

CRAB ORCHARD.

Mr. J. W. James is in Cincinnati on business connected with his distillery. He is rushing repairs and hopes to be able to begin making whisky by Feb. 1st, he having secured a three years' contract.

Mr. Thomas Grayson left Crab Orchard late Friday afternoon for his home on the old Richmond road and was found dead about a mile from here, his horse, which was wild, having thrown and killed him.

Miss Ora Kelly is clerking for A. H. Bastin. John Brooks has gone on the road for a Philadelphia house and to look after his young brothers, Joe and Will. I expect his task trying to keep up with them will be a hard one.

A thief entered the residence of Mr. Morgan Chappell Tuesday night, going through everything in a room adjoining the one he slept in. A trunk was searched and \$1.50 taken but a tin box in it which contained \$40 was not molested. Some one evidently knew of the money and was searching for it.

Frank Wallin has taken charge of the drug store recently bought of W. A. Beasley & Son and has purchased a first-class stock of articles in this line and with the assistance of his brother-in-law from Versailles, O., he has converted his store into a first-class, city style drug store. His brother-in-law has returned home and Willie Pettus will be chief clerk. Mr. Wallin has moved his family to the Chadwick residence.

Miss Rebecca Stuart is visiting relatives and friends at Corbin and Barbourville and took little Maggie Culton with her. John Z. Carson left for Flomaton, Ala., Tuesday to take a position with the L. & N. as yard clerk. Miss Margaret Buchanan is in Frankfort with her sister, Mrs. A. Addams, who is suffering very much with a diseased eye. Mr. and Mrs. Charley H. Singleton are rejoicing over the advent of their first born, a son. They have moved to Aunt Clara Singleton's house.

Mr. W. E. Perkins has moved to his property recently purchased of Mrs. Sue Holmes. Dr. R. G. Redd, of Miles City, Montana, who is visiting his father, Mr. Charles Redd, fell one of the dark nights and has been confined to his room for several days on account of the bruises. Mrs. Dr. Cooper and family were down Sunday from Livingston to visit her father's family. Mr. J. H. Stephens has rented Mrs. Mary Richards' farm and she will board with his family. Her son, Adam, will travel in search of health. They will have a sale on the 27th. Dr. I. S. Burdett has moved to Brodhead. John Edmiston and sister, Miss Hallie, have returned from Kirksville where they went to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Frisbie. Miss Hettie Harris is quite ill of stomach trouble. Mrs. Nan Edmiston is also sick.

MATRIMONIAL.

Nat Goodwin's wife was granted an absolute divorce and \$75 per week alimony.

J. W. Camden, a widower of 34, and Miss Minnie B. Estes, both of this county, were married on the 19th.

A Salem, Ind., man wants a divorce because his wife sits too close to the bass singer in the church choir.

John Richert, of Fostoria, O., shot himself to death at his sweetheart's feet because she refused to marry him.

It has just leaked out that William McMakin and Stella Thomason, of Georgetown, were secretly married last summer.

A New York woman sued her husband for divorce on the grounds of cruelty because he forces her to live in a boarding house.

The fee for performing marriages has been cut to \$3.50 in Kansas, with liability of punishment for extortion if higher is charged.

Mary Ann Sewell, a widow with four children, walked all the way from Logansport, Ind., to Caldwell, O., to marry James Hughes, who had courted her by correspondence.

After a separation of 47 years and when the one is 65 and the other 67, Elijah Davis and Miss Fanny Spalding were married at Webster, Ia. When they were young Davis rescued the girl from drowning and afterwards fell in love with her. Her parents objected to their marriage and he went west, vowing never to forget the girl, who also promised to be true. Recently he made a deal by which he came into possession of an Iowa farm. He visited it to find that the girl he had loved in youth, now grown wrinkled and old, was with her brother, a tenant on the farm. They recognized each other, vows of continued love were exchanged and they resolved to spend the few remaining years of their lives as husband and wife.

The father, two brothers and a sister of the Bush family, of Lee county, were lodged in the penitentiary for terms aggregating 18 years. Malicious shooting, house breakers and larceny are the charges.

LANCASTER.

Senator Farris will come home Saturday and the boys propose to meet him at the depot with the band.

