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For Congress, HON. HARVEY HELM.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce G. T. JOHNSON as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce FRED BOWMAN as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

The Presidential boom of Gov. Johnson, of Minnesota, has found but little favor from home not because of Gov. Johnson being unworthy or unfit for the high office, but because Bryan is the man of the hour, the man the people need and want, and one who, if the present condition signifies anything is certain to be hailed our chief executive for the next four years. What happy combination Bryan and Johnson or Bryan and McCleary would be.

LIVINGSTON

Louis Elmore, of Etowa, Tenn., who has been spending a week with his friend, Casper Adams, has returned to his home.—Mrs. W. H. Haver and children, of Ohio, who have been spending some weeks with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Orndorff, returned to their home Sunday.—William McClelland Johnson of Lancaster, was in town Monday but only remained between the trains.—I. J. Bruns, "the dry goods salesman from Cincinnati," was with us Sunday and Monday.

E. B. Endicot the "piano salesman, of Winchester, is with us again this week.—Dr. Dean, the dentist who has been in town for ten days left Monday for Danville. There are two more dentist yet at the Eight Gables.—The ice cream and strawberry supper was a great success in every respect, except the strawberries which were not altogether a failure. The committee placed the order with H. C. Lee for the berries but Harry did not get the order in time and had to beg for the kindness of J. P. E. Drummond who would have been completely disappointed but Pete, as usual was equal to the emergency and let us have ten gallons which he had just received for his own tooth, so that it could be said we had strawberries.

A number of his friends have come out of the West to test the drift of Democratic sentiment. They say the strong points in favor of Francis are his personal popularity and his excellent record as Mayor of St. Louis, Governor of Missouri, Secretary of the Interior in President Cleveland's Cabinet, and as President of the St. Louis exposition.

"He was never better," say his friends, "and should be nominated as Denver he would repeat in the Presidential campaign, the successes that have attended him in all his business, commercial, philanthropic and political ventures." Mr. Francis was born in the Eastern part of this county, his father moving to Richmond, Ky., where he was quite young. He is the first cousin of the late Capt. T. J. Ballard, of this county, the father of Supt. G. M. Ballard, and Bland Ballard, of Danville. He has his well known remedy for the cure of children, will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed plainly on the bottle, containing no opiates. Sold by CHAS. DEWEY, Danville, Ky.

Bowers the first of the week.—Supt. W. H. Anderson, Gen. Roadmaster Manly and Roadmaster Thos. Walker spent Wednesday and part of Thursday in our city.—Gene Orndorff is at home for a few weeks' rest and much needed rest.—We call attention of our Town Board again regarding the cleaning of our streets and premises. The citizens will talk among each other about such things and will give our Board the very best because they don't look after and clean up such places when it is their duty as citizens to go before the Board and make complaint and ask for such nuisances to be removed. There are some very offensive places in our little town and we are satisfied that our Board will have them looked after, but let's give them a fair deal and if they don't do it we will be justified in giving them a hail of public.—The following crowd of young folks spent Sunday afternoon at the noted pleasure spot, the "lettered rock" Messrs. Jackson, Tipkin, Kettig and Jackson, of the Bell Telephone corps of civil engineers, and W. C. Dugger, the snake charmer, and Misses Georgina McFerron, Anna Fishback, Cora Wright, Florence and Flora Pennington and Frank Alcorn. The crowd was chaperoned by Mrs. H. D. Magee and Mrs. W. V. Wright. As they have especially requested me to say nothing about their getting lost, I will of course respect their wishes. All reports a delightful time, especially the ride behind the splendid team of the engineers corps.—There was services at the Baptist church Sunday last, conducted by the regular pastor, Bro. Bush.—Thos. Dees and S. E. Pennington are beautifying their store houses by new coats of paint. Let the good work go on it certainly adds to the credit of our town to see newly painted buildings.

NEWS ITEMS

It is estimated that the coal bill of the Atlantic battleship fleet on its cruise around the world will reach \$5,000,000.

All the railroads in Oklahoma are tied up by washouts. Business has been suspended in several cities which received their light and heat through a natural gas main which went down with a bridge.

The British Schools and Universities Club, of New York, commemorated the birthday of Queen Victoria at a banquet at which Mark Twain delivered a eulogy on the late Queen. A message was received from King Edward.

