

Middletown in the city at present are Miss Ida Oglesby and Miss Birdie Thomas.

Gilkie Lee, a well-known farmer, died at his residence on Wednesday night of rheumatism. His remains will be interred tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Messrs. Smith and Lallance, of the Enquirer, took their wives paid the Fair a visit yesterday. They took with them to the Queen City the opinion that Butler is hard to beat when she comes to big boys.

A handsome silk banner will be given to the township or ward giving the largest Democratic gain for Hon. John A. McMahon over the vote given to Governor Bishop in 1877 by the Democratic Central Committee.

LEXINGTON, KY.

Mr. James A. Grinstead arrived home yesterday morning.

The Presbyterian excursion train for Cincinnati will leave the depot to-morrow morning at 6:15.

There will be a grand concert in the Christian Church at Athens Saturday evening, October 12th, the proceeds to be given to the yellow fever sufferers of the South.

It was rumored yesterday that a party of New Yorkers, interested in the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, will soon visit Lexington and make some proposition looking to the early completion of the road between Mt. Sterling and Huntington.

The probate of the will of Joshua B. Smith, deceased, which has been contested by some of the heirs, has occupied the County Court for the past two days. Able counsel has been employed on both sides, and much testimony taken.

Rev. Bishop Toebe, of Covington, will this week appoint the pastor who is to succeed Rev. Father Bekkers, deceased. The Bishop will preach at 10 o'clock mass Sunday morning in St. Paul's Church, and confer the Papal benediction at Vespers.

A negro named Beck Wilson was tried yesterday before Squire Royalty and a jury for assault and battery upon a young white attendant at the Insane Asylum named Ellen Gilchrist. The jury could not agree. Last week the same negro was fined \$5 and costs for beating a sister of Ellen.

A young man named Watt Young, of this city, was arrested last night by Louisville detectives for passing and dealing in counterfeit money. When arrested, Young was in possession of \$175, said to be counterfeit silver money. Young claims that the money was handed to him by a man named Marion, who had been on a horse trade with him, to land Mr. Jones, who he said was in this city. The detectives were busy yesterday, and it is thought other arrests will be made.

LUDLOW, KY.

Something of a smash up took place on the Southern early Wednesday morning at Nicholasville. No lives lost. A large force went down to repair the damaged track and clear away the debris.

The many gallant gentlemen and beautiful young ladies living in the country immediately southwest of this city intend giving a grand picnic excursion on the Southern Railway to the High Bridge next Saturday, 5th instant. The regular morning passenger train will take the excursionists to the bridge, and the evening passenger train will bring them home. Baskets, filled with all the delicacies of the season, and a No. 1 string band will be on hand to enliven the "hop" at the High Bridge. George Keyly, Wallace Riggs, J. F. Carr, C. W. Stephens, R. Perkins and L. H. Geddes are the Committee of Arrangements, which is a sufficient guarantee of a splendid time. So, ladies and gentlemen, be ready and on time Saturday morning at Cincinnati, Ludlow or Greenwood Lake.

BELEVUE, KY.

Mr. Conrad Hahn has donated twenty-five bushels of coal in aid of the yellow fever sufferers. Who'll be next?

The number of scholars in school at the end of September was as follows: Prof. Hart's room, 36; Mrs. West's room, 51; Miss Boyd's room, 48; Miss Mollie Pratter's room, 68.

Mr. W. H. Nixon presented to the Public Schools one of Nichols' geographic model maps, which will be of great value to those studying geography. The Council tendered Mr. Nixon a vote of thanks for his valuable gift.

Council met last evening, all members present except Hobson. The claims of the previous meeting were ordered paid. The use of the Council Chamber was granted for a concert in aid of the South. The bill of Mr. Fred. Holsman for laying a sidewalk on Center street was accepted. The Improvement Committee was instructed to repair sidewalk on Lafayette avenue. The reports of Treasurer and Superintendent of Schools were received and filed. The salaries of Teachers for September were ordered paid. Other matters were ordered paid. The Board adjourned. After adjournment a squabble took place between the Clerk and Treasurer, which some thought would end in a fight. Pistols and coffee for two were suggested, but the latter commodity was considered best, as its effect is more soothing.

CALIFORNIA, O.