S. D. Merritt, the electrician, is putting 23 electric lights in the courthouse, a much needed improvement.

The supervisors are still in session and have made an increase over the assessed value of property of about \$100,000. This will make a total of about \$4,340,200 worth of property in Garrard county.

County Attorney Letcher Owsley has taken charge of his office at a time when there is much difficult work to be done, in making deals with turnpike companies, but he has proved himself equal to the occasion by disposing of the business.

R. L. Elkin has received another letter from New York, with the picture of a well stocked aviary, asking the price of the imaginary fowls of which I wrote in the INTERIOR JOURNAL six months ago. The gullibility of man is wonderful.

Many amusing things have transpired here since telephones were put up. A Bright young lawyer, who came here over a year ago, was talking over the wire to a lady friend, about 300 yards distant, when she proposed to introduce him to a young lady at her house. The names passed over the wires when the young attorney, true to his reputation for politeness, stepped back and bowed toward the phone, saying, "I am delighted to meet you."

It is said that a convention of old maids will be held here in February. They are generally the most intelligent of their sex, having proved this by declining to marry. It is suggested that an old bachelor's convention be held and W. S. Beasley be made chairman, H. T. Logan, secretary, and John W. Duncan, treasurer. The committee on resolutions will consist of L. Y. Leavel, Sam Duncan, A. T. Anderson and W. B. Lackey, who will request the Legislature to pass a law requiring the ladies to propose.

The fiscal court settled with ex-Sheriff T. B. Robinson on Tuesday. He is one of the few in the State who settled this early, with the county indebted to him in the sum of over \$300. He has been as true to his party, his friends and his official duties as the needle is to the pole, and if he ever asks for the office again he will be likely to get it. The delinquent list was divided among the four constables again and they are allowed half of the sums collected, which yields more than the sale, to the highest bidder, ever did. The court will meet again to-day, Thursday, to execute the contracts which have been made for certain turnpikes.

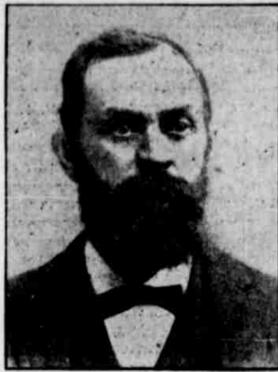
On Monday night while William Ward, Jr., was revolving his pistol, attempting to insert a cartridge, thinking it was empty, it was accidentally discharged, the ball entering the right groin of young William Broadhead, ranging to the left and lodging in the rear of the left thigh, from which it was extracted by Drs. Herring and Kinnaird. It happened in Logan & Robinson's store. The doctors can not yet tell how serious the wound is, as the ball passed through the perineum and may have inflicted a dangerous wound. The boys are great friends and I learn, have resolved to abandon the use of pistols, which is a wise conclusion.

It is gratifying to know that the proposed bill to repeal the separate coach law has been killed, and parts of the Martin mob law and other objectionable statutes will meet with the same fate. The bill to prohibit ball playing on Sunday is generally approved, but I can not see why it does not apply to cities of the first or the second class, unless people in those cities are so wicked as to be beyond the reach of Sabbath rules and regulations. It is not thought here that the bill to abolish the office of Commonwealth's Attorney should become a law, as a prosecutor should not be closely identified with the people lest he would be influenced by personal considerations. The proposition to reduce the homestead right from \$1,000 to \$500 is a move in the right direction, as there are many who believe that there should be no homestead exemption as the debtor is often left in a better condition than the creditor by being permitted to hide behind law and refusing to pay an honest debt. There are many who hold handsome property which, by every principle of right and justice, belongs to other people.

Justice Harlan, of the supreme court, has decided that insurance companies can be forced to pay policies to the estate of any policy holder who takes his own life while sane.

The remains of Logan Carlisle were brought to Covington for interment and Rev. F. S. Pollett conducted the funeral exercises.

A farmer at West Union, O., dropped his pocket book containing \$35. An old sow swallowed it, and she was soon cut open.



JOHN WESLEY ROUT.

