could be borrowed from neighboring towns are being out for street lamps. I tell you friends we are booming sure.

A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks.

Prof. Rosa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy said: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I never feel without this splendid medicine again." For sale by Theo. W. Wiley Drug Co., Mt. Vernon.

Politics and Politicians

Republicans of Louisville, so strong will attend the inauguration of Pres. McKinley on March 4.

The investigating committee ofazing at West Point, visited the spot Sunday, where so many of the cadets were made by the upper classmen settle their difficulties.

W. E. Martin, of Fayetteville Tenn, is under arrest, for using the mails in an attempt to extort \$500 from James Cannaghin, a wealthy tinsmith.

The United States Supreme Court decided they needly, accused of postal frauds must be surrendered to the Cuban authorities.

Senator Hoar was unanimously re-nominated by the Republicans of the Massachusetts Legislature. The Democrats nominated Richard Olney.

The Kentucky electors chose Robert L. O'Fall as messenger to carry the certificate of the State's vote for President to Washington.

Col. Winfield T. Durbin was inaugurated Governor of Indiana. The occasion was marked by a big civil and military display.

A bill introduced in the Tennessee Legislature provides the death penalty for kidnaping.

In the Senate, Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, declared the people have not yet waked up to the danger of militarism.

Hon. Milt Quay was in the senatorial race in Pennsylvania. Three democrats thought about his election.

HEADACHE
Pain back of your eyes? Heavy pressure in your head? And are you sometimes faint and dizzy? Is your tongue coated? Bad taste in your mouth? And does your food distress you? Are you nervous and irritable? Do you often have the blues? And are you troubled about sleeping?
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Advertisements

The abduction of the son of Edward A. Cudaby, of Omaha, and his return after the father had left twenty-five thousand dollars in gold at a lonely spot designated by the kidnappers has been a topic of commanding interest during the last two weeks. This was a big amount to pay for the restoration of the boy, but we all admire the father for his willingness to make any sacrifice to get back his stolen child. The story of little Charlie Ross' abduction and the long, protracted efforts of his heart-broken father to recover him, is known all over the United States. In that case the kidnappers got nothing and the business of abduction was discouraged. The Cudaby case is a deplorable revival, rich the gain that the abductors realized will rouse the cupid and hope of other miscreants all over the land.

We have two county enterprises here among us that amply deserve the hearty support of our citizens. One is the Bank and the other, the College. The people of Mt. Vernon have never taken the interest in the College they should. There is a bright future for this institution of learning, if the citizens will give their success and labor to increase its attendance. Our people lack enthusiasm; they lack push and get up. They study only about living unto themselves alone, and forget the very essential qualification of business success. We have too many little businesses who squeeze a nickle too hard and too long. We need a hearty co-operation on the questions that are so vital to our interest, welfare and prosperity.

The building up of our college means more to Rockcastle county than anything and every one should unite in making it a great college.

MR. C. W. LESTER, who thought he had some grievance against that sagacious editor of the Interior Journal, W. P. Walton and brought suit against him for criminal libel in the Whitley Circuit Court, has dismissed his case. Mr. Walton assering him that he was misled in the publication and had no malice against the former State Inspector wintever. Now let Randall Cook, who has tried to imitate Mr. Lester, profit by the wise example of the gentleman from Whitley and move the court to dismiss a similar one in this county.

POLICE JUDGE BUCKLEY, and one R. W. Knott, editor of the Louisville Post, had a lively little fight Monday over reflections on Buckley by Knott in the Post. Buckley kicked his man up, and on introduction by Sam Simons he proceeded to inform Knott, that Knott was not one of the most truthful men he ever met, when upon Knott resented the insinuation and the result was a short, sharp and incisive contest brought to too sudden a termination by those present.

The Supreme Court has decided that Cuba is foreign territory, and that C. F. Neely, the postal thief, who made such lucrative steals while in the postal service in Cuba, must be retried there for trial. Here is hoping that he will get all he deserves, and if he deserves all his picture believes he will never get another chance to steal from Uncle Sam or any one else.