The Russian Emperor and the Viceroys of the Caucasus have sanctioned an extension of the time limit of the Russian ultimatum in the case of the Persian bandits, demanding the payment of an indemnity for their depredations.

Democratic leaders in Congress have given up all hope of passing the campaign contributions publicity bill and say that the Crum-packer rider has effectively killed the measure. Representative James, of Kentucky, in an interview, severely criticizes the Republicans for their failure to carry out their promise to enact publicity legislation.

Harry K. Thaw will not be released from the lunatic asylum. Both points brought out by Thaw's attorneys were decided against him. Justice Morschauer declares that Thaw is insane and should not be allowed at large. He also declared that the committee to the lunatic asylum by Justice Downing after the last trial of the case was entirely legal.

Without opposition Savannah, Ga. was chosen as the place for the 1909 meeting at Monday's session of the Southern Presbyterian general Assembly.

The Hollowell night rides suits were compromised, an agreement being made by the Caldwell county defendants to pay \$25,000. All suits still pending are to be dismissed.

Representatives of the Southwestern coal operators and miners met in Kansas City and formally signed the working scale and agreement governing conditions in the mines for two years to come.

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How to Cure Constipation

Few people altogether escape a disorder of the bowels. You may catch cold, over-eat, over-drink, worry too much, not exercise enough or do a hundred and one other things, and have constipation or colic or costiveness. When the trouble comes it is well to know what to do for it. In the opinion of thousands there is no better cure for constipation than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup of Senna, which anyone can obtain for 50 cents or \$1 at a drug store, and it is a safe, reliable, and pleasant remedy. It is a natural, healthy, and pleasant remedy. It is a natural, healthy, and pleasant remedy. It is a natural, healthy, and pleasant remedy.

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A farm of 100 acres located near Pongo, in the southern part of the county. There are 75 acres in cultivation balance in timber and contains some first class oak and Splendid four room residence with necessary outbuildings. Good store room and black-smith shop. Well watered with two over flowing wells within a few feet of the house. Splendid young orchard of 100 or more trees. The entire boundary under good fence. Convenient to school-house post-office and church, and a splendid point for a good country store and blacksmith shop. A bargain if sold at once. For full particulars apply to A. F. FURNISH, Feb. 14-17, Mt. Vernon.

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PERSONAL

I. W. Rider is at home this week.

Frank Myers was with home-folks Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Catron is visiting relatives in the county.

Miss Mattie Joplin has returned from school at Lexington.

Mr. C. B. Lawrence is with her sisters, Mesdames Lawrence and Maret.

Elmer Lechleiter took the third degree in Masonry Monday night.

Mrs. M. J. Miller, Jr., spent several days in Louisville last week.

Mrs. E. S. Albright and children are with relatives at London this week.

Edgar Mullins has a position as traveling salesman for a Cincinnati shoe house.

Mrs. McMullin, mother of Jack McMullin, is very well and not expected to live.

Mrs. A. W. Soward, of Barbourville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Carmical.

Mr. J. L. Joplin is here this week mixing and mingling with his many friends.

Miss Lula McCoy has returned from Midway where she attended school last year.

Chester Landrum has returned from Winchester where he attended school last year.

Mrs. J. W. Riddle, of Walnut Grove, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hale, at this place.

Mat Cummins was over from Cartersville for a few days this week visiting relatives and friends.

Dr. E. J. Brown, of Stanford, is spending three weeks in Chicago attending a special course of lectures.

T. M. Noe and F. F. Hensley are in Harlan county this week looking after some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Oliver were guests of the families of A. H. Hamlin and James Meadows from Sunday until Tuesday.

Misses Rilla Hiatt and Jennie Davis are spending the week in the country, the guests of Miss Minnie Hiatt, of Hiatt, Ky.

Little Miss Sallie Stewart, a Brown Memorial student, spent Saturday and Sunday with her father, L. T. Stewart, at Wildie.

Dock Chandler and Wix Dillon completed their work in the postal service Tuesday. Mr. Chandler will teach at Corbin this fall.

Miss Elizabeth Adams returned from Campbell-Hagerman college yesterday. She has as her guest her school chum, Miss Theodocia Peck.

Mr. J. M. Hensley, of Texas, is visiting the families of his brother-in-law, L. A. Bowman, of Conway and nephew, Felix Bowman, of this place.

Mrs. C. B. Henderson and children have returned to their home at Somerset, after spending three weeks with her father, W. A. Davis, at this place.