The gentleman who is shortly to retire from the postmastership of Stanford deserves more than a passing notice because of his fidelity to duty, his unwavering politeness and accommodation and for his most excellent record as an officer. For four years he has never failed to be on hand to open the office, save once when he was summoned away, and if he has ever spoken a cross word to a human being, the fact has never leaked out. In every sense he has made a model postmaster and there is a general regret that the vicissitudes of politics compel him to make way for another. In his duties he has been ably assisted by his accomplished daughter, Miss Sue Rout, to whom the public owes a debt of gratitude. She has performed her part admirably and to her, as well as her father, the plaudit of "well done thou good and faithful servant," is fully due.

Mr. Rout is a son of the late Wesley Rout, who was one of the largest landowners of this county, and was born just 60 years ago in the house on Hawkins branch in this county that the Gentry boys now occupy. His mother is still living at the age of 83. Mr. Rout was a college-mate of Vice President A. E. Stevenson and Gov. McCree at Centre and to the friendships there formed is due his appointment as postmaster. He married Miss Emma Broadhead, of Madison, Nov. 13, 1869, and five children were born to them, Beverly C., B. F. and J. W., Jr., and Mrs. J. M. Alverson and Miss Sue Rout, all of whom are living. Until his appointment Mr. Rout had followed merchandising nearly all of his life and he hopes to go into that business or "drumming" again. He is a good man and everybody wishes him well.

RELIGIOUS READING.

Evangelist H. C. Morrison is engaged in a big revival at Brooklyn, N. Y. There are 283 students in the Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville.

There are now 3,121,320 Christian Endeavorers, senior and junior, in the world and 52,022 Societies.

The Christian Endeavor Society at Abingdon, Ill., furnish carriages to all who are poor and unable to walk to church.

Rev. Preston Blake, of Dayton, was elected pastor of the First Baptist church of Lexington, to succeed Dr. Felix, resigned.

In London there are 15 churches where the sexes are divided during divine worship. In All Saints' church even husband and wife are not allowed to sit together.

The will of ex-Mayor Daly, of Newport, bequeaths \$1,000 to each of three asylums in Campbell county, and \$1,000 to such charities as the decedent's daughter may select.

Elkton is in the throes of a great revival. Rev. John Lowry, of Arkansas, a Methodist evangelist, is doing the preaching and 30 professions of religion have already been made.

The yearly report of the Broadway Christian church at Lexington, shows that in 1897 there were 126 additions to its membership, and that \$9,071.41 was raised for church work.

The troubles in the Episcopal church at Owensboro have been settled by Bishop Dudley. The aristocratic members objected to the pastor taking in members from the by-ways and hedges.

The members of the Baptist church are hereby urged to attend a special service at the church on Saturday next. The pastor will preach at 10:30 A. M., after which the church will hold a business meeting. J. B. Crouch.

Statistics were presented to the Y. M. C. A. at Covington showing that of the 300,000 men in Kentucky between the ages of 18 and 40, only 15,000 are Christians. Of the total, 250,000 never attend any religious services. A plan was proposed to Christianize the State, \$900 being ready for the work.

Rev. C. J. K. Jones, who has been pastor of the Church of the Messiah, Louisville, for 17 years, announced from the pulpit Sunday that a letter received by him from the board of trustees, informed him that after April his services would no longer be required.

NEIGHBORING COUNTY NEWS.

Ben Tibbs, the well-known Danville barber, is dead.

James M. Russell was appointed postmaster at Columbia.

J. W. Bales, of Madison, the large cattle buyer, is critically ill.

At Danville the L. & N. was fined \$25 for obstructing a road crossing at Mitchellsburg.

Will Hardisty, who was supposed to have been drowned in Marion, has turned up alive.

Dave Thompson, a young miner, residing near Middlesboro, committed suicide by shooting.

A postoffice was established at Red Bird, Whitley county, with Simon C. Stelly as postmaster.

Miss Hattie Broshear, of Middlesboro, whom merchant Govins had indicted for perjury, was triumphantly acquitted.

Miss Belle Story, of Ruthton, Madison county, tried to kindle a fire with gun powder and was fearfully burned in the explosion that followed.

Judge Scott holds that the election on the bond question in Madison is void because the sheriff failed to designate the amount of bonds to be issued.

