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ROCKCASTLE COUNTY FAIR.

Friday, the last day of the Broadhead Fair, was a beautiful day, and from all parts of the people to see, as some expressed it, "the big day nights." The gate receipts were by far greater, than for any other one day in the history of the association. The following are the winners of the third day premiums: Best sucking colt, W. M. McGuire, first, F. O. Miller, second; best mare or gelding over one and under two years old, Siler and Beasley; best mare or gelding over two and under three, Siler and Beasley, first, S. W. Halcomb, second; best mare or gelding any age, Bud White, first, Siler and Beasley, second; best combined saddle and harness stallion any age, Bill Riddle, first, D. S. Wilcox, second; best combined saddle and harness mare or gelding any age, Siler and Beasley, first, S. R. Mason, second; best saddle stallion any age, Bill Riddle, first, G. A. Ballard, second; best saddle mare or gelding any age, S. R. Mason, first, Siler and Beasley, second; best harness mare or gelding, Robert White, first, Bill Riddle, second; best harness stallion, D. S. Wilcox, first, Bill Riddle, second; best pair harness mares or geldings, Siler and Beasley, first and second; most graceful lady horse-back rider, Miss Lizzie Painter, first, Miss Bertina Mullins, second; fanciest turnout, lady and gentlemen, J. H. Dunn, lady, Miss Susie Hilton, first, Mr. A. W. Buckhannan and lady, of Crab Orchard, second; best running-walker, Siler and Beasley, first, Armp Hatt, second; fancy harness ring, Siler and Beasley, first, Robert White, second; sweepstake roadster ring, Siler and Beasley, first, Bill Riddle, second. The best sucking colt, sired by English Hunter, a special premium of \$10 by J. H. Dunn, first premium to James M. Crawford, second to Jones Hlatt.

RACES--THIRD DAY.

Trotting race, Robert White, first, D. S. Wilcox, second, Bill Riddle, third; mile race, G. P. Burdette, first, Bill Riddle, second; running race, R. H. Bronough, of Crab Orchard, first, Ben Halcomb, second.

A Richmond, Va., man shot and killed a friend who lived in the same house, mistaking him, for a burglar.

The body of Miss Mable O'Rear, who was drowned in the Ohio river, was recovered by a fisherman at Petersburg.

CRAB ORCHARD.

Miss Hattie Grimes, of Harrodsburg, is visiting Miss Mollie Brooks.

Miss Annie Bronough is visiting Miss Margarite Sallee, of Somerset.

W. S. Myers, who is sick at the Gover House, continues to grow weaker.

Mrs. Sarah White, who has been confined to her bed for several days is able to sit up.

Miss Ethel Haley, of Lebanon Junction, is the handsome little guest of Mrs. J. M. Wallin.

Miss Fannie Cundy, of Cincinnati, is the guest of our estimable depot agent, Mrs. A. Newland.

Thomas Austin, of Lancaster, called on Geo. A. Patten this morning and they had quite a pleasant chat.

Misses Delphia and Ollie Newland and Miss Eva Bailey visited Mammoth Cave, the first of the week.

Cool nights prevail here now and boarders are leaving town daily, only about sixty at the Springs now.

Mrs. Emma Faris will visit friends at Kirksville, while her husband, Scott Faris, goes to attend the London Fair.

Mrs. Rhoda Grady and Misses Mary McQuery and Annie Hawley, of Hammock, spent several days last week with Mrs. Patten.

Protracted meeting will begin at the Baptist church, on Sept. 3rd, conducted by the pastor, J. M. Bruce, assisted by Rev. Wolford.

Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Patten's house-keeper, is suffering with a very painful gathering on her arm. It originated from a burn and is something like blood poison.

A few of our enterprising citizens contemplate opening a bank here soon. If carried out, it will be a great convenience to the people of Crab Orchard and vicinity.

Ansel Dillon has added very much to his property, by building a neat front to his house, which consists of two rooms and a hall. We hope others will profit by his example, for there are several old buildings around that might be benefitted by some addition, if only a coat of paint.

Died on the 22nd, Mrs. Mollie Jones, of this place. Her death was unexpected, although she had been in poor health for a long time. She was taken with pains and cramping in her stomach, on Friday and continued to grow worse till Saturday morning when she died. She leaves a husband, mother, and one sister; to mourn the loss of their loved one. May they all prepare to meet her in the "sweet by and bye."

CONWAY

Mrs. Jennie Ramsey has moved to Berea.

Born, to the wife of J. J. Wren, on the 23rd, a boy.

Born, to the wife of W. H. Mobley, a girl, on the 26th.

Mrs. M. R. Jones is visiting relatives in Hustonville, this week.

R. M. Johnson was at home first of the week with his family.

Mr. A. B. Ealy, of Pain, La., is visiting D. C. Paul, of this week.