Dock Langford was in London Sunday to see his brother, Biza, who is getting well, but is still not much improved to go about most any place he desires.

Hon. W. H. Shanks, of Stanford, candidate for Democratic Executive Committee for the Eighth District, was here between trains Wednesday. All Democrats whom we have heard express themselves as for Lincoln's candidate, a split did man and good Democrat.

LOCAL

A party of about twenty five from the East... a most delightful day... on the banks of Roundstone...

Mr. Jim Baker is able to be out again after an illness of two weeks.

Mr. Beatty is progressing nicely with his mill horse.

A council of Red Men is being organized here. Dr. R. W. Dyche is the promoter.

See the entertainment at the Court-House this evening for benefit of Christian church.

Whooping cough is still raging, there being several new cases developed in the last few days.

Little Lilly Ada, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mill Mizel of near Orlando is dead.

Rev. A. J. Pike will preach at the Baptist church Saturday evening, Sunday morning and evening.

Next week will be the closing exercises of the Brown Memorial School and every body is cordially invited to attend each and every exercise.

CHEAP RATES.—The L. & N. will sell tickets to Louisville June 8, to 10, limit June 15, for \$4.12 round trip, on account of General Association of Kentucky Baptists.

Jarvis Noe, age 17 years, son of Mr. T. M. Noe, was poisoned Sunday by eating strawberries. Dr. S. C. Davis was called at once and in a short time had him out of danger. He is now able to be at his work.

For only \$2.00 you can get the Courier-Journal daily or the Louisville Times until Dec. 31, and the SIGNAL for one year. See ad found elsewhere in this issue. Send in your order early, the sooner the longer your time for the dailies.

The farmers were never known to be so far behind with their work at this time of the year. There has been so much rain, that it has been impossible to get any work done. In some sections the situation has become alarming and the farmers are becoming very dispondent over the situation.

We call the attention of our marshall to the shooting on the streets with 22 rifles at birds, which if not stopped will most certainly result in something serious. So long as it is done only by the grown up people, there is but little danger, but the boys will soon be the principal ones and they are danger comes, not from any intentional act but pure carelessness.

The jury in the trial of Charley Cooper, failed to agree. The jury stood ten for convict and two for acquittal. The report was circulated here Saturday afternoon that the jury stood ten for life sentence and two for hanging, but it was entirely wrong and we do not understand how such a serious mistake could have been made.

For the benefit of the business men who were present at the convention recently attended in the afternoon, Miss Taylor has arranged for the closing exercises of the Brown Memorial School to take place Thursday evening promptly at 8 o'clock. A considerable sacrifice had to be made to arrange for this night meeting and we trust that the business men will mark a special effort to be present.

The verdict of the lower court in the case of H. R. Roberts, et al., vs. A. W. Stewart, giving the plaintiffs \$1000 judgment, sent up from the Rockcastle circuit court, has been reversed and the case comes back for another trial. This is a case in which H. R. Roberts and his brother claimed that for services rendered Mrs. Stewart as real estate agents, they were entitled and nephew, Felix Bowman, of this place, refused to pay upon the ground that he had been misled and was deceived in the matter. The case will likely come for trial again at our next term of court.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Persant to a call of the Democratic State Executive Committee, the Democrats of Rockcastle county are requested to meet in the Court House in Mt. Vernon, at two o'clock p. m. Saturday June 6, 1908, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention which meets in Lexington, Ky. June 15th 1908, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the National Convention which meets in Denver, Colo. July 7th 1908, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for President and Vice President.

JOSIAS MCKENZIE, Chm. Mt. Vernon, Ky. May 27th 1908.

A game of ball between Mt Vernon and Walnut Grove, is scheduled for this afternoon to be played on the former's grounds.

The private school of Miss Ida May, Adams closes today. Ice cream and cake will be served to the entire school this afternoon at her father's residence.

Lost.—Between Brown Memorial School and J. P. Lechleiter's last Sunday week, a baggy robe.

W. T. CARPENTAR, Brodhead, Ky. We would suggest to our town board and the marshal that there are several hog pens within the corporate limits, which should be removed.

CORRECTION.—In our last issue we stated that Mr. Ed. Smith and Mrs. Lou Jones were to be married on a certain date, but were prevented by Mrs. Jones receiving a serious injury. We gave it as it was given to us, but as it was untrue we gladly make the correction. It was only a report started without any foundation.