School board meets to-night at 7 p. m. The attendance at our public schools is gradually increasing.

Democratic meeting at Eight-mile School-house, Saturday night. Speakers: Dr. Bradford and Hon. Jas. Wolf, Esq.

Grand mass meeting of the Democracy at Shinn's Grove, Saturday, Oct. 5th, at 1 p. m. Speakers: Senator Jas. B. Beck, of Ky.; Hon. Milton Saylor, Hon. John F. Follett, and Dr. R. B. Bradford. Ladies invited. Two brass bands have been engaged, and a grand outpouring of the people is expected.

A FRESHMAN'S JOKE.—Henri Monier was the only man that ever dismounted a Paris concierge during the Exposition.

It was that mad was'nt custom to go around and examine all the high-priced suits of rooms he could find.

"This will do better than nothing—not quite so stylish as I should like, but still it will do," he would say. "The price is—"

"Five thousand francs a month, your excellency."

"I will take them. But, my friend, where is your ribbon?"

"My ribbon?" says the janitor with a vacant stare. "What ribbon?"

"Why your ribbon of the Legion of Honor of course. Haven't you been decorated?" No, Oh, that settles it; when I pay 5,000 francs a month for my rooms I always insist that the porter shall be decorated. Good morning!"

A BIG ALLIGATOR KILLED.—Recently Mr. Merrit Morgan was seen at work on Dr. McDonald's mill, near Ewing's Mill, while strolling up the creek Buckatanna, above the mill, noticed that the water was greatly agitated, and found that the agitation was caused by a large alligator, which was devouring a hog. Mr. Morgan procured a gun and shot the alligator at close range, killing him instantly. After pulling him out of the creek he was measured, and found to be ten feet four inches long. Many people came to view the huge monster. A part of the swamp where the alligator was killed, and it is supposed that he had eaten them. Perhaps the hogs will have a better time in future, and people more meat. All who saw the monster pronounced it the largest one that had come under their observation.—[Enterprise (Miss.) Courier.

Old St. on Politics.—"I tell yer, now, dere's purty nigh no candidates in dis county dan dere is tax-payers, for er lack."

"Dat's de very pin I wuz flingin' at. Yer see dere's too many fokes in dese days dat's huntin' up some way to keep from wurk. Dey's developin' everythin' dey's got, 'ceptin der mussel. Hit's gimme dis offis, an' den gimme dat offis, till er man jess hez ter fite 'em offen him wild rocks an' sticks."

"Well, Si, how do you propose to remedy der matter?"

"Dat's er hard queschin for er sivilyun nigger ter anser, but hit's time in dis county for de fokes—an' when I see fokes I means fokes—ter git up an' lend ter dis offis-holdin' bizness for derefols. We's been low'in' de wald meetin's too much rope in his yere bizness."

"Well, now, give us your plan."

"W'y le de fokes come out an say dat dey's gwine ter take er han' in de skrimm—let 'em choose on gaud men an' stan' by 'em till dey's safely ankered in dere places, an' den lar de country hab some res' fum der war brigade er candidates. Dat's me, now!"

"Perhaps that would be a good way to bring waters to a head."

"I kno's hit wood. Dere ain't nuffin dem feller's spise mo' dan ter leat dat de fokes is er movin' for derefols. I tell yer dat's got ter be less ob dis hyar markin' time an' wheelin' ter de lef an' er die, an' no 'stratifered marchin' an' a chargin' ob de enemy bef' de fings gits squar' agin' round hyar. Somebody's got to blow de trumpet an' wake de sleppin', er dar'll be mighty ruff times long hyar by an' by."

STAMPING A RATTLESNAKE TO DEATH.—John Eickhoff, of Summitville, N. Y., was walking on Thursday last week along a wood road, well grown up with underbrush, and was startled by a snake's rattle. As he stood looking to see where the snake was, it struck at him. He saw the movement in time to raise his foot, and the snake wasted its venom on the thick sole of his shoe. Mr. Eickhoff beat a retreat. The snake struck at him again, but he was not so easily taken. He stepped on it, and it was killed. He carried it home, and it was found to be a rattlesnake. It was stamped to death.—[Middle-town (N. Y.) Argus.

