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FRIDAY, Jan. 24, 1901.

Announcements.

CONGRESS. The friends of Rowland C. Burns beg to announce that he is a candidate for Congress in this district in 1902, subject to the action of the Republican party. He believes that a mountain man is as good as any one.

In the Kentucky Legislature, Tuesday Representative Money, of Fleming county, introduced a bill to substitute Grant county for Carter county as a part of the Ninth Congressional District.

Frank Rakowski, a United States soldier, was sentenced to be dishonorably discharged from the service and to serve a term of ten years in the military prison at Alcatraz Island for threatening the life of President Roosevelt.

Mrs. J. M. Arnold, State president of the Daughters of the Confederacy heartily approves the action of the various chapters of the organization in Kentucky in denouncing the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" shows.

Washington Evening Post.

Two members in the House who are constantly taken for each other are Representatives Williams, of Illinois and Kehoe of Kentucky. They are about the same height, tip the scales within a few pounds of each other, have dark complexions, black hair, smooth faces and talk very much alike. On Thursday during the consideration of the Nicaragua Canal Bill Mr. Kehoe jumped into the debate and made his maiden speech. It was a capital effort and he was warmly congratulated at the time. Nearly all day yesterday he was greeted with this:

"Williams, I want to congratulate you. I heard your speech and it was all right. Give me an order for a few copies, I want to send them home."

"Much obliged for your compliment," Kehoe would say, "but I am not Williams. My name is Kehoe, and I am from the Ninth Kentucky District. And I made the speech, not my friend Williams."

HULETT

There was church here last Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Miller. Harry Nanley is visiting at G. M. Frashers.

R. H. Billups visited home folks last week.

Fred and Homer Queen bought a fine drove of cattle.

D. A. O'Daniel lost a fine horse recently.

It is intended for W. M. Bostick, Jr. to teach our school this winter.

W. M. Burton has been on the sick list.

Sarah and Carrie Frasher were here Sunday.

Burg Kinner and brothers have purchased 200 bushels of corn from S. G. Queen.

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A. M. Hughes.

LITTLE BLAIN.

Allen H. Thompson was visiting on our creek recently.

A. L. Moore & Co. have moved their saw mill to Ves. Jordan's to do some sawing for the people of Rich Creek.

W. B. Prose was on our creek the other day.

Bennie Howard is building a house on Jeff Ball's place which adds much beauty to our creek.

John Jordan has completed a nice barn for his place.

Mrs. Webster Poe is very ill.

W. H. C. Moore and wife visited at Rev. Jack Castle's recently.

Jan. Jordan is talking of locating at David Castle's in the near future.

F. M. Moore is still attending Dad's mill.

Joe Moore (Nancy's son) says he is one of the nine and if you don't believe him just ask M—M—.

F. M. Moore is getting along fine with his school.

Thomas Ball is still buying up horses. Also, Joe Cyrus bought a fine gray from Tom Hays recently.

H. K. Moore, our C. L. C. says he can catch them.

Dillon Moore lost a fine ox the other day.

Jan. Elderman, of Columbus, O., visited on our creek recently. We wish he could have stayed with us longer.

Permanent County Improvements.

Let the battle of stone culverts and dirt fills in our county roads go on. Timber is getting sounder and lumber getting higher every day. The bridge builders will oppose this class of work. They will all they can to mislead the fiscal court and capture the R. & B. commissioners if possible. Every taxpayer's eyes should be wide open to see that no more cheap, worthless road tunnels are built where stone and dirt can be used. In many places where there is good stone and sufficient dirt handy the work can be done for less than the cost of wooden tunnels, but should it cost a third or fourth more it is cheaper in the long run. It requires considerable knowledge to construct this class of work, so that it will stand the test of storm and flood. The county has suffered considerable loss in a number of instances, on account of culverts, not being properly constructed.