Mrs. Polina Shockley, of Berea, is visiting relatives here this week.

J. M. Nave was over at Nicholasville, first of the week on business.

Miss Julia Wright returned home last Tuesday, after a pleasant visit here.

W. D. Kelton and family, of Gadsden, Ala., are here visiting relatives.

Geo. W. Shockley was here from Berea, visiting relatives Saturday and Sunday.

O. L. Wren was at Whites Station, Madison county, first of the week loading logs.

Joe Lewis drew about \$150 off of the pay car last week and it looks like now that he has flew the coop.

ALL WERE SAVED.

"For years I suffered such untold misery from Bronchitis," writes J. H. Johnston, of Broughton, Ga., "that often I was unable to work. Then, when everything else failed, I was wholly cured by Dr. King's Mew Discovery for Consumption. My wife suffered intensely from Asthma, till it cured her, and all our experience goes to show it is the best Croup medicine in the world." A trial will convince you it's unrivaled for Throat and Lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at all druggists.

Mrs. Martha Gains, mother of Editor Loving W. Gains, died in Warren county.

The First National Bank, Aberdeen, S. D., was robbed of \$3,800 by burglars.

WATCH FOR A CHILL.

However slight at this time of year and in this climate, it is the forerunner of malaria. A disposition to yawn, and an all tired out feeling even comes before the chill. Herveine, by its prompt stimulative action on the liver, drives the malarial germs out of the system, purifies the blood, tones up the system and restores health. Get at Chas. C. Davis' drugstore.

SCRAPS.

(BY JET.)

It is getting along towards the festive time of year when platform-makers begin to "view with alarm" and "point with pride."

Several battles fought recently in the Philippines should remind the President that another declaration of peace is about due.

Mr. Roosevelt's equestrian picnic was a success.

stake-and-ride-fence. The country would dearly love to see him jumping the tariff wall.

The stone-wall which will enclose the Confederate Monument on the battlefield of Perryville will be completed this week. Those who examined it pronounce the workmanship first-class.

The most popular tales, by Uncle Remus, for the children are: "Brer Rabbit," "Brer Fox," "Brer Tarrypit," "Mr. Jack Sparrow," "Sis Cow," "De Tar Baby," "Ole Mr. Bull Frog," "De Fattes' Gray Squirrel" and many other "beast-esses."

Walter Wood, the energetic clerk at Messrs. Watts & Tribble's grocery, caught a rat in the cellar yesterday morning which he said tilted the scales at the right pound mark. He thought it was a coon at first. He thinks it had been in the store for several years.—Advocate.

—So President Schwab, of the Billion Dollar Steel Trust, must retire on account of ill health. After all the toil and strife a final Great and Universal Merger into common earth is all that comes of it. "Imperial Caesar, dead and turned to clay, might stop a hole to keep the wind away."

Things are booming down in Oldiam. Listen at the Index:

"There isn't much news this week, the editors are all off on a splurge, roasting ears are in bloom, the tomato red ripe, water-melons, are here, yellow-legged chickens full-feathered, grapes getting blue, wild-geese plums plentiful, camp-meeting most here, cows all fresh, and the goose hangs high."

Capt. C. C. Cannon, of Lexington, will go to Washington in a few days, and make a fight for \$25,000 or \$30,000 more for the Kentucky troops who served in the Spanish-American war. He recently got \$68,000, but does not think it is sufficient. Gov. Beckham now has a check for this amount, but not a cent of it will be touched until more is given for all efforts to get more fait.

THOSE WHO ARE WAITING

Those who are waiting to see what will happen before they subscribe to the railway fund are proceeding on the principle of the Irishman who had no watch. He had to be at a certain place at 11:30 o'clock, and was a little worried that he might miss his appointment. A happy thought struck him. The factory whistle blew at 12 o'clock; he would go thirty minutes before the whistle sounded.—Advocate.

Miss Agnes Lameson, of Alto, is probably the youngest editor in Illinois. She is 19 years old, intelligent and well read. She is a graduate from the public schools, and last year attended the State University of Campaign. Two years ago she taught a country school, and during the summer months worked as printer in the office of the Alto Press Progress, of which a few months ago she was installed as editor. She furnishes the copy, sets the type, runs the job press, and, if necessary, the Washington hand press, and collects and solicits.

The evil doers of the village find in her an active opponent, as their sets are fringed by her and accounts of them published in the newspaper which she controls.