A trial just ended in Portland revealed that Joseph L. Clement, who had his life insured for \$15,000, started with a friend in separate vehicles for his home. Near the river his friend heard a splash and saw Clement's team struggling in the water. Clement was missing from that time. His wife applied for the insurance money, which was not paid, the averment being that Clement was not dead. The insurance men obtained Clement's mother's affidavit that he pretended to be drowned, and fled to the West, whither his wife was to follow with the \$15,000.

In a flood in Austin, Texas, a man found himself left on a swiftly dissolving bank. He called to his son, who was on high ground above, to throw a rope. The boy did so, and the old man, as he took one end of the line, said: "Now listen to me, and do as I tell you. If you find you can't hold the rope, drop it, run down the flat, and grab for me as I float by. The boy braced and the father was saved.

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At Wieg's Hall, Delhi, last evening the Republicans tendered to Governor Thomas L. Young an enthusiastic reception. M. A. Jacobi, Esq., and John A. Rheits, Esq., were also present and addressed the meeting.

There will be a meeting of the members of the first Colored Club of Hamilton County at Plum-street Hall this evening to consider what course to pursue in the coming election. By order of the Executive Committee.

United States Senator Beck, of Kentucky, with Ex-Governor Carlisle and Hon. Milton Saylor, will occupy the speakers' stand on to-morrow night at the Democratic mass meeting to be held in Robinson's Opera-house. Senator Beck, with Hon. Mr. Saylor, will also speak on Saturday afternoon at a Democratic meeting in Shinn's Grove, Anderson Township. This evening both the gentlemen, with Hon. John Carlisle, speak in the Seventh Ward, at the corner of Thirteenth and Walnut.

Rousing Democratic meetings were held last night in the Third Ward, where Dr. R. O'Neil and George H. Lundy spoke; in the Eighth Ward with Messrs. Lewis W. Irwin, Dr. Maley and R. B. Bradford as speakers; in the Thirteenth Ward, at Lafayette Hall, with Messrs. H. Von Martels and Dean Bahltz as speakers; in the Fourteen Ward, where Messrs. E. P. Bradstreet, Dr. Watson, J. E. Bruce and Fulton spoke. Big meetings were also held in the Seventh, Twentieth and Twenty-first Wards, and by the Italian Savier and Johnston Club of the Eighth Ward.

Yellow Fever News.

Mr. Julius Reis, President of the Commission, received and accepted a challenge from Mr. A. C. Sands, President of the Board of Education, yesterday, for any nine of the Board of Education in a game of base-ball, the proceeds to be devoted to the yellow fever fund. Mr. Frank Tucker has been appointed Captain of the Board of Education nine, and together with Alderman Mackey, Captain of the Common Council, will arrange for the game at an early date. Tickets will be for sale at the various voting places next Tuesday.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

The following are the additional contributions reported: Robert W. Burnett, of Paris, \$100; Grace M. E. Church Sunday-school, on Grace Street, \$50; from Grayson, Kentucky, \$25; David Wolf and B. Ezekiel, \$20; Miles & Steele, \$10; Second German Presbyterian Church, \$4.81; Berkeley Club, \$38; subscription of the Fifth, \$23.80; Miss Jennie Betton, \$1.25.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

Mr. S. Lester Taylor, Treasurer, received \$317.01 from Tiffin, O., yesterday. This is the second contribution from that place.

J. R. Hendrie, a volunteer operator at Memphis from Pittsburgh, died of the fever last night. He leaves a wife and two children.

The Y. M. C. A. received yesterday the sum of \$5.30 from the Grace Protestant M. E. Sunday-school, and \$1.50 from Rev. Wm. Behrendt.

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Miscellaneous.—G. A. Boss and Charles Rapp, carrying concealed weapons, dismissed; John Connor, remanded for sentence till Oct. 15th; Gottlieb Wright, cutting with intent to kill, dismissed; Thomas Gorman, shooting with intent to kill, continued to October 15th; Louis Wagner, obtaining goods under false name, \$50.30; Michael Hurley and John Stauffer, jumping on train while in motion, continued to October 11th; John Langland, same, \$10; Christine Harding, committing nuisance, 30 days.

'BARKS IN THE WOOD' to-night at the Grand.

CINCINNATI DAILY MARKET.

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