W. A. CLARK, the man who has been named as Standard Oil Co. in Montana since November, has been arrested by the legislators of that State to a seat in the United States Senate.

It now seems certain that Rockcastle is to have two more railroads. The "Burgin" expansion will run through the western "Burgin" and has been ordered located. The other is to begin on the R. C. Orlando and run up "Burgin Creek" into Jackson Co. It is now being located. While powerful corporations are building railroads let our citizens direct their attention toward building up our dirt roads. We need them and we must have them.

Senator Deboe will recommend Ed. G. Bradley for the position of the New Federal Judge-ship. If Mr. Bradley would accept, it would take a good size thorn out of the side of Deboe, as both are candidates for the senate with chances in favor of neither one.

Gov. Mount of Indiana, who as signed so much notoriety over refusing to recognize the requisition of the Gov. of this State for Taylor, Findley and others, died of apoplexy at Indianapolis Wednesday evening.

POSSON HOLLER.

(Level Green.)

Surely Job was right when he said "Man that is born of a woman is or few days and his nights are full of trouble." Yes, as a general thing even when we have first comprehended the dawn of our existence, and mother is considering her boy the most perfect jewel on earth, something—perhaps the devil, I can't tell—makes Johnny cry, then begins the use of catnip tea (I've drunk a barrel of it) Balmam's drops, paregoric, camphor, a little whiskey, Aunt Java's prescription, Granddaddy's favorite remedies, &c. &c., with the doctor ever now and then, so that the little fellow's constitution is so thoroughly tried and weakened as a very tender age that we have already become victims of colic and that other painful disease so closely allied to colic—seven times the night howl rises up in our sleep. Then come the harsh and the rash, whooping cough, mumps, measles, chicken pox and in their turn a number of other ailments—whether essentials I can't tell—so if Johnny is of remarkable constitution he out lives these last named and they never return, but alas when that dread disease colic and his twin brother—

rode in on their night boss, they came to stay while we stay. Newtally often comes as one who will stay with you in the sixth trial and in the seventh he never forsakes you. Now these which cause to lead headache play a double part, anyone of them can hold you down by himself when he tries, but some one or more of them comes with fever, flux, rheumatism, small-pox, consumption, &c., and they play a wonderful part as adjuncts.

Now had the fact I've been sick since Thursday, my school, my cutting and most of my sleeping have been done by proxy for a week, and I have been thinking (very seriously) too of divorcing Betsy, and should I be forced to do so, may it only prove that I went on to an advance to cause her and the children to be sorer to come up higher.

Rev. C. D. Burnett, of the M. E. church, died on the 14th inst. He leaves several small children and many grown up ones. His second wife had preceded only a short time after four years of intense suffering.

The wife of Squire Thomson was interred in the Cemetery at Christian church on the 14th inst. She died of dropsy.

Both of these (last) were good and happy no doubt, but called by the Master to come and be with Him.

There is much sickness in our beloved land now and much of it is a very serious at last.

Having been sick myself and there being much other sickness in the county I have no had much time to look after my children, the Sept. at Schools, but after the usual deliberation and getting the boys' opinions, we will have some one to take care of them.

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you both run 'em but you really, but if only you runs 'em I'll beat him too. Am strictly in it if I live. As soon as it is decided who, which or how many is—armor are an opponent or opponents I'll invite them to a discussion, &c.

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For Infants and Children. Always Bought. Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. H. HITCHCOCK*

LIVINGSTON

Dr. Children won the watch. Say Doc where does it go? London I suppose.

Squire Ballard went to Mt. Vernon Saturday on school business.

Wm. Tins and Co. have sold the property lately occupied by E. A. Herrin and Son.

In notice in your last issue, that Mt. Vernon has a population of 422, and that Livingston has a population of 605. Say, you can send you an old pair of pants to hang on the bedstead.

Hush.—The little Judge is returned and Leon is happy.

Mr. A. B. Spark is home from his mill in the country and reports much trouble with water.