—The case of Bell Miller, who was tried recently and fined under the provisions of the Farris local option law as passed at the last session of the legislature, will be used as a test case to determine whether the Farris bill is applicable to Boyle and other counties in which local option prevailed before 1894. T. V. Puryear, attorney for Miller, will take the case before Circuit Court in September, and it may from there go to the Court of Appeals to secure a decision as to its constitutionality. The contention is that in Boyle county local option was voted under a law passed in 1890. The Farris law is amendatory to the law of 1894, defines additional infractions and provides additional penalties to those in the statute. If this can be proven, it is stated that the Farris law will be void so far as local option communities, like Boyle county, which became so under the previous act, are concerned. In that event, only the old regulations provided for in the law of 1890 could be legally enforced, here, and in order to get under the provisions of the Farris law a special election would have to be held, adopting the local option act of 1894 for Boyle county.—Advocate.

PHYSICIAN AND DRUGGIST.

For & Surgeon, a prominent drug firm at Rock Hill Station, Ky., writes: "We were requested by Dr. G. B. Snigley to send for Herbine for the benefit of our customers. We ordered three dozen in December, and we are glad to say, Herbine has given such great satisfaction that we have duplicated this order three times, and today we gave your salesman another order. We beg to say Dr. G. B. Snigley takes pleasure in recommending Herbine." 50c. a bottle at Chas. C. Davis' drugstore.

Judge Silener in the First District Police Court Saturday fined Dr. Getty's a West End Physician, for using profanity over a telephone.

According to defendant's testimony, he was at a summer garden and wished to telephone to his house.

After three-quarters of an hour he secured a connection, but by that time he had been worked up to the "cussing stage."

Judge Silener decided that profanity has no sufficient provocation; that profanity is always aggressive never protective, and therefore never excusable by the plea of self-defense; others hurled at a person in another jurisdiction by phone are punishable in the jurisdiction in which the offense is committed.

Australia supplies \$35,000,000 worth of wool a year.

QUAIL

M. G. Dowell is at home for the time being.

Mr. Vincent Poynter continues about the same.

H. G. Sutton has moved to his farm in the edge of Lincoln.

David Elder sold to Theodore Jones some cattle at fair prices.

A. G. Craig and George Marler attended court at Lancaster Monday.

S. I. Cummins went to Cincinnati and Newport Saturday night where he will be for two weeks.

Road working is the order of the day now, and the overseers are making many improvements over previous years.

There will be a debate at the Sawyer school house on Saturday night Sept. 6th 1902. Subject—Resolved: That there should be a Compulsory School Law in Kentucky. Affirmative, W. T. Mullins and Walker Owens. Negative, J. M. Craig and W. H. Owens.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS.

HON. GEORGE G. GILBERT, OF SHELBY.

H. H. HENNINGER,

Of Wayne county is a candidate for State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

THE SIGNAL has purchased the outfit and good will of the KENTUCKY COLONEL and will send our paper to those whose subscriptions to the COLONEL are unexpired. We desire to retain as many of the COLONEL'S subscribers as wish to continue to receive the full news of old Rockcastle and surrounding counties. THE SIGNAL has added three presses and a large assortment of new type to its outfit and will shortly add a cylinder press and increase the size of paper to seven columns. We intend that the SIGNAL shall be second to no paper in South Eastern Kentucky.

NEARLY half of the \$650,000 required for the erection of the National McKinley Memorial at Canton has been subscribed and optimistic comments are made upon the fact that whereas it took nine years to raise money for the Garfield Memorial and thirteen years to collect funds for Grant's tomb, this remarkable progress has been made in the McKinley fund in but nine months.

THERE is enough money in the oleomargarine business to secure the greatest ingenuity. The Commissioner of Internal Revenue is now considering whether the introduction of yellow palm oil into the manufacture, to give it the butter color, can be considered "artificial coloring." This is a neat strike.

A DISPATCH from Belfast reiterates the report that Mr. Morgan has closed a contract with the British admiralty, whereby the ships of the combine will be at the disposal of the British government in case of war. If this is so, Mr. Morgan has become a near relative of the people of the house of Astor and Crocker.

The Rev. Mr. Jeffries, father of the ring champion, pauses long enough in the past time of jubilation over his son's victory, to declare that he would have been glad to be present at the fight and pray for those who were there.

A MISSOURI editor, who no doubt keeps one of the anti-pleasure things at his own seaside side, in referring to a picnic: "Many of the men went out for pleasure, others were accompanied by their wives."

Emperor Wenelik, of Abyssinia, who will be an attraction at the St. Louis World's Fair, has lots of luggage back of him, as he is said to have decended in a direct line from Solomon, King of Judea.

The people of Buffalo were getting more than they paid for, so the health officer ordered the bakers to keep fly screens on their windows.

Captain Hobson is in great demand at Chautauques. It pays to be a hero, and a hero that is as intelligent as he, is also entertaining.

The Philippines are certainly becoming Americanized. The newspapers over there are already being sued for libel.

Official statistics show 18,040 deaths from Cholera in the Philippines since the plague started.

The beef trust is seldom heard of now, and still the price of meat remains at the top notch.