Mistakes have been made heretofore which we should evade hereafter. It is not out of place to mention some of the most common mistakes. One is in not using log apron rock under the foundation with good paying between another is not using stone large enough to the wall, and a bad mistake is in not having heavy stone for cover. A large number of culverts have broken down and cost half as much to repair them as a new one. Another mistake is not making a larger opening for the water. Sudden floods have washed out several culverts, simply because the water could not go through. Another mistake is one half of the culverts have not been long enough, the result is the dirt slips down over the end of the culvert and fills it up. The water, the water dams above, and the whole thing washes out.

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MOUNT PLEASANT.

Indications are good for the commencement of a revival here in the near future. It is surely needed badly enough.

The roads from here to Louisa are in fine condition, better than ever known before at this time of year.

Jimmie Rice has returned home from Panther, W. Va., and gone back to Luck No. 2 to work on the Sand boat.

March 10th will soon be here, and with it comes "Resters' moving time." A great many houses will be made in this community.

Geo Simpson had a barn-raising last week.

William Targe has concluded to wait a few days longer in order to thoroughly investigate the matter, before he enlists in the U. S. Army.

We notice Bob Peterman making regular trips in the direction of Smoke Valley. The question is, does he go that far?

C. F. See is cutting saw logs and hauling them to the mill at Louisa.

Nic McGuire has been attending the revival at Fallsburg for the past two weeks. Nic says the roads are so much nicer by the way of Fuller station. That may be so, but Miss Cornette lives along that route which makes the difference.

Ezra Rice returned from Catsburg today and will return tomorrow morning to join a drifting party down the Ohio river.

Pat Kinney was here recently making a call on his old flame, aunt Sally Mills.

Mrs. Nic Arnett is very sick.

Smith Crabtree met with a very painful accident in Martin County last week. He was at work on the Gas line when one of the workmen let a pair of pine tongs fall striking him across the wrist, shattering it badly. He is now better.

Taylor Eraxer, of Donathan, is visiting his father, J. C. Frazier, of this place.

Willy.

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Just Across the River

In West Virginia.

Bishop P. Ferguson and Miss Isa Booth, of Wayne county, were married at Trouton Sunday.

Huntington barbers have formed a combine and raised prices. One of the new departures is 5 cents for shaving the neck.

Capt. John Alexander Armstrong, aged seventy-four, one of the best-known river men between Pittsburg and Cincinnati, died in the hospital at Huntington.

Dr. Hopkins, of the West Virginia Experimental Station has sent our circulars warning fruit growers of the appearance of the seventeen year locust, which he says will appear in the eastern and southern portions of this State.

Three Huntington boys, age 12 to 15, sons of prominent families, robbed three stores in Huntington Thursday night, by breaking the plate glass windows. They were captured and will probably be sent to the reform school. Names are withheld for parents' sake.

Representative Hughes, of West Virginia, has filed an application for the establishment of a national bank at Williamstown, W. Va., with a capital of \$25,000, of which ex-Senator Henderson, of West Virginia, is to be one of the incorporators.

Wayne, W. Va.—Constable Mat Dameron has captured Tom and Floyd Curry, members of the Curry gang, who had eluded arrest for two years. Recently they held up Special Constable Marion Dameron, and relieved him of the warrants he had for their arrest.

Mrs. Belle A. Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Christy, of Central City, and wife of the late Rev. L. E. Peters, prominently known in this section of West Virginia has arrived here accompanied by her four children and will make her future home with her parents on Washington avenue. She came from Tacoma, Washington, at which point her husband died, and the trip was made here in four and a half days.—Huntington Advertiser.

Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, of Elkins, W. Va., the millionaire railroad and coal operator, enroute home from the City of Mexico, where he spent nearly two months being Chairman of the United States delegation for the Pan-American Congress, before leaving telegraphed \$100,000 as a gift to his only grandson, Henry G. Davis, Jr. The child is the son of John T. Davis, of Elkins, the only son of the Senator, and is the only grandson bearing the name of Davis. He was born several days ago. He has one sister. Ex-Senator Davis has one son and three daughters. Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Mrs. R. M. G. Brown and Mrs. Arthur Lee.