Mr. Sam Mason who has been sick with grip is now out with the boys.

We have not heard of Mrs. Mason being troubled with cramp lately.

Some of the Goo Goo's have been off, the Horse fell down, that of course was it the horse fault? What was the matter of the rider? Let me tell you good church people I will write you up if you don't mend your ways, you repent to many times.

Bad is up the River fishing and has a bad case of grip caused by wet ball.

Drs. Cooper and Childress attended the S. E. Ky. medical association at London Friday last.

Sam Fulkerson has returned from in West Va. where he has been down with fever.

Mrs. Carier has been quite sick this week.

Dr. Cooper made a trip to Big Hill the first of the week.

Mrs. Laurena Rice is visiting home folks at Pine Hill this week.

John Meadows of Pine Hill was down to see us this week.

Bert Sams entered Prof. Dickerson's school at this place Monday.

Dr. Childress was up at Mt. Vernon Monday.

The K. O. T. Ms. of this town is rapidly growing, several new members are being initiated each meeting.

Mr. Jack Ping of Mt. Vernon was down to see one of the fair and gentle sex of our town a few days ago.

Mrs. A. M. Owens went to Mt. Vernon to see R. B. Mullins, who is very sick.

Uncle Ashley Owens of old friend passed his 83rd mile post Jan. 15, many friends were present and many presents given. His Uncle Ashley stay with us many years.

Mr. Chewing has taken up \$1,000 claims this week and will open up his mill next week. Our men seems to do some business.

A DEEP MYSTERY

It is a mystery why women enjoy Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have probably had Electric Bitters with quick care such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney troubles," writes Mrs. Phebe Cheney, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back, pulled me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my household work." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at all Druggists drug store.

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- Canned Goods, 8 1/2 to 10c
- Best Dry Salt Meat, 9c
- Lard, 10c
- Meal, per bushel, 55c
- Best Patent Flour, 60 to 65c
- Best shipstuf \$1 for 100 lbs
- pounds soda for 5 cents
- California Hams, per 10 90c
- Men's Hats 75c up
- Shoes from 85c up
- Clothing, men's suits from \$3.00 up

All grades calicoes this week 55c. Over coats from \$6.50 up. Ribbons, Laces, Ladies' Hose, Men's Hose, all as cheap as the cheapest. Goods delivered in any part of town at your door.

SAURDAY is my bargain day, at Wade's old stand, Livingston, Ky.

Shoe and woolen joints, sharp, shoeing pains, torturing muscles, no rest, no sleep. That meses rheumatism. It is a strabon disease to fight but Chamberlain's Pain Balm has conquered it thousands of times. It will do so when ever the opportunity is offered. Try it. One application relieves the pain. For sale by The Wesley Druggist Mt. Vernon

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is all right, if you are too fat; and all wrong, if too thin already.

Fat, enough for your habit, is healthy; a little more, or less, is no great harm. Too fat, consult a doctor; too thin, persistently thin, no matter what cause, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil.

There are many causes of getting too thin; they all come under these two heads: over-work and under-digestion.

Keep your system if you can, but if you cannot, do not.

Mr. Chewing has taken up \$1,000 claims this week and will open up his mill next week. Our men seems to do some business.

Our letter is short this week, as we do not wish to be tedious. What is the matter with "Buck"?

Get this out and take it to Thos. Wesley Druggist, drug store, and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They also cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness and headache.

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Getting Thin When You Read This,

And need anything done, come and see me at WESLEY'S DRUGSTORE, MT. VERNON, KY. I have withdrawn from the SIGNAL office on account of the close confinement and a long needed rest. I will run a first class Watchmaking shop, do work in workman like manner, and in all cases, try to deliver work the same day it is brought to me. Hereafter, I have been laboring under disadvantages by having to work on the paper in SIGNAL OFFICE through the day and on Watchwork at night; consequently, could not turn out work very fast. I learned my trade under a German Watchmaker, one of the best in the country.

