

Bridal Presents at the E. T. China House, both Useful and Ornamental.

FENCIBLETTES.

Another delightful Sunday. Yesterday's showers were quite refreshing and advantageous to growing vegetation.

The afternoon mixed train bound east, now arrives here at 3:05 instead of 4 as before, and continues on to Bristol.

Quite a number of seats are already taken before hand for the Payson Opera company, both to-night and tomorrow night.

From the number of drunks to be seen on the streets Sunday, there is evidently a screw loose somewhere in the Sunday liquor law, or else a good supply was procured Saturday night.

A Tennessee state millers' association was organized in Nashville, last Saturday. W. R. Sadler, of Springfield, Robertson county, was elected president, and Jas. S. Lipscomb, of Nashville, secretary.

The following census enumerators for Knox county were qualified by the county court clerk yesterday: Jno. P. Crawford, 3rd district; R. L. Blain, 4th and 5th; A. P. Smith, 17th and 22nd.

A commandery of the United Order of the Golden Cross, with twenty charter members, five or six of them ladies, was organized at Rogersville last week, by Prof. O. A. Miller, the "art critic" man, of this city, according to the Spectator.

The editor of the CHRONICLE is complimented with an invitation from the "class of '80," East Tennessee Wesleyan University, to attend the commencement exercises, at the University in Athens Wednesday, June 24, at 9 o'clock a. m.

This is the last week of the Nashville centennial. A strong effort was made to have it extended, but to no purpose. Last week was quite a successful week. According to the American, there was over 35,000 paid admissions to the exposition during the week.

Butler Bowers, who broke jail at Elizabethton, Carter county, a week or two since was recaptured in the mountains of Unicoi county, and is again in custody. His partner, Willis, is still at large. A reward of \$150, together with a fine mare and \$50 was paid to the captors.

Newport Sentinel: We learn that John B. Devere, Esq., of Bridgeport, proposes to take charge of a lot of hands to be employed on the W. N. C. railroad as soon as the work opens. We learn from him that it is probable he may want two hundred hands from this county.

If you want to eat your meals with pleasure, buy a Fowler's Fly Fan. They will keep the flies off the table and dispense with one servant. They will keep them off the baby, and are indispensable for a Sunday nap, and will keep bald-headed folks and nervous people out of the lunatic asylum. A new supply just received at W. W. Woodruff & Co's.

The latest novelties in Perfumes, Toilet Powders and Toilet goods generally, at LYONS & McCAMPBELL'S.

Finest Dried Beef and Gilt Edge Cheese at Shoemakers & Caldwell's.

Infants' Lace Caps and Bonnets, splendid assortment, just received at Dunbar's.

Ladies, select your Hats while the stock is complete at A. D. Dunbar's.

Ladies can not fail to be suited in Quality and Prices at Dunbar's.

Cold Cream, Camphor Ice, Lip Salve etc., at Lyons & McCampbell's.

Combs, Hair Brushes, Cloth Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, Bath Brushes, Dressing Cases, Cologne Sets, Hand Mirrors, etc., at Lyons & McCampbell's.

Finest Goods. Sardines, Shadines, Pickles, Jellies, Chip Beef, Beef Tongues, Pig Hams, New Cheese, Fresh Crackers, Oranges, Lemons, at John Hudiburg's.

Ice Chests and White Mountain Cream Freezers cheap, at Batt, DePue & Co's.

Academy Reception. Of Madam Louis' Dancing School will take place May 31st, at the Opera House. A great many Fancy Dances will be introduced.

Baby shows are the rage every where, and we understand that the universal remedy used to keep the little ones quiet is Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. It contains no opiate. Price 25 cents.

Fearful storm! When? Where? At Dunbar's. The orders are just pouring in.

Removal! Removal!! About June 1st, W. F. Cummins, the pioneer in the music business in this section, will remove his Music Emporium to the elegant three-story, marble-front building, beyond Ramage & Co., and just opposite Sanford, Chamberlain & Albers' wholesale drug house. He'll be pleased to see all his customers and friends at the new stand after June 1st. The best instruments at as low figures as they can be bought in the state is guaranteed.

For Rent—during summer months, to family without children—a furnished house in West Knoxville. Address Box 8, city postoffice. v25d2

U. O. G. C.

Action of the Supreme Commandery at Washington.

The supreme commandery of the United Order of the Golden Cross, which closed its annual session at Washington, D. C. Friday evening last, installed the following officers to serve during the year:

Dr. J. D. Young, S. C., Lawrence, Mass.; Lady J. D. Young, S. V. C., Lawrence, Mass.; J. S. Haines, S. P., Great Falls, N. H.; W. R. Cooper, S. K. R., Knoxville, Tenn.; Wm. Wood, S. T., Knoxville, Tenn.; S. L. Clark, S. H., Washington, D. C.; Lady M. E. Atkins, S. W. I. G., Knoxville, Tenn.; Joseph Morgan, S. W. O. G., Mass.; Lady A. M. Emory, P. S. C., Knoxville, Tenn.; R. E. Curran, Medical Director, Charleston, Ind.

