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MOUNT OLIVET MENU.

Current Happenings In and Around the Pleasant Capital of Robertson.

G. E. Bess was at Brookville Saturday. Sardis was well represented here Decoration Day.

Miss Edith Young is visiting friends at Brookville.

Mr. George Ormes, near here, a hero of the late war, is very ill.

Elders Armstrong and Hilton of Lexington were here Saturday.

A moonlight fete was given at the Campground Saturday night.

Elder Irving of Fleming is conducting a protracted meeting at Sardis.

Several from Germantown spent Saturday very pleasantly in our city.

Rev. Bird Hughes, wife and children are guests of friends at Bratton.

About thirty from here heard Marie Decca at Germantown Saturday night.

M. P. Wells, wife and daughter Miss Anna were visiting friends here last week.

The entertainment at Claysville Friday night was attended by some of our people.

The Misses Grover of Sardis visited the family of Jude Kenton Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a number of Brookville people were here Saturday, attending Decoration exercises.

After the song recital a moonlight fete, which was given by the Germantown ladies, was the principal feature of the night.

The women of the Main Street Methodist Church will give a strawberry supper at the Campground Tuesday night for the benefit of the Missionary Society.

The Democratic County Convention held here Saturday was quite lively. The free silver men ran it. They instructed for Blackburn for President and were for free silver. Carlisle was denounced as a bolter. M. F. Chandler, W. A. Morris and John W. Dotson were elected Delegates to the State Convention.

Elder Armstrong delivered his famous lecture on "Australia" at Pipa Saturday night. The lecture throughout was very interesting and the oratorical flights were very appropriate and beautiful. The description of the island country was vivid. Rev. Armstrong is one of the brightest students of the Bible College. He leaves this month for Missouri, where his field of work awaits him. Several couples of young folks from here attended the lecture.

The Song Recital at Germantown by the Jennie Lind of America—what shall we call it? It was so magnificent that we are destitute of words and the power to describe it. Her voice is so sweet and she has it so under her control that it is beyond comparison. When rendering "The Holy City" her sweet voice wafted one's soul to the golden gates, even into this holy city. She sang the songs in all the different languages with so much effect that the large audience sat as if spellbound. "Home, Sweet Home" was so sweetly impressive that one moment you were roaming through palaces, beholding everything that was magnificent and grand, and the next moment you were sitting on the vine-climbed porch of a humble cottage, quietly enjoying the comforts of home. After rendering the last piece applause was so great that Decca reappeared and delighted her audience with "The Old Folks at Home."

Decorations Day was a grand success. Our little home on Bay seven hills was filled with strangers from everywhere. Such an immense crowd has not been seen here for many a day. About 9 o'clock the veterans, keeping time the music of an old patriotic hymn, marched to the last resting place of their comrades and with solemn ceremonies decked their graves with flowers. The flower girls, robed in white with their garlands of flowers, were a lovely sight to behold. How the heart, with patriotic emotions, swelled with every wave of the National colors in the breezes and with every sound of the patriotic hymns. After marching to the Campground, Robert Buckler, in a few beautiful and well chosen words, delivered the welcome address. After that Judge Hutchins of Maysville greatly impressed his hearers with one of the grandest patriotic orations it was ever their pleasure to hear. Judge Hutchins' language was very figurative. About 12 o'clock the dinner, which was sufficient for the crowd, was eaten. In the afternoon several speeches were made, among them the one by Elder Irving was much complimented. After the exercises every one having the soldiers, both the dead and the living, more than ever before. The late heroes are slowly passing away, and very soon we will have only the dead heroes to honor, but we should keep their memories green, and every year add another mark of our love and respect to the tombstones of their memories by celebrating Decoration Day. Posts from all the adjoining counties were here Saturday. The Brookville and Bridgeville Bands furnished the music.

HAPPENED AT HELENA.

Choice Cuttings From the Garden of Information in That Beautiful Section.

Mr. Joseph Chipman is sick with a gripe. The farmers are complaining of too much rain.

There is a small worm in the wheat in this section that is doing considerable damage.