My Shop is Equipped With Improved Machinery

To do all kinds of work, and will add more. I do all kinds of Jewelling, pivoting, put in balance staffs, gold and silver soldering; repair spectacles, umbrellas, parlors, &c.

OPTICAL GOODS.—I have made a study of fitting the eye properly with glasses. I have the latest appliances for testing, and will visit, at leisure times, every town and postoffice in the county, to do what work is to be done, get better acquainted with the people and work up my business. Whether you want anything or not come and see me at WESLEY'S DRUG STORE, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Yours with the greatest of respect
S. C. FRANKLIN.

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26 north	1:37 a.m.
23 south	1:57 p.m.
25 south	2:24 p.m.

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Asiatic Lodge No. 681 meets 2nd Monday in A. M.

CHURCHES.
Christian—Holds services 1st & 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 Sunday night & Sunday. Sunday School at 10 a. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights.

Personals.

Attorney J. W. Brown is on the sick list.

Attorney R. L. Brown was in Stanford yesterday.

Sheriff Catron was able to come into town Monday.

Miss Jains Colyer closed her school Monday last.

W. T. Short is in McKee, attorney in a murder case.

Mr. Sooman Riddle has been very sick out of town.

B. F. Fugate is now rooming up stairs in the old brick hotel.

Rev. Carmical filled his appointment at Preachers' Sunday.

Dr. W. J. Childress was up from Livingston the first of the week.

Jones Fish and A. W. Stewart were in from Wildie the first of the week.

Dr. E. J. Brown, of Stanford, made a professional trip here yesterday.

W. C. Mullins and G. M. Ballard were up from Livingston Saturday.

John Henzman, of Fort, Ky., is here this week visiting friends and relatives.

Squire J. N. Brown, of Level Green has been very sick for the past week.

J. W. Baker and son W. M. went to Louisville Sunday night to buy goods.

J. E. and M. F. Craig, two of the Big Glades best citizens, were here Monday last.

Miss Gladine Ewers, who has been quite sick for some time, is much improved.

Mrs. Lou Boulware writes from Kingston that Mr. Williamson Boulware is very ill.

Mrs. R. E. Thompson, of Lancaster is here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. M. Foynter.

Miss Pearl Landrum, of Salt Lick, Ky. visited her uncle J. A. Landrum, here this week.

Mrs. R. S. Martin and son Hugh came to Mareburg Saturday to visit the family of S. H. Martin.

Mrs. W. T. Brooks, of Paris, came Tuesday, to see her mother Mrs. J. L. Joplin, who is very ill.

Rufus Childress, a brother of Dr. W. J. Childress, entered the college Tuesday. He is boarding at Mr. A. Pennington's.

Mrs. Frank Jones, wife of the hustling merchant, Frank Jones of Livingston, paid this office a pleasant call Saturday last.

Rev. J. L. Davis preached in the Christian church Monday night. He will also preach here the first Sunday and Sunday night in February.

Fred Hahn swore out a warrant, for the arrest of John Thomas, of Jackson county, for stealing his sorrel horse on December 9. He and Jailer G. S. Griffin left for Jackson county on yesterday in search of Thomas.

Mr. B. F. Pugh has a room in the brick hotel.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Fish, are in Williamsburg.

Mr. J. W. Ruler has gone on a business trip to Illinois.

Squire John Highland, of Cedarville, was in town Monday.

Little Lena McClure, who has been quite sick is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bluzer have returned from a visit to relatives in Ohio.

Mr. James D. Levell, of Bryantsville, was in town yesterday on legal business.

Mr. S. N. Davis, Rockcastle's splendid surveyor, has been doing some work at Wildie this week.

Mr. M. E. Mullins is very sick.

Mrs. Mahaly Carson spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Paynter, here this week.

C. S. Cummings, of Brodhead, has moved to London and will open up a feed and sale stable.

Messrs. John and Rolt Riddle returned to their home at Logans, Ky. after a visit to relatives at Cove.

Miss Vinnie Adams returned with Mrs. T. S. Miller to Lancaster Saturday, where she will spend a few days.