The following trustees are elected: E. L. Dolph, Ind.; Isaac Emory, Tenn.; R. R. Graham, Mass. Also the following Finance Committee: N. S. Whitman, N. H.; A. M. McBeth, D. C.; A. W. Rosetter, Penn.

Dr. J. H. Morgan, of this city, who has held the position of supreme commander since the origin of the order, was again elected to the same position on the first ballot, but resigned, as his professional engagements would no longer permit him to perform the increasing duties of the office; so, by unanimous action, a new chair of office was created, that of founder, to last during his life, and connection with the order. This honorable position creates him the counselor of the supreme commandery in all things pertaining to the good of the order, and is a fitting tribute to him as the originator of the order and the author of its ritualistic work.

The order is growing rapidly, and has taken another position in advance of other similar organizations. It now provides its members benefits for either \$500, \$1,000, \$2,000, \$4,000, \$6,000, \$8,000 or \$10,000.

Mammoth Stock of Hats at Dunbar's.

Next Saturday, May 29th, is decoration day, and it will be observed in Knoxville as usual. It has been the custom heretofore for the business houses of the city to close their doors from two until four, in the afternoon, and we presume this will be done next Saturday, out of respect for the day and in memory of the fallen defenders of their country. It is hoped that the donation of flowers will be liberal and that they will be sent promptly to the committee at the custom house.

Emigrants from North Carolina.

Emigrant agent W. R. Kerr, had a large and representative party of emigrants through on Sunday morning's train, bound for Montana. The party consisted of about 40 persons, children and all. The leaders of the party were J. E. Hanson, from the forks of Pigeon, Haywood county, North Carolina, and Thos. H. Cathey, Mills river, Henderson county, the same state; both influential citizens. A special car was furnished them at Big Creek on the Buncombe road, and they were attached at Morristown to the train on this line. Capt. Kerr attending them to Chattanooga. He says if favorable reports are returned from this party, there will be an exodus of about 150 families from North Carolina to Montana.

Personal.

Dr. J. H. Morgan and wife and Rev. Isaac Emory and wife arrived home on the early train Sunday morning, from attending the supreme commandery of the Golden Cross at Washington. The other representatives extended their trip to New York and other points.

Miss Belle Ross, daughter of Mr. J. R. Ross, of Clinton, went down on Saturday's train to pay a visit to Miss Mary Cleage, at Athens.

Maj. Thomas O'Connor has recovered from his recent illness, says the American.

Mr. E. T. Oates, of the firm of Oates, White & Co., returned Saturday night from a trip to Cincinnati and St. Louis.

Mr. Ed. G. Backwell, returned Saturday night from a visit to the Cincinnati musical festival.

Rev. Dr. Jas. Park returned yesterday evening from a ministerial visit to Concord.

Mr. A. J. Thomas, editor of the Newport Sentinel, was in the city yesterday, on his way home from a trip to the Nashville centennial.

Ex-Mayor B. B. Luttrell and family and Ex-Mayor Peter Staub, arrived home last night from visiting the centennial.

Miss Austin's Kitchen School. We acknowledge the reception of an invitation to an exhibition of the kitchen school, under the direction of Miss Austin, at the "Austin School" house, on Crozier street, next Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. It promises to be an interesting entertainment.

Died. Monday, 24th inst., at the residence of her husband, Geo. W. Smith, in the 12th district of Knox county, Mrs. Hattie Smith, 21 years of age.

The funeral services will take place at the residence at 9 o'clock this morning.

A Stroke of Lightning. Yesterday morning, about 9 o'clock, during the rain storm, the residence of Mr. Frank C. Richmond, in North Knoxville, near the street car stable, was struck by lightning and considerable damage was done thereto. The shingles were torn upon about half the roof, and some of the weatherboarding torn off. Fortunately, no one was hurt, but it gave the family and neighbors a pretty smart scare.

Eminent Dr. H. E. Watson. ANAPOLIS, Md., writes: Colden's LIEBIG'S LIQUID EXTRACT OF BEEF is superior to Cod Liver Oil or anything I have ever used in wasted or impaired constitutions; an excellent preventive of malarial diseases. Sold by Sanford, Chamberlain & Albers, and Hunter & Co., Knoxville, Tenn.

Martha.

To music lovers last evening at the opera house was a season of the greatest delight, the occasion being the appearance of Payson's troupe in the old, yet ever new, Martha. Without one particle of exaggeration, we can say that this combination is the best that ever has appeared on our stage. It is a combination of artists of rarest excellence, every one of whom is a star of first magnitude.

Their rendition of Martha is grand, beyond the power of words to express. With only a quartette, of course it is impossible to give all the opera; but what was performed was with a skill unknown to our Knoxville stage.