It keeps the Feet Warm and Dry. Ask today for Allen's Foot Ease, a powder. It cures chills, swollen, sweating, sore, aching, damp feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c.

Thinking perhaps some of the people in your section of the country would like to learn more of the state of Washington and the beautiful Wenatchee Valley, I thought I would write a letter describing it as best I could. I will, in the first place, tell you where the Wenatchee Valley is located.

It is to the exact center of the state of Washington. The name, Wenatchee Valley, is generally used to denote the land lying on either side of the Wenatchee river, for the lower thirty miles of its course, before its junction with the Columbia river. This valley varies in width from one to five miles, and comprises about seventy-five thousand acres of choice agricultural land. On either side of the Valley rise the foot hills of the Cascade mountains covered with pine and fir timber.

Most of the land in the valley requires irrigation. Without water the land is not worth much. But with water it is valued from two hundred to five hundred dollars per acre. Our climate cannot be beaten anywhere. East of the Cascades the valley has a very dry climate. Owing to the protection of the surrounding mountains there is very little wind in winter and sudden changes in temperature. The predominant industries of the Valley is fruit raising, gardening and dairying. Vegetables of all kinds are raised here with great success. Tomatoes are very profitable and do well.

Alfalfa is the leading forage crop. It yields about two tons to the cutting, and usually during the season they have three to four cuttings. This hay is excellent for cattle and horses. After the last cutting in the fall the stock is turned on the pasture and kept on it most of the winter. South and east of the Columbia river, encircled by its Big Bend, is the Big Bend Plateau, the finest of cereal producing sections and stock ranges. The grass on the

range is called "couch grass," as it grows in little bunches. Here in the Big Bend during the season nearly one million bushels of wheat has been raised. Most of which was shipped via the Columbia river by boat and wagon to Wenatchee, then to be placed on cars for transport.

The town Wenatchee is a thriving little place. About one year ago there was about six hundred inhabitants. Now in the corporation it numbers about thirteen hundred.

We have a large brick school building and court house. The cost of construction was twenty-five thousand dollars.

Wenatchee is situated between two thriving cities, Spokane and Seattle. The latter is one of the most thriving cities in the west.

The town will soon have electric lights and it also has a telephone system. The telephone Company is planning great improvement in connection with their service during the season. A thorough long distance phone will be run from Spokane to Seattle. This will be tapped at three places, viz: Wenatchee, Harrison and Everett. One can have a phone in his residence for the small amount of one dollar and twenty-five cents.

We have good churches and fine schools. Today the educational system of Washington stands preeminent for thoroughness, excellence and the high standard of the various studies taught.

We think there is no place in America more beautiful than parts of Washington.

There are men here now who came west all broken in health and fortune, with no strength and no hope. Today these men are healthy and happy and have good homes. It is very easy to make a living in Washington.

Well, as my letter is getting rather lengthy I think I had better stop for fear of the waste basket.

If there is any one who reads this would like to know more about Washington write to me and I can give you any more information will gladly do so. Yours Truly, Eunice E. Lemaster.

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A rumor which seems to be reasonably well founded is in circulation to the effect that the Norfolk & Western railroad is preparing to change its route from Twelve Pole to the Tug river and Big Sandy Valley, and that the change will be made during the next season. The length of this new piece of road will be about 75 miles.

It is well known that from the point where the road leaves Tug river and crosses over to Twelve Pole, and all the way down to Kenova, the road is necessarily so crooked and has so many heavy grades that trains can not be operated over it to the best advantage. Heavy trains require an extra amount of motive power, and rolling stock suffers serious wear in going over the road at any great speed. It is also well known that the route down the Big Sandy valley and Tug fork is excellent, furnishing an even and steady grade and no extreme curves. The road could also be built along that river at a comparatively low price, and operation of trains over it would be economical and satisfactory.

It is said the Twelve Pole line would not be abandoned, but that only local business would be handled over it, all through business coming down Big Sandy. The Twelve Pole route is well built and cost a large sum of money. There are 100 bridges within 99 miles in this division. This was made necessary by the crookedness of the Twelve Pole stream.