NEWS ITEMS

Soldiers were called upon to protect nonunion men in the anthracite region.

Gen. Miles has been granted permission by the War Department to visit the Philippines.

President Roosevelt will participate in a bear hunt in the South Carolina mountains next month.

Mrs. Dan McCambell, at Keeves, Tenn., poured molten lead into her husband's ear. He will recover.

Martin Collier has been arrested at Bedford, Ind., charged with poisoning his family by putting arsenic in the flour.

In Hart county Lawrence Moss, a farmer, shot and badly wounded Logan Renfro, a boy whom he caught in his melon patch.

Seven robbers held up a Northern Pacific train at Sand Point, Idaho, but failed in their effort to wreck the baggage car by dynamite.

A New York Supreme Court Justice decided that gross extravagance by a wife does not constitute a cause of action for a limited divorce.

Statistics from the census bureau gives the percentage of illiteracy among males of voting age in the country at 13 per cent, as against 10 per cent among the city men.

The Southern agency of the Royal Insurance Co., which is located at Louisville and managed by Barlow & Castleman, has changed its name and headquarters for the Southern agency will be moved to Atlanta, Ga.

The Ecuadorian Government gunboats have bombarded Ciudad Bolivar, the capital of the State of Bolivar, but the revolutionists still hold the city. Gen. Uribé has urged the Colombian revolutionists to continue the war until 1904, when, he claims, the French Panama Canal Company's charter will be invalid and negotiations can be carried on directly with the United States.

The Standard Oil Company will shortly begin the construction of a transit pipe line from Somerset to Parkersburg, W. Va. Surveyors will begin work immediately. The line to Licking river will be four inches, and from that point six inches. Lead pipes will enter the main line from the Knox county oil field, near Berhounville, and from the Ragland field at Licking river. Somerset is in mourning over giving up the hope of a refinery, but the operators in the oil field are jubilant.

POLITICS and POLITICIANS

John G. White is the Republican nominee for Congress in the Tenth district.

Commonwealth's Attorney Franklin will probably be a candidate for Attorney General.

The Republican Congressional Committee of the Fourth district will meet Aug. 30th at Lebanon.

A convention will be held at Nicholasville September 2nd, to nominate a Republican candidate for Congress in this district.

Hon. J. Mort Rothwell, of Lancaster, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney of that district.

An old gentleman was walking down one of the streets in Manchester when he saw a boy crying outside a house, and thinking he might comfort him, he asked him what was the matter.

"Father's laying the e-carpet down."

"Well, and does that unpleasant task make you cry?"

"No-no; he hit his thumb."

"Oh! You are sorry for your father, I suppose?"

"No-no, I laughed."

SHATTERS ALL RECORDS. Twice in hospital, F. A. Galdge, Verbeha, Ala., paid a vast sum to doctors to cure a severe case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve soon cured him. Subdues inflammation, conquers Aches, kills Pains. Best salve in the world, 25c at all druggists.

Adjoining Counties.

Charley Gilbert shot and killed Riley Owens, in Laurel county.

Robert and Will Hensley, of Madison county, charged robbing John Hunter of \$3,000, were arrested Friday in Clay county and brought to the proper authorities.

The sum of \$15,000 has already been raised by the people of Danville and Boyle county, to buy the right of way for the Southern railroad. The solicitation will not stop until the amount reaches \$25,000.

William Harp has been indicted for the murder of Jesse Barton at Corbin seven years ago. Barton's father has been working on the case ever since the killing happened, but was unable, until recently, to find any clue.

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.

D. C. POWYER, Adm'r., vs. J. P. V. S. Notice.

JEROME ADAMS, vs. J. P. V. S. Def't. Notice is hereby given that I will, on September 12th 1902, hold sittings in my office in Mt. Vernon, Ky., to hear proof of claims against the estate of David Adams, deceased, and all persons holding such claims against said decedent, must present their claims on that day, properly proven.

B. J. BETHURUM, Master Com., R. C. C.

Era Kendall has a new monologue. Here is a piece of it:

"I got down in the washroom of a sleeping car one morning when there were twelve people in the space designated for three. Finally I forced my way to a wash basin. I soaped up my hands and rubbed soap all over my face. Just then the train rushed around a curve and into a tunnel. The shock almost upset me. My face slipped out of my hands and right into the hands of the man next to me. He kept right on washing my face.

"Here," I said to him, "you're washing my face."

"Well, if I am somebody's gum tree then; that's all there is about it."

"I guess I have," said the third man; this face I'm washing, has been doing lots of talking and I haven't said a word."

"After a while the train ran out of the tunnel and I got my face back again."

"Here," I said, "somebody's gone and stuck his finger in my eye."

"Well, don't say a word," said the man next to me, "the face I was washing bit me."