CHEAP RATES.—The L. & N. will sell round trip tickets to Birmingham for \$7.55. June 6, 7 and 8, limited to June 20th, on account of Annual Reunion Union of Confederate Veterans; Cincinnati for \$7.90 June 11 and 12, limited to June 19, on account of 15 days on account Summer School of the South.

Because of her alleged attentions to another man, Helen Nichols, a negro woman twenty-three years of age, was stabbed to death by her husband, Theodore Nichols, shortly after 8 o'clock Tuesday night. The affair took place in an alley between Fifteenth and Sixteenth and Harard and Gallagah streets, where Nichols had concealed himself to watch her. Nichols was arrested about while later by patrolmen Murphy and Ote and charged with murder. Nichols was formerly a boiler washer in the employ of the Illinois Central railroad.

Because he expressed regret over his crime last night and said that he is satisfied to let the law take its course, Lemmie Rowland, the deceased was a daughter of John Taylor, a respected colored man of our town. The remains were brought here on last night's train for burial.

ENTERTAINMENT The Merry Widow.

Given under the auspices of the Willing Workers for benefit of Christian Church, AT COURT-HOUSE FRIDAY EVENING, May 29.

- CAST OF CHARACTERS: Mrs. Milford, Miss Anna Tate, Rose Milford, Miss McKenzie, Polly Dowler, Miss Lizze Adams, Sooky Button, Miss Daisy Fish, Kile Brantford, A. B. Farnish, Frank Colowick, C. D. Sutton, Ike Hopper, W. H. Krueger, Zeke, W. H. Fish, Sheriff, Dr. Dyche. NIGHT RIDERS: Chas. McKenzie, P. L. Thompson, Jr. and Sherry Tate.

PROGRAM.

- ACT I: The Milford estate. The contested will. Conspiracy of Brantford and Mrs. Milford. ACT II: The will set aside. Frank and Rose Peniless. Brantford's annoying attentions to Rose. Quarrel of Frank and Brantford. The latter plots vengeance. Bob Button the spy. Rose's humiliating situation as a meal. ACT III: Meeting of the Night-riders at the haunted cabin. Ike and Zeke concluded to listen. Their great danger. Scene II.—Cliffville jail. Frank under arrest. Assaulted by Bob Button. Desperate encounter. Frank escapes and soon Rose enters to release him. Brantford's triumph cut short by the timely arrival of Ike and Zeke. Storm scene. The flight. ACT IV: Brantford's absolute power over the Milford family. His continued attentions to Rose. His threats to foreclose the mortgage. ACT V: Attempted escape of Rose. Her recapture. Brantford's triumph suddenly ended by Sheriff's posse. Happy denouement. Don't forget the Merry Widow entertainment at the Court-House this evening. George Owens, set monument man as is Langford yesterday leading a car load of stone for base material.

BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOOL.

- Examinations take place June 1st and 2nd. On Thursday, the 4th, at 8 o'clock p. m. the closing concert will be given. All are cordially invited. 1. Recessional, De Koven. By the entire school. 2. Lovely June, Arditi. Obligatory Pupils. 3. Selections from Warwaga, Bellini. 4. When th heart is young, Buck. 5. Selections from "Fille du Regiment", Donizetti. Orchestra. 6. Morn' Evee, Dezza. Marchals. Mrs. J. W. Rider, Miss Thackwell, Miss McIntyre, Maud Gutrie. 7. Elegy, Massenet. Mr. James McDonald. (Violin obligato, by Miss Smith.) 8. Voices of the past, Greene. Leilig Mae Lovell and Maud Gutrie. 9. Fidd' and I, Goodeve. (Violin obligato by Miss Smith.) 10. Spring Song, Finsult. O'er the Valleys and the Hills, Balfe. Leilig Mae Lovell and Maud Gutrie, Mr. McDonald and Miss McIntyre. 11. Song without words, Mendelssohn. Miss Willana H. Smith. 12. Hoop to Our Mountains, Verdi. Mrs. J. W. Rider and Mr. McDonald. 13. Selections from "Carmen", Bizet. Handing chorus from Freyschutz, Weber. Orchestra. 14. Italia, Donizetti. Miss Smith, Mrs. Rider, Miss Thackwell, Maud Gutrie, Mr. McDonald, Claud Thompson.