Mr. Frank Browning of Dullin's Hill, near this place, who has been sick for nearly a year with rheumatism and confined to his room the entire time of his sickness, died Monday morning. The funeral took place at the Flemingsburg Methodist Church at 2 o'clock. The remains were interred at the Flemingsburg Cemetery.

The fishing party that left last Saturday were Misses Clara and Gertrude Staton, Amelia, Hattie and Katie Hughes, Lucy Griffin, Rosa Littlejohn, Belle Auxier, Maggie Hall and Mrs. William Johnson; Messrs. Monroe Hall, John Hughes, Edward Staton, Jamie Staton and Plum Auxier. It proved an enjoyable day to all. The ladies spread the dinner prepared for this occasion, which no pains were spared in preparing. After they had eaten their dinner they all rambled around for a few hours and then came back to Flemingsburg and spent an hour or so at the Decoration.

SHELLROCK SAYINGS.

The Ledger Correspondent at That Point Sends a Batch of Good Items.

All told, there are 64 voters in School District No. 36. Three of them are ladies.

Coming events cast their shadows before. We will tell you the rest some other time.

The farmers are all done setting tobacco, which is something unusual for this time of the year.

John Pollitt closed his Stonelick School on last Friday with a picnic and a general good time all around.

William Huber and wife of Charleston Bottom visited relatives and attended Church here last Sunday.

The heavy rain that visited this section on last Thursday morning did considerable damage in the way of washing the land.

We wish the newly married and happy couple, Mr. William Proctor and bride, much joy, and hope all their troubles will be little ones.

Apples will be almost a failure in this section. Cherries none. Pears scarce. The prospect for blackberries is good, with a moderate crop of peaches.

The Shellrock man has lost all fear; and if Bill Nye should again appear—If he should be too hard to take, We'll settle his hash with a big blacksnake.

ABERDEEN AMENITIES.

Gatherings From the Green Green of All This Country Bound About.

The Bostonians will take an excursion from Cincinnati to Manchester next Sunday.

Miss Belle Barkley of Maysville was calling on Miss Mary Cheesman Monday afternoon.

Gilbert Wilson, while cleaning a pistol Saturday evening, accidentally shot himself through the hand.

W. S. Kelsey is giving P. N. Bradford's handsome residence on West Second street a fresh coat of paint.

For fruits, cool drinks, ice and ice cream give Hudson a call. He always has the best and sells the cheapest.

Miss Paul of Somerset, Ky., and Miss Maud Adair of Maysville were the guests of Miss Anna Hudson Monday.

Miss Gussie Boswell returned Saturday evening after a pleasant visit last week to friends and relatives in Ripley.

Lewis Campbell and wife, accompanied by Mrs. Dawson of East Maysville, spent Sunday with Mr. Campbell's parents.

John C. Everett of the Keith-Schroeder Co. passed through here yesterday on a trip through this and Adams counties.

Mat Hartman and Art Hodson were both kicking on the weather Sunday, as ice cream don't go well with snow on the ground.

Ed. Hall of the flourmill was handling the engines on the ferry-boat Saturday last, owing to a slight indisposition of Engineer Campbell.

T. S. Moler of Scott Township, candidate for Sheriff, was in town Monday and Tuesday, shaking hands with his old friends and making new ones.

Bob Purdon is having his barber-shop painted this week. Bob is a good barber, always up-to-date and deserves a good share of the trade.

Arch and Tom Middlesworth of Washington C. H., O., arrived Monday night on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Middlesworth of this place.

Mrs. Nannie Brown and two children of Portsmouth arrived Monday morning and will spend the week with Mrs. Frank Power of South Market street.

Mrs. William Clephane, accompanied by her son and daughter, returned Saturday from Dayton, where they spent several days last week among relatives and friends.

The sad accident in Maysville Saturday should be a warning to parents on this side of the river to keep their boys away from the river and playing around the boats.

Street Commissioner Weaver is having the streets and alleys cleaned up in good shape, and is doing some work on the upper grade, which has been in need of repair for some time.

Jesse Boswell of The Huntington (W. Va.) Advertiser spent a few days at home last week. Jesse's many friends here are glad to know he is rapidly climbing the ladder of newspaper fame.

Caleb Atherton and Henry Warren got into a dispute Tuesday morning about the rent of a barn, in which Mr. Warren had some tobacco, and without rules, ring or referee they had a pitched battle. Neither was very badly hurt.