The greatest size a horse has been known to grow is 20 1/2 hands high. This is the record of a Clydesdale which was on exhibition in 1889.

The condition of former Congressman June Vayle's somewhat improved.

At the conclusion of his New England joint President Roosevelt will make a visit to Tennessee and South Carolina.

"Was that an earthquake last night?" inquired the guest of the household.

"Didn't you hear it? We hoped you wouldn't," said the polite hostess. "At any rate, we have a cousin visiting us from Chicago. She was out dancing party last night and came a rather late—and I think she must have dropped one of her shoes."

Advertisement for WILBUR B. SMITH, a book-binding business, printer, and typewriter. Located in Lexington, Ky. Includes contact information and a list of services.

Danville was lighted by electricity Wednesday night. There was a thunderstorm.

It is a pity that editors do not read the newspapers. The Providence Journal thinks that Hon. J. Proctor now is dead, and the Richmond Register thinks he lives in Danville. If the belief of Col. Hardin, of Harrodsburg, as to the equivalence of these two alternatives be true, the Governor is fortunate in residing in Lebanon.

Ex-Governor William O. Bradley was in the city yesterday, looking better than usual and when asked by the Tattler, where he got his good clothes, he replied, "I stole them." The old "Gov." will tell the truth once in a while.—Lexington Democrat.

If the old "Gov." don't hurry up and pay that advertising bill of his defunct old oil company, we low to run an attachment on them clothes.—Somerset Journal.

JUST LOOK AT HER.

Whence came that sprightly step, faultless skin, rich, rosy complexion, smiling face. She looks good, feels good. Here's her secret. She uses Dr. King's New Life Pills. Result,—all organs active, digestion good, no headaches, no chance for "blues." Try them yourself. Only 25c at all druggists.

Advertisement for On Jellies PURE REFINED PARAFFINE. Includes an illustration of a candle and text describing its benefits for lighting.

NOTICE!

ON and after date and until further notice, we will pay the following prices for Split Hickory Spokes: Second Growth Butts, and Singletree Billets, delivered on any of our yards between Crab Orchard and Livingston, and between Livingston and Brush Creek:

Table listing prices for various sizes of hickory spokes and singletree billets. Columns include size (e.g., 1 1/2 on heart, 1 3/4 deep) and price per M.

All AB spokes must be made from good HEAVY SECOND GROWTH timber, and all spokes must be made from good, live hickory, free from knots, bird-pecks, wind shakes and all other defects. We will accept spokes made from either scaly or clear hickory, but we will not take spokes made from oak or nut hickory.

SINGLETREE BILLETS.—2 1/2 on heart, 2 3/4 deep, 46 in. long, \$3.00 per M. 2 3/4 on heart, 2 3/4 deep, 42 in. long, 28.00 per M. 2 1/2 on heart, 3 1/4 deep, 38 in. long, 23.00 per M. 2 1/2 on heart, 3 deep, 36 in. long, 20.00 per M.

Singletree billets must be made from good, live forest timber, free from all defects, and they must be the same grade of timber as D spokes.

WE are also in the Market for HICKORY RIM STRIPS. Prices for which will be furnished on application.

For any further information call on or address, THE ROYER WHEEL CO., LEBANON, KY. OR, L. L. JAKRETT, Insp't., Brodhead, Ky.

FREE SCHOOL-ASTUTE.—On Saturday August 30th, 1902, at the College in Mt. Vernon, Ky., beginning at 9 o'clock, a. m., will be held a competitive examination for free scholarships to Mt. Vernon College. Institute. Each Magisterial District in Rockcastle county will be entitled to one free scholarship and one for the county at large. Any one receiving a free scholarship must enter at beginning of the school, or failing to attend for 10 days, at any time, without good excuse, will forfeit the scholarship to the one receiving the next highest rank on the examination.

C. WILLIAMS, Chm. B. T. Crop estimates compiled from government's official figures indicate a yield of 2,561,490,000 bushels of corn, and 645,611,000 bush of wheat.

Advertisement for DOCTORS and Emulsion. Includes text about consumption and a small illustration of a man.



Gray Hair

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for over thirty years. It has kept my scalp free from dandruff and prevented gray hair from turning gray."—Mrs. F. A. Soule, Billings, Mont.

There is this peculiar thing about Ayer's Hair Vigor—it is a hair food, not a dye. Your hair does not suddenly turn black, look dead and lifeless. But gradually the old color comes back—all the rich, dark color it used to have. The hair stops falling, too. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Sold by J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

Uncle Sam's Mail Service

requires physical and mental ability of a high degree to withstand its hard labors. The high tension to which the nervous system is constantly subjected, has a depressing effect, and soon headache, backache, neuralgia, rheumatism, sciatica, etc., develop in severe forms. Such was the case of Miss Carter, S. F. Sweeney, of Huntsville, Ala., he says:

"A case of pneumonia left me with muscular rheumatism, headache, and pains that seemed to be all over me. I was unable to move for about a month until I decided to give Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and before I knew it, in three days I was again on my route and in two weeks I was free from pain and gained a new strength." Sold by All Druggists. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Advertisement for A Generation Ago Coffee. Includes an illustration of a woman sitting in a chair and text describing the coffee's quality and packaging.