Miss Samuels, as Lady Harriet, was an ideal. Her voice is a pure soprano of great beauty, and she has it under most remarkable cultivation. It is of great compass, and from the highest to the lowest tone of her register, it is perfect. Her "Last rose of summer" was most enthusiastically encored.

Miss Randall is the Nancy the author must have had in mind when he wrote the libretto. She is a piquant little actress, and withal, a most accomplished songstress. Her low contralto voice is as sweet as voices get to be, and some of her lower notes remind one of the mellow lines of the grand organ, while at the same time they are as clear as a silver bell.

Mr. Allen made his first appearance on our boards last night, but ere long he had gained the best wishes of the large audience. His "Lionel" was superb and in his "How to Fair" and "Oh! May Heaven Smile Upon You," was long and hearty applause. His voice is a tenor of the most robust type and as ringing and clear as a bugle call.

Mr. Payson, as "Plunkett," was a favorite. His great height seems demanded by that sonorous voice, and notwithstanding his great inches, one can not but wonder where it all comes from. Beside the individual merits of the different performers, there was a blending, a "dove-tailing," if one could use such a term in connection with such music—that was most enjoyable. Everything was pure and smooth and no undue prominence of single parts marred the harmony.

To-night the first and third acts of Gounod's immortal "Faust," concluding with Offenbach's laughable comic opera, "Vertige," in which Mr. Payson will introduce his famous broom solo, and an evening of pleasure can be confidently expected.

Chas. F. Geer, Norwich, Conn., writes, February 11, 1878: "I have several times in the past few months sent you for one or two boxes of Tutti's Pills. All who have used them express the greatest satisfaction at their beneficial effects. Send me four dozen. I trust by putting them in our store they will soon be used not only by our customers, but by the community generally."

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The Harry Helm Being Repaired. A note from Capt. W. T. Hood, master of the Harry Helm, addressed from Kingston, brings us information that that steamer will make no more trips to our city until her machinery can be transferred to a new hull, and the entire boat receive general repairs. This done and the regular trips will be resumed.

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KNOXVILLE CITY SCHOOLS.

Commencement of the Examinations for the Closing Year.

Another successful year in the history of our city public schools, the pride of the entire community, is drawing to a close, and yesterday was begun the public examinations there. Yesterday's examinations were held at the Bell House only and occupied the forenoon.

The first room encountered on entering was that of Miss Susie Cornick, on the first floor. Miss Cornick has the beginners exclusively, a room full of bright-eyed little boys and girls, some fifty odd, and when it is considered that most every one of them entered school in September last, without knowing their letters, a short time devoted to the hearing of their examination in the elementary rudiments, spelling, reading, etc., is sufficient proof that they have progressed truly wonderfully. Miss Cornick is evidently thoroughly adapted to the task of instructing these youthful minds, and we are glad to record a testimonial to her success.

On the second floor Miss Mollie Nelson has a room with about forty boys and girls. Miss Fannie Caulkins, another room with about forty also, and Miss Jennie Gammon, about the same number. These rooms are far advanced though, in the first grade and in the elementary branches. Their examinations gave perfect satisfaction, and gave tribute in eloquent tones to the qualifications and fitness of each of these young ladies, then whom it would seem better instructors in their several positions could scarcely be found.

On the same floor is the second grade, jointly occupied by Misses Carrie Dooser and Mary Park, containing about 80 very interesting and intelligent little boys and girls. Miss Park, in a separate recitation room, instructs the boys, and in her management of them she is noticeably an adept, and Miss Dooser the girls. In this sphere she is not a jot behind Miss Park. It is really gratifying to witness the thorough familiarity these children possess in the higher grades of the elementary rudiments of an education, and it takes but little time to satisfy the spectator of the superior attainments of both Miss Dooser and Miss Park in the work to which they seem so thoroughly devoted, and for which they are peculiarly adapted. The object lessons by Miss Park and mental arithmetic exercise by Miss Dooser were specially commendable. In all the rooms the music and callisthenics are pleasing and noticeable features. Although it poured down rain all morning the rooms were crowded with visitors all the time.

Today examinations will be continued at the Bell House, from the 3rd to the 9th grade, and in the rooms of Prof. Ed. P. Moses, T. W. White and J. H. Pitner, Mrs. Smith and Miss M. M. Woodward. The exercises will commence at 9 o'clock this morning.

Flowers for the Federal Decoration.

The committee respectfully requests that persons who will kindly donate flowers will send them to the custom house on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Those who will send them from points along the railroad will mark them to H. S. Squires, vice president, & Co., Knoxville, Tenn.

To All Whom it May Concern.

Mr. Chas. A. Bruggan, late pastor of St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran church, at Wartburg, Morgan county, Tenn., being guilty of gross immorality, is hereby suspended from the office of the holy gospel ministry, and all churches are warned against him.

J. G. SCHAIDT, President Ev. Luth. Holston Synod. G. J. COX, Secretary. d & v 11

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