It is said that Somerset's long drawn out municipal fight which has been the cause of several murders and many estrangements, is about to be amicably settled.

Mrs. W. P. Surles, of Richmond, has been notified that she is one of the four heirs to an estate worth \$2,000,000, situated in the vicinity of Quincy, Ill. The property was left by her great uncle.

Matters are approaching a crisis with Bryant and Mrs. Clay and report has it that they are planning to elope. Mrs. Richardson refuses to talk and threatens to shoot reporters. Report says that Gen. Clay says that Will Bryant must be killed.

The Richmond Register tells of the death of Mrs. Harriet L. Frisbie, relict of Dr. J. S. Frisbie, from a stroke of paralysis. She was a sister of Judge J. M. Phillips and Mrs. Milton Elliott and was an excellent woman. Her nearest surviving relatives are two grandchildren, John and Hallie Edmiston, children of Hon. D. B. Edmiston, of Crab Orchard.

MIDDLEBURG.

Thos. Moran is able to sit up after a tussle with pneumonia.

J. C. Coulter has been appointed administrator of his father's estate. The property has been appraised and the sale will take place about Feb. 1st.

J. C. Coulter and W. T. Durham returned Saturday from Atlanta, Ga., where they sold a couple of car loads of mules. They report dull times in the South, but say they had lots of fun.

Misses Florence and Belle Coulter requests us to say that they will ever hold in grateful remembrance their friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted them during the illness of their father whose death occurred Dec. 22d.

Dr. J. W. Walsh held the quarterly meeting at the M. E. church Saturday and Sunday and preached several interesting discourses while here, and Rev. J. M. Limer preached at New Salem Saturday and Sunday. That church will probably call him to its pastoral charge. Rev. Price, a holiness Campbellite preacher, preached at Grove Sunday on "Christian Perfection."

It is told of a young man who moved from here to Lincoln that he had taken too much "tangle-foot" and was sent to the smoke house for meat for supper.

He stayed so long that the family became alarmed, and went in search for him, when he was found sitting in a tub of brine from which pickles had been removed. He was taking a pleasant "snooze" when found and did not seem the least disturbed by his unpleasant position. He is employed by a farmer up there and is having considerable trouble with the cattle which are attracted by the salt in the gable end of his pantaloons.

HUBBLE.—Ed Minor and W. J. Pardon have bought an incubator and will hatch some early chickens. T. C. Rankin is back from the South and reports a brisk but low trade in mules now. S. M. Spoonamore sold his bay saddle mare to John Woods for \$45. Eld. Geo. Gowen will preach at the Christian church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

J. F. Rigney sold his brown saddle horse to Bowen Fox for \$50. G. A. Swinebroad sold two nice combined geldings to Hudson for \$100 each. A L. Spoonamore, while plowing some sod land the other day plowed up a full grown fox and it ran off as soon as it was unearched. James Gentry sold his race mare, Oral, for \$600. L. C. King shipped a load of his mules to Columbus, Ga., a few days ago.

The supreme court has decided that George D. Saxton, brother of Mrs. President McKinley, will have to pay Sample C. George \$30,900 for alienating his wife's affections.

James O. Berry, known as the millionaire tramp, died at Paducah.

"THAT TERROR of MOTHERS."

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Of all the evils that attack children scarcely any other is more dreaded than croup. It so often comes in the night. The danger is so great. The climax is so sudden. It is no wonder that Mrs. W. J. Dickson (better known under her pen name of "Stanford Eveleth") calls it "the terror of mothers." Nor is it any wonder that she writes in terms of praise and gratitude for the relief which she has found both from her own anxieties, and for her children's ailments, in Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

C. J. Woodriddle, Wortham, Tex., writes: "One of my children had croup. One night I was startled by the child's hard breathing, and on going to it found it strangling. It had nearly ceased to breathe. Having a part of a bottle of Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, I gave the child three doses, at short intervals, and anxiously waited results. From the moment the Pectoral was given the child's breathing grew easier, and in a short time it was sleeping quietly and breathing naturally. The child is alive and well today, and I do not hesitate to say that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved its life."—C. J. Woodriddle, Wortham, Tex.

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