CHAS. C. DAVIS

The Place to Obtain Fresh Drugs, Patent Medicines of all Kinds, Perfumery, Stationery, Toilet Articles, CIGARS and TOBACCO, Paints and Oils. PRESCRIPTIONS carefully Compounded at all hours, day or night. Phone No. 64.

Profit Sharing!

The Cincinnati Enquirer. \$97,000. To be distributed to such of its readers who care to engage in an intellectual and profitable study. A contest that will familiarize them with the population, voting power and government of the State of Ohio.

The Problem is, What will be the Total Vote in Ohio for Secretary of State at the general State election, to be held on Tuesday, November 4, 1902. \$12,000 will be presented to one making the nearest correct estimate. \$12,000 additional if an exact correct estimate is made, making a total of \$24,000 for a correct estimate.

An additional sum of \$10,000 will be given by the Daily Enquirer for an exact correct estimate if received on or before July 31, 1902, provided such estimate is made by a monthly subscriber to the Daily Enquirer at time of making such estimate.

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Mt. Vernon Signal

Mt. Vernon, Ky., August 29, 1902.

79 Call up "No. 1" when you want to communicate with SIGNAL.



TIME TABLE.

34 north	10:55 a m
26 north	1:04 a m
23 south	2:00 p m
27 south	4:30 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.
Phone No. 58.

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PERSONALS

T. J. Hansel was in from Pulaski.

Mrs. S. C. Franklin is visiting at Wildie.

W. C. Simpson was up from Pine Hill.

Mrs. Charlie Forbes was in town yesterday.

Willie Krueger is in Louisville buying goods.

Miss Risse Williams spent this week in Cincinnati.

Dr. John M. Williams was in Louisville yesterday.

Mrs. H. L. Tate was with relatives at Gum Sulphur.

Mr. and Mrs. Brack Graves were here visiting relatives.

Attorney B. J. Bethuram went to Louisville Tuesday.

Joe Brown returned from Bridgeport Ind. this morning.

Miss Anna Coleman is visiting homefolks at Frankfort.

Miss Susie Thompson is attending the London fair today.

J. E. Wallin, Broedack's splendid marshal, was here yesterday.

J. T. Adams and Harry Lee are taking in London fair to-day.

Mrs. Anna Miller is here from Washington, visiting relatives.

Price & Brown are doing a good mercantile business at Level Green.

Misses Winnie Adams and Bessie Houk went to Lancaster Tuesday.

Mrs. L. M. Frazer and Mrs. S. W. Davis are attending London fair.

Mrs. B. J. Bethuram and son, Jake, are visiting friends at Stanford.

Wm. Nicely, the Hansford merchant, is in Knoxville, laying in goods.

Mrs. U. G. Baker visited her parents at Mullins Station first of the week.

Vick Tate is blowing his horn with the London band at the fair this week.

Mrs. Sallie Williams is in Cincinnati buying her fall stock of millinery.

Mrs. Madam Nannie C. Albright and Emma Fish spent Sunday in Cincinnati.

Mr. Wells, of Rockford, father-in-law of section foreman Adams, is visiting here.

Miss Callie Adams, of Paint Lick, is visiting her cousin, Miss Ida May Adams.

Miss Susie Thompson went to London yesterday afternoon, to attend the fair to-day.

W. B. Whitehead will move his family to town so as to be handy to his work at his mill.

Walter Mullins is assisting Prof. Chesman's band in furnishing music for the London fair.

Dr. M. Pennington spent Sunday with his friend, Dr. W. J. Edmiston, at Crab Orchard.

Geo. Howell, the clever landlord of the Mullins' hotel, was up from Livingston Monday.

Henry Catron, our great stock dealer, was at the Lancaster court Monday with a big drove of stock.

Rev. W. L. Brook, of London, visited his sister, Mrs. E. S. Albright, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. Ewers and daughter, Gladden, had returned from a two months vacation at Winona Lake, Ind.

Dr. M. L. Myers of this place not only does fine dental work for others, but plugs, caps and bridges his own teeth as well.

The Misses Miller, of Lancaster, stay a mass of several weeks with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Miller, returned to their home Monday.

J. M. Tarpin, D. L. Carter, H. S. Brannaman and G. S. Griffin were, some of the familiar faces, seen here Monday attending the Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. John H. Williams and mother, Mrs. Kaha, who have been visiting Mrs. D. N. Williams for the past two weeks, returned to their home in East St. Louis, Ill., Tuesday.