TO THE INSURING PUBLIC.—On April 18th, I suffered a loss of my entire stock of goods by fire, which was insured in the New York Underwriters Agency represented by Mr. E. S. Albright of Mt. Vernon. On May 5th, I received a check in full settlement of every dollar called for in the policy. I can heartily recommend Mr. Albright and his companies to any one, wanting fire insurance. Very Truly, C. H. FRIZZ.

Commencement exercises of Berea College will take place June 3.

NOTICE.—Call at W. H. Baker's next week for bargains. A nice line of Queensware will go at cost. 42 piece dinner set \$4.98. A nice lot of odd pants and Men and Boys suits and hats at cost. Silks 39cts; 10 cent ginghams at 6 1/2 cts; only one \$16.50 sewing machine left, which will go at \$12.50; Best call 60 6/8 and 5 cents per yard. Best line of shoes in the county, all will go at cost. These prices will continue till June the 1st. Home ground meal for sale. Call while these prices last. W. H. BAKER, Langford, Ky.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion. The effect of malaria lasts a long time. You catch cold easily or become run-down because of the after effects of malaria. Strengthen yourself with Scott's Emulsion. It builds new blood and tones up your nervous system. ALL DRUGGISTS; 50c. AND \$1.00.

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- Suits worth \$16.00 now \$13.00
- Suits worth 15.00 now 12.00
- Suits worth 12.00 now 9.00
- Suits worth 8.00 now 6.50
- Suits worth 7.50 now 5.50

YOUTHS'

- Suits worth \$5.50 now \$4.00

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- Suits from 80 cents to \$2
- Boys' Corduroy pants were 50 cents now 39 cents

Prices on Shoes the same as other goods. Come while they last

Don't forget the Cash.

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A lot of Ladies Skirts, were \$3 to \$4, now \$1.50 to \$2.50; a great bargain

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A fine lot of new Rubbers fresh from the factory at cut prices. In fact everything is 20 per cent less than regular price.

A lot of Linolium Carpet and Rugs.

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O. K. STORE, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

SPLENDID RECORD.

Believing that our readers would be glad to more thoroughly familiarize themselves with the life, works and character of Gov. Johnson, who is being advocated for the Democratic nomination for President, we give space to the following, which has been sent out in plate form by the Minnesota Democratic Club, who are pushing Gov. Johnson's nomination.

John H. Tolan, a lawyer of Anacosta, Mont., a lifelong acquaintance and friend of Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota, writes in regard to his father's candidacy:

"You are taking the proper and sane view of the situation. What is needed to secure his nomination. Once let the American people get close to this man, learn his early history and struggles, as I know them; feel his friendship, love and kindness for his fellow men, as I have seen it, and no power on earth can detract him from placing him at the head of our federal government."

Mr. Tolan has summed up briefly one side of the great governor of Minnesota. He is a most lovable man—a man who makes friends of all whom he meets. In this respect, as in some others, he has been compared to the great Lincoln.

Gov. Johnson is a man of the people. Not even Lincoln came up from greater obscurity and greater poverty than the virtile governor of Minnesota. He understands the people as perhaps no other American statesman, for Lincoln has understood them—and the people understand him.

As a Democratic Gov. Johnson appeals to the thoughtful members of his party, because he is prominently known to make and bend his decisions on elements into a competent, enthusiastic, well-organized militant political force.

Gov. Johnson appeals to the people regardless of party, because he has a record of achievement behind him that guarantees that if he is chosen to the great office of president he would fill it in a manner wholly satisfactory to a vast majority of the plain people of America.

Four Swedish Immigrants. Gov. Johnson's mother and father were immigrants from Sweden, the former arriving in St. Peter, Minn., in 1852, and the father a year later. They were married in 1858. The father was a blacksmith in Sweden, and took up his trade in his new home, conducting at first a small blacksmith shop in the country near St. Peter. Later the family moved into the village, and it was here, July 1861, that one John was born. The father was cursed with the drink habit and, in consequence, after a few years of poverty, the family was reduced to desperate straits. So dire was their poverty that the mother had to take her washing for a living, and the son, John, acted as her delivery boy. When in his twentieth year, the death of the little family, consisting of the mother and father and three children, had reached such a point that John begged his mother for permission to quit school in order to help her. She reluctantly acquiesced, fearing that her son would never be able to return to school. This fear was fully justified, for after that time the future governor of Minnesota knew the four walls of the school no more.