Dr. W. A. Brown and Mrs. Sue Henderson, of Parisville, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown. [Interior Journal]

John Renner of Yearly, Mo. in remitting on his paper, says keep the Signal coming for I can not do without it.

Squire W. A. Hammons of Disputanta was in town Wednesday telling his many friends that he was a candidate for county Judge and wanted a convention.

Walker Owens son of Doc Owens, who is attending the Louisville Medical College, writes for the Signal to be sent to him at 742 Second street and says he is getting along nicely.

Mr. H. H. Baker returned Monday from a visit to his daughters, Mrs. John McKennie, of Rowland and Mrs. J. J. Thompson of Preachersville. Mr. Baker is still in very poor health.

Ree-silver Z. Emerick, who has been located at Fort Wayne, Ind., for a little over a year, has returned to his farm at Mareburg, and says Rockcastle is good enough for him.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ballard, of Livingston were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis Tuesday night. Mat says he is strictly in the race for county school superintendent.

Judge Morrow was on Saturday's train en route to Williamsburg, where he opened court Monday. The term will last five weeks and there are one thousand cases on the docket.

Lucien Dunn, son of A. C. Dunn, had the misfortune to break his left leg below the knee Sunday morning. The horse he was riding slipped on the ice and fell on him. [Interior Journal]

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PHEN DEAD.—Mr. John G. Fee, former President of Berea College, died at that place last Friday night. He was a great abolitionist, founded Berea College for the education of both black and white.

Miss Jesse Arthur, the youngest daughter of Capt. E. P. Arthur, of Williamsburg and a sister of Mrs. J. B. Fish of this place, died Wednesday night of last week at her father's home, after an illness of but two days.

Mr. James Crawford, one of the most enthusiastic turkpie men in the county, was here Tuesday, and says if the county will guarantee to build a pike from Mt. Vernon, to the Lincoln county line, that he will make the county a deer to 100 acres of land, to be used as a poor house farm.

FOR SALE.—Having decided to change my business, I desire to sell my farm situated at Mareburg, Rockcastle county. This is one of the most desirable farms in the county; will sell cheap and on very easy terms. S. H. MARTIN, Mareburg, Ky. Jan. 4th.

DEBATE.—There will be a debate at Burnett's chappel on Feb. 13, 1901, between Rev. J. L. Davis, of the Church of Christ, on the affirmative, and some minister of the Methodist church, to represent the negative side of the question. The question will be, Resolve, That Methodist discipline contradicts the Bible.

Having purchased a Millinery Store in Georgetown, will leave for that place first of next week. My Millinery Store here will be run by Mrs. C. C. Williams, at my old stand in Brick Hotel, where you will find her to wait upon you. I extend my heart-felt thanks to my many customers and most earnestly solicit their future trade. Mrs. Cleo Brown.

Terrible was the state of affairs which prevailed in the little town of Corbin Wednesday and Wednesday night, the result of which, is two persons dead, four wounded and one building completely wrecked by dynamite. James Shotwell and Rola White, the two principals in the fight, had been enemies for some time, but near the L. & N. depot the trouble began. Shotwell was mortally wounded by White, and before the deputies could arrive from Williamsburg, the house in which White was located, was attacked by dynamite and other explosives.

Mr. Thmas Gelpin, who has done much towards getting tobacco raised in this county, proposes, if the farmers will only take hold, to send a man here who has been engaged in raising tobacco and is fully informed as how to raise it, keep that man here the entire tobacco season, let him go from one part of the county to the other and show the farmers just how to raise the tobacco and how to take care of it after it is made, and for this all he asks is ten pounds of every hundred raised, this he will obligate himself to take as it comes, from the stalk up, let it be good or bad. This is an especially fair and reasonable proposition, and the farmers, who want to try a tobacco crop, ought to take advantage of this offer.

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Dr. F. A. Pennington, dentist from Louisville, who is at the Mt. Vernon House in Clinch Court prepared to do all kinds of dental work.

Rev. James Riddle will preach at Langford's school house next Sunday at 11 o'clock, and at Buckeye on the 14th Sunday at the same hour.