LOCALS

The Knox county fair will commence next Wednesday.

The infant, of Mrs. J. U. Jewell who was killed by Joe Moore, died Wednesday.

MARRIED.—Charley Southards and Mrs. Ida Henderson were married at Pine Hill, Wednesday.

Quarterly Court has been changed, and will be held the first Monday in each month instead of ever quarter.

The South Eastern Kentucky Medical Society will hold its next meeting at Barbourville, on Friday night September 12th.

Remember the examination for free scholarships to the Mt. Vernon Collegiate Institute will be held at the College to-morrow.

Burton Owens was appointed administrator of his wife, Permelia J. Owens deceased, S. H. Martin, C. M. Cummins and J. J. McCall were appointed appraisers.

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John Baker and Mrs. Agniss Parker's little daughter will enter the College Monday. Mrs. Parker will keep house for the children, in Mr. J. W. Baker's residence opposite W. F. McClary's.

Wade Smith, charged with housebreaking, walked out of the court house while another trial was in progress. After a half mile walk he was returned in custody of Deputy Sheriff Clark. He now confesses guilt.

Mr. L. M. Westerfield, who was made master of trains, of the Cumberland Valley railroad some few months ago, has, at his own request, been returned to his old position at Livingston, as chief train dispatcher of the K. D. Mr. Westerfield is one of the most popular of the L. & N. officials, and the return of "Wes" as he is familiarly called, will be welcome news to the operators as well as his many other warm friends along the line.

Mr. A. H. Bastin has closed a deal whereby he gets possession of the Van Winkle lines in the city of Danville and now has charge of same. Extensive improvements will be made in the Danville exchange, the newest and best instruments put in, and Danville gives excellent service. Mr. Bastin is an energetic citizen, one of our best promoters, and if given any encouragement will go his length to give the people the best to be had.—Record.

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The Teachers Association of the First Magisterial district will meet at Green Hill school house Saturday Sept. 6.

Exceptions were filed in county court Monday, by Ex-Sheriff Henry Catron to the Sheriff's settlement made by Commissioner John W. Brown, and Sept. 5th is the time set for hearing same.

Everyone, when asked will say we want a dormitory and will do all we can towards helping the movement along, but work and not talk what goes, and doing anything? If there has ever been a single thing done by one of our citizens to help this cause along no one knows it. As stated in our last issue, in order to get this much needed building, some donations by our citizens must be made, as the money on hands is not sufficient to buy the grounds and erect the kind of building desired. Who will be the first to start the move to secure the grounds?

KILLED.—William Purdom, a brakeman on the Louisville Southern, and a brother of our barber D. S. Purdom, was killed in a wreck near Basey, Shelby county, Tuesday morning. Mr. Purdom was about to step from one car to another when the accident happened, and fell between the cars. His body was ground to a pulp and the cars between which he fell smashed to splinters. The remains were taken to Lancaster, his old home, for burial. Mr. Purdom was about thirty years old and unmarried, an exceedingly nice and industrious young man, and his untimely taking off, will be greatly deplored by all who knew him.

We have just received word from Rev. Dr. Chas. R. Hunt, who has been secured as an assistant principal of our school, that he will be on hands early next week. His wife will have charge of the music department. Both are experienced teachers, and will be a strong addition to our school. Mrs. Hunt has taught music several years in the city of Indianapolis, and Dr. Hunt was pastor of one of the churches of Indianapolis. We may all congratulate ourselves that we are to have such competent instructors in our school. The prospect never was better than at the present time for a good school. Friends of the College are cordially invited to be present at the opening next Monday morning September 1st, at 9 o'clock.

THE PRINCIPAL.

TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.

The Teachers Association, of District No. 2, will meet at Macedonia, on the 2nd Saturday in September. The following is the program:

Song by the choir; prayer by Rev. Wm. Williams. Welcome address by S. F. Brown. Response by Lee Chestnut.

"Value of imagination as a factor in character building," by Mrs. M. Pennington. Duet by Misses Minnie and Ella Lakes.

"Duties of Trustees" by J. A. Chastean and others. An Essay by Miss Pearl Mullins.

"Duties of Patrons" by Mr. T. J. Lakes and others. Solo by Miss Nannie Bales.

"How to secure the cooperation of the whole district." by Jno. McCracken, Sherman Chastean, J. L. Jones, W. D. Laswell.

"Best Methods of Teaching" the following branches: History, by Geo. Childress; Grammar, by Mrs. Scott; Reading, by Miss Nannie Lakes; Geography, by Mrs. M. Pennington; Physiology, by Miss Ella Lakes; Civil Government, by Miss Nannie Bales.