The boy went to work in a general store in the village at \$10 a month, the every cent of this money being turned into the family treasury. His spare moments from the store were devoted to delivering newspapers for his mother, and the earnings of mother and son were sufficient to keep the little establishment afloat. As time went on their condition improved with John's increasing salary. Two and his mother to work was receiving \$12 a month; soon he was getting more. From this time on the mother was compelled to work for the family maintenance. The son provided the entire income, and the mother returned to her proper sphere of housekeeping and caring for the family. From the general store, John went into a drug store, where he stayed for about twelve years and became a licensed pharmacist. Later he was employed by a railway contractor in Minnesota and Iowa, and at that time, in his early 20's, his income averaged about \$15 a month. All this time, whether at home or away, he regarded himself as the head and mainstay of the family, and provided for his mother and sister for their education. In addition to educating the children, he also took care of his mother and sister who survived "early childhood."

Not Embittered by Poverty. Although John had thus to leave home in his early 20's, he was not embittered by poverty. He became a great student and soon read every book in the village library. In his leisure time he read the first three books he read after leaving school were Prescott's two histories of the conquistadors, Peru and Mexico and Scott's "Voyages." While thus extending his knowledge and intellectual horizon, he at the same time grew in the other fields of life. Hard as his struggle had been, he had not become embittered by it, but had as large a part as possible in the village social life. He seldom missed a dance. He attended church and belonged to the choir. He joined the various fraternal lodges, after the habit of men in small villages. He was known to everybody in the village, and everybody was his friend. He had interested in the life of his fellow men, but the life led by all his friends and neighbors.

The turning point in Gov. Johnson's career—the point from which he began to be a public man—came with the opportunity to become editor of the village paper—the St. Peter Herald. This opportunity was given to him by

man who had been without any newspaper training. He began to impress those who knew him as a man provided with a natural sentiment which qualified him to undertake almost any responsibility. The owners of the paper asked him to edit the paper, and with it took on a larger service in the community.

Sitting around the big stove in the drug store during the long winter evenings, he had finished Democratic doctrines from the local politicians who had congregated there, and, as he felt in Democratic political tenets and a loyal adherent of the party, Johnson had a natural gift for speaking, and as he had now become a man of note in his little home community, he had many opportunities to exercise this gift. At first he came to be recognized as a fluent, easy, adaptable speaker, always certain to say the right thing at the right time, and always sure to say something worth hearing. Between his speaking ability, his ability as an editor, and his reasonable mind-qualities, he was scarcely 30 years old when he was recognized as the leading Democratic orator of Minnesota.

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BRODHEAD.

Mr. A. W. Hiatt has returned from three week's stay in Danmor, where he acted as cashier of the Danmor Bank, while Cashier McCullough was attending the bedside of his wife, who is much improved in health we are glad to say.—Fred Pike of Livingston, was visiting relatives and friends here Wednesday.—Quite a crowd of the youngsters spent last Sunday afternoon with Bogus Smith in the country. They report a very enjoyable time eating strawberries and cake.

Miss Rosa Pike is spending the week on Copper creek with her sister, Mrs. Robert Hicks.—Miss Cora Wesley of Liberty, is spending a week here with her grand mother, Mrs. Mollie S. Durham.—G. L. Waterbury Assn. Cashier of the Pine Knot Banking Co. at Pine Knot Ky., was here Tuesday to see Cassier J. W. Hutcheson.

W. J. Featherstone and W. H. Krueger of Mt. Vernon were down Sunday' falling on two of our good looking girls.—Chas. R. Pike is improving very fast and we hope to be able to see him out in a very short time.—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Leece have moved to Williamsburg where Mr. Leece holds a very lucrative position with the L. & N.

Mr. A. M. Mernon and children, of Crutcher's, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Percy Benton. H. P. Brooks and John Robins were in Mt. Vernon on business last Monday. Mrs. W. A. Hunt returned Wednesday from a visit to her father-in-law, Mr. Pack Hunt, at Morehead.—Dr. F. Carter and Miss Kate Cable visited friends in Casey's only last week.—Miss Mattie W. left last Saturday for Williamsburg to spend two months as the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Brooks.—The announcement in the SIGNAL last week with reference to Ed Smith going to be married proved to be untrue with the regret of some of Ed's friends, as they were expecting to get a big treat.—Mrs. J.

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