The case against Bud and Leonard Hoskins, charging them with desecrating religious worship was dismissed. Judge G. W. McClure acted as special judge.

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Don't forget that Prof. Hale will give an entertainment at the college Tuesday night. Those who failed to hear him, when he was here last year, will surely not let this opportunity pass without hearing him.

Road Law.—Judge Williams decided last Tuesday morning in a very able and lengthy oral opinion in the case of the Commonwealth vs. B. J. Bethune that the Rockcastle road law, known as the local act of 1870 was in operation for four reasons:—

1st. That the local law required special legislation to keep it in force which has not been passed.

2nd. That it was inconsistent with the constitution.

3rd. That it was superseded by a general road law in 1884.

4th. That had no general law been passed it would have become in operation at the expiration of six years from the adoption of the new constitution.

However this opinion does not let any one out of working the county roads as the general road law is in effect which he think is a better and wiser law. Under the old law no man could be put in jail for failing to work the road nor he can be imprisoned for that as well as any other misdemeanor. The fiscal court will levy a road tax not to exceed 25c, they may select commissioners and pay them a reasonable compensation as they ought to be paid. Justice of the Peace may try road cases, where under the old law only the County Judge could try.

At his home near Disputanta, Ky. on Friday Dec. 28, 1900, all 3 p. m., surrounded by those he loved, J. T. Stephens passed peacefully away, aged 75 years and 9 months, and on Sunday following at old Sandfords church, funeral services were conducted by Bro. Ballou at the Christian church, after which his remains were laid to rest by the side of his first wife. He left two children Mrs. J. J. Brannan and Mr. J. W. Stephens of Berea. In 1867 he married his last wife Mrs. Angie Clark, of Mt. Vernon, who survives him.

Called home, but Oh! how many sighs
Have followed thee beyond the skies
For thee the gates ajar were swung,
For thee the welcome anthem sung.
Farewell, dear one, the time will come,
When thou shalt meet me in thy home,
Where Jesus at the entrance waits
To take us through the pearly gates. Rees.

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COLLEGE NOTES.

Many new pupils have been enrolled in the past two weeks, the total enrollment up to date, being one hundred and seven. This already exceeds the regular enrollment of last year and several more pupils are expected.

Misses Susie Thompson, Eva Fish and Kitty Foynter, have lately entered the piano class, and Misses Berra and Susie Ester, the guitar class.

The spirit of earnest study is shown in all the various classes, and the willingness and faithfulness of the pupils in both Literary and Musical work is of a kind to be highly commended.

The huge spelling class has been made into two, but the interest seems only to grow. The Collegiate and Intermediate mathematics form six of the most zealous classes in College. The Latin classes in all grades have so many very excellent lessons that one is led to believe many of the pupils have learned to not only study and read Latin, but also to think in that language.

The String Band, which was organized just before the Holidays, meets every Monday evening at 6:30 for practice, in Miss Cox's music room. The members at present are: Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Messrs. Albright, Whitehead, Burdette, Hunk, Ernest Hiers, Burdette and Charlie McKenzie, and McKenzie Brown; Misses Bessie McClure, Bessie Houk, Clyde Cass and Miss Cox.

The band is very much in earnest and its enthusiastic work is pleasing in the extreme. We will be able to play for you in a few weeks.

The Philanthropist now holds its weekly meetings on Friday evenings at seven o'clock, in the Chapel. At the monthly business meeting on Jan. 4th, the following officers were elected: Judge, R. G. Williams; President, Lee Chestnut

Vice-Pras. Ernest Ewers; Secretary, Alcanis Brown; Treasurer, Those who are interested in literary and musical study and entertainment, are cordially welcomed as members in our Club, whether they be enrolled as pupils of the College, or are friends outside. Inquire of us the purpose of our Club, and see if you would like to become a member. The Club gives promise of much interest in its meetings in the next few months.

The usual one hour programme of readings, debate, recitations and music, will be given next Friday. You are invited to attend.