"Discipline," by Mrs. Jones. Debate. The subject: "Resolved: that woman is doing more for education, and the upbuilding of the country than man." Affirmative: S. F. Brown, Geo. Childress. Negative: T. J. Hall, Lee Chestnut.

LIVINGSTON

J. F. Cooper is on the sick list. Matt Ford is adjourning, at Felico this week.

J. E. Singleton spent a few days this week in Louisville.

Miss Pearl Cabell, of Rowland, is with Mrs. J. A. Mudd.

Engineer Crouser has moved his family back to Louisville.

Miss Carrie Morris will visit homefolks, at London, Friday.

Cecil Reynolds is visiting his grand-pa Mullins, at Brush Creek.

Mrs. J. R. Stuckey and son, John, were at Stanford, Wednesday.

Miss Virgie Morris is seriously ill at the home of Mrs. J. E. Singleton.

Misses Elizabeth, Judith and Mary Simpson are visiting at Pine Hill.

Mrs. E. S. Elmore and Menfee, returned home from Rowland, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brack Graves returned home, from Mt. Vernon, Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Parsley and Katie Lee Elmore, are attending the London Fair.

Mrs. Mattie Delp and son, Frank, are visiting Mrs. Eliza Mullins, near Mullins Station.

Miss Sallie Carmical, of Mt. Vernon, is visiting her brother, W. H. Carmical, near town.

Mrs. W. J. Childress and little son, Vermer Brown, are visiting relatives, at Orlando.

Mrs. J. H. Tucker and Miss Byrd Peters, of Maywood, are visiting Mrs. Russell Dillon.

Dr. J. S. Cooper has about recovered from his serious illness and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Kin Pike and children are guests of Mrs. George Howell, at the Mullins Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatter and family, of Covington, are spending a few days with Mrs. James Mullins.

Mrs. W. R. Dillon and daughter, Miss Linda, are visiting relatives at Stanford, Richmond and Wildie.

Tobe and wife, daughter, Clyde and son, John, of Mt. Vernon, are guests at George Cook's, this week.

Miss Pollie Owens returned to Barbourville Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Sallie Carpenter and little son, Milo.

John Hillout returned to his home in Knox county, Saturday, accompanied by his little grand-daughter, Willie Tubbs.

Mrs. Fannie Mahaffey and children, of Maywood, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Argenbright and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mudd and family returned home, Wednesday, from an extended visit with relatives, at Barbourville.

J. C. Hocker, J. W. Baker, W. C. Mullins, Willie G. Mullins, J. D. S. McKinney and W. F. Tubbs are attending the London Fair.

Mrs. Sue Mullins, Mrs. Sallie Carpenter and Wilmoth Poynter, J. F. Cooper and others composed a merry party to wild cat Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Susie Blankenship, who has been the guest of her brother, J. C. Hocker, and sister, Mrs. D. S. McKinney, returned to her home at Covington Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Brack Hayes entertained a number of her friends with an elegant dinner Monday. Among those present were Uncle Ashley Owens, Mesdames Sue Mullins, Carpenter, Griffin, Catron, Poynter and Miss Pollie Owens.

Miss Elizabeth and Judith Simpson entertained Tuesday evening with a dog party. Chocolate was served. Among those present, were Misses Bertina Mullins, Maggie and Lella Sambrook, Nora Tubbs and Cora Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin, and Mrs. Lou Argenbright, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mullins, Mesdames Geo. Howell, Geo. Reynolds, Harry MaGee and Brack Hayes, Misses Carrie Morris, Cora Adams, Annie Hayes, Ella Howell, Clara Griffin, Pollie Owens, Joe Catron and Rueben Mullins spent Sunday at Salt Peter Cave. They all report a jolly time, and who says Mrs. Hayes won't all the battens.

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 Grove Johnson visited his brother, George, at Wildie Sunday last.
 Newt. Seymore contemplates setting up a barber shop at Brush Creek.
 Misses Emma and Minnie Riddle visited Miss Queen Langford Sunday last.
 Miss Helen Singleton visited relatives at Mt. Vernon, Saturday and Sunday.
 Miss Nettie Stallsworth, of Livingston, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. Proctor, here this week.
 The young folks enjoyed themselves at a bean stringing at Mr. Mat Johnson's Monday evening.
 Gilbert Robinson, a steel shaker at Brush Creek, had his arm hurt very badly by a striker running off.
 Geo. Hayes, who moved his family to Missouri two years ago, returned to make Rockcastle his future home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Boreing and Miss Minnie Treadway visited relatives at Brodhead last week and took in the fair.
 Mrs. Nancy McHargue and Mrs. Houston McHerron, of Pine Hill, were visiting Mrs. Katie Proctor Wednesday of last week.
 Among those who attended the Brodhead Fair from this place, were J. G. Riddle and two sisters, Misses Emma and Minnie and Mr. and Mrs. Jarve Cook.
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