"The Government Improvement of our river—the Big Sandy—is proving of great benefit to all our section of the state," said Thomas R. Brown, the prominent Catlettsburg attorney, who was at the Emery, "and the lock and dam at our city at the confluence of the Big Sandy and the Ohio give us a good harbor. Eastern capitalists are buying up the coal lands in the counties above us in great areas."

March 1st to April 30th, 1902, the Norfolk & Western Railway. will sell tickets to Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and Coast Points at exceedingly low rates from all stations. It is possible rates to the west will never be so low again; choose of three routes. Write for rates and schedules, say to what point you are going and your nearest station to this line. See any agent N. & W. Ry. or W. B. Bevil, Gen. Pass. Agent, M. F. Bragg, Trav. Pass. Agent, Booneville, Va.

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"Only the missing link will be wanting in the \$3,000,000 ethnological exhibition at the St. Louis exposition, and a diligent search will be made for that missing link," said former Senator Tom Carter at the Chicago Auditorium the other night.

As chairman of the national commission of the Louisiana purchase exposition at St. Louis Senator Carter, in company with former Secretary Francis, has been conferring with President McKinley. The president has issued his proclamation inviting all the nations of the earth, through their ambassadors and ministers at Washington, to participate in the exposition.

Senator Carter is enthusiastic. An exhibition such as we propose "has been attempted by four world's fairs, and each time a failure was scored. The fault was lack of money. Two or three millions is needed. To get \$3,000,000, blow a horn in Manila and you have a carload. We are after the pigmies of Uganda in Central Africa, the dwarfs of the Upper Congo, the rare tribes of the East Indian mountains and jungles, besides such well-known specimens as Maoris, Kafirs and Dyaks. That will take time and money. The exhibition will embrace all the phases of barbarous and semi-barbarous life from pole to pole in six continents and the islands of the sea. Of these there are 75 varieties. They will constitute an Midway show, but a scientific collection, live specimens in realistic surroundings. A great island, acres in extent, will be ringed with a moat. Moras, bush, jungle, rock, cascades, the whole, will transport the civilized spectator through all the known varieties of savage human existence.

"Dr. McGee, head of the government ethnological department, and Prof. Holmes, who are at Buffalo, will visit St. Louis next week. Former Minister John Barrett will have charge of the Asiatic section; Mr. Buchanan, head of the ethnological exhibit at Buffalo, will attend to the American section."

MILES NOT ALL THE SAME. They Differ in Length in Various Countries and by Land and Sea.

English-speaking countries have four different miles—the ordinary mile of 5,280 feet and the geographical or nautical mile of 6,080 feet. A difference of about one-seventh between the two. Then there is the Scotch mile of 3,928 feet, and the Irish mile of 4,720 feet. Four various miles, every one of which is still in use. There is almost every country has its own standard mile. The Romans have their old passum, 1,000 paces, which must have been about 3,000 feet in length, unless we subscribe to Caesar's hypothesis of a great sleeping capacity. The German mile of 3,600 feet is 24,320 feet in length, more than 30 times as long as our mile. The Dutch, the Danes and the Prussians employ a mile that is 18,400 feet long, 34 times the length of ours; and the Swedes get more excessive in walking their mile than we get in walking the mile, for their mile is 84,300 feet long, while ours is only 5,280 feet.

The Italian mile is only a few feet longer than ours, the Roman mile is shorter, while the Turan and the Turkish miles are 120 yards longer. The Scotch mile is 5,211 yards longer, and the Vienna post-mile is 8,796 yards in length. So here is what is different miles, and besides this there are other measures of distance, not counting the French league, which is rather less than ten-thirds of a mile. The Brazilians have a mile that is 15 times as long as our mile; the Neapolitan mile is about the same length; the Japanese ri or mile, is 2 1/2 times ours; the Russian verst is five-eighths as long as our mile, while the Persian standard is a fathom 4 1/2 miles long, which is said to be equal to the pangsang, so familiar to the readers of Xenophon's Anabasis. The distance indicated by the league also varies in different countries.

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