A Chorus class—or, more properly—a glee-club, is now being organized, that the Panhellenic and its friends may have full benefit of the many fine voices now in school. It is to be hoped that the discussion will result in the organizing of such a club in the near future.

A few of our pupils have been out of school for some time on account of sickness. Among those are McKenzie Brown, Luther Mullins and Gladine Ewers. We are glad to report all are better and we hope to see them soon in their accustomed places at the College.

The pupils, of the town, who were so fortunate as to hear Mr. Hale, who gave us an entertainment last February, will be pleased to know that he will be at the College again on next Tuesday night, January 22. The proceeds of the entertainment will be used towards starting a library for the College. Let all the friends of the College give us their support in this much needed work. The entertainment will be well worth all its costs and the College be greatly helped.

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Mr. J. A. Nook sold a bunch of 140 lb shoats last week at \$4.25. Heavier ones are selling at \$4.60 a hundred in this section. Mr. Maurice Bartlett, of the Burgin community, has 30,000 pounds of tobacco which he has recently refused a cents a pound for. It is one of the finest crops raised in this section the past season.—[Burgin Record]

The Harrodsburg Democrat reports last Monday Court day, as a decided improvement of December court in a trade way. The supply of good and medium cattle was light and many more could have been sold at the following prices: One lot, 800 lb. yearlings, \$32.65 per head; another lot, \$30; one lot short yearlings, polled Angus calves, \$18.50 per head; 11 head two-year-old steers, 900 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.29 per hundred. Horses sold at from \$35 to \$75.

S. F. Stoue, of Moorefield, sold a lot of cotton bales to Tennessee parties, at \$7.50 per head. Hillier Bros. sold to P. P. Johnston, of Lexington, 35 head of sheep, at \$6.50 per head. Frank Bedford purchased this week 65 head of 200-lb. hogs at \$4.35 to \$4.60. James Ferguson sold to Sullivan for Schwarzbach, Sulzberger & Co., 75 head of 1,320-lb. cattle, at \$4.60. Rent for land in Bourbon is about as follows: For corn land \$2 per acre, hemp land \$12, tobacco land \$7. Cas P. Goff sold to W. B. Griffith, Thursday, 66 head of 1,320-lb. cattle at \$4.75, and 30 head of 1,200-lb. cattle at \$4.50.—Paris Krentzschler.

Thursday the price of meat in the Chicago market reached the highest point since 1894. With 8,000 cattle, 30,000 hogs and 100,000 sheep on the market at prices ranging from \$4.50 to \$15.00 for cattle on the hoof, hogs, \$5.10 to \$5.74, and sheep \$3.50 to \$5.50 per hundred pounds, the consumer was forced to pay twenty-two cents per pound for a porter house steak, ten cents per pound for pork chops, and twenty cents per pound for choice cuts of lamb or mutton.—Wichita Democrat.

F. L. Thompson sold one cow, weight 1,150 pounds, to Fred Hahn for 3 1/2 cts per pound.

P. P. Hendrix & Co. purchased of Geo. M. Ewing, of Preston, ten fat steers, averaging 1,224 pounds at \$4.12 1/2 per cwt. [Owingsville Outlook]

GOODCHLAND

Mr. Henry McGuire, of this place, was in McKee last Monday on business.

J. C. Smith, of Livingston, passed through our town last Monday en route to McKee.

Mrs. Addie McGuire is much improved, and is able to do her work again.

J. F. Dooley, J. C. Phillips, J. W. Phillips, Henry McGuire and Millard McQuig, are a few that attended Judge Williams' Court from here last week.

James B. Isaacs has been having serious trouble with his eyes of late. We are in hopes that he will soon recover.

W. R. Rigby, our bustling cross-tie man, was forced to leave his works last week, and go home, the trouble was his eyes failing him. We are in hopes that he will be able to be with us again soon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reid's baby died last Thursday morning, it was only sick a few days.

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CIRCUIT COURT.—Second Monday in February, Fourth Monday in May and Third Monday in September.

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