Mr. Joseph Cheesman left this morning for Columbus to attend the Sunday-school Convention at that place. If more of our young men would take as much interest in Church work as Mr. Cheesman our town would be much better.

MORSELS FROM MORANBURG.

Items of Interest From One of Mason's Most Picturesque Villages.

Tobacco about all set.

Crops are all doing well since the rains.

Miss Lizette Curry of Minerva is visiting relatives here.

Born, to the wife of Andrew Madden, May 28th, a fine son.

Miss Blanche Jones is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. T. Marsh.

Mrs. Kubel has returned from Ripley, after a pleasant visit to her sister.

Miss Lucy Osborne has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives at Tuckahoe.

Mrs. Louisa Thompson, wife of Elisha Thompson, died Saturday and was buried Sunday evening at the cemetery at Mr. Thomas Kerr's.

She was a good colored woman, well thought of by both white and colored. Her husband has the sympathy of this community in his loss. She leaves five children of tender years.

SPRINGDALE SPLINTERS.

A Writer Who Hears to the Lapse, Regardless Where the Chips Fall.

Mr. R. C. Hill of Newport attended Memorial services at Bethany.

Elder White will fill his regular appointment at Bethany next Lord's Day.

Mr. James Elliott is quite ill at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. W. R. Outten.

Mr. Paul Gettiss and family of Forman's Springs visited friends here the past week.

The Cincinnati excursionists that spent the day with us Saturday were quiet and orderly. Some went boating, others wandered over the beautiful hills, while still others wended their way two miles back to Bethany, where memorial services were being held. One enthusiastic young man became quite eloquent and declared that the association of name and location in comparison with the Scriptural Bethany that was nestled among the hills of Judea, as ours is among the hills of Kentucky, was romantic in the extreme.

Memorial services at Bethany were all that could be desired. The afternoon was perfect. The house was handsomely decorated. A large crowd was in attendance. The rather lengthy program, consisting of songs, recitations and brief speeches, was quietly and patiently listened to by the audience. A most excellent address by Hon. G. W. Adair of Maysville was appreciated by all. Some of the exercises by the young people deserve special mention. "A History of Our Flag," by a number of boys and girls, was very patriotic. A beautiful cantata entitled "Columbia's Memorial," by a number of young ladies and children, was very interesting. It was late when the crowd dispersed, feeling that another lesson in patriotism and loyalty to our illustrious dead had been learned.

KENNEDY'S CREEK CULLINGS.

Doings in That Romantic Region of Mason County's Picturesque Domain.

The C. and O. paycar rounded into port again Tuesday.

Mrs. Clemmie Shelton of Augusta is visiting her sister, Annie Marshall, this week.

Mrs. Nettie Cobb visited relatives near Stephens Postoffice, Adams county, O., Wednesday.

F. M. Edgington has been delivering some fine home-grown strawberries to the Maysville markets.

Mrs. Nancy Boone of Stephens Postoffice, O., was here Tuesday, present at the Proctor-Cobb nuptials.

The wet weather and broken machinery almost knocked out the Sphar Brick Co. from making any brick last week.

Andy Swice was called to Cincinnati Tuesday by the sudden death of his brother-in-law, Solomon Kinsler, who at one time was a prominent jeweler in Maysville.

Matthew Hoffman resigned his position as class leader at the Chapel on the Creek Sunday, having served his charge faithfully for two or more years. It is to be hoped some poor, aching hearts will breathe more freely now, as they have been trying to get him down and out for some time.

The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Cobb was the scene of a quiet home wedding Tuesday, where their youngest daughter Susie was united in marriage to William Proctor of Maysville, Rev. N. G. Grizzle of the Chester Circuit officiating. A few of the relatives and friends were present to witness the occasion, which took place at the early twilight, and refreshments being served, retired to their homes, wishing the young couple a happy and safe voyage over life's tempestuous sea.

Oh, happy bark, float calmly on, As down life's stream you glide, May heaven shower its blessings on The bridegroom and the bride.

Superiority is a great thing in the eyes of some people who cannot have things their own way at all times, whether that be right or wrong; and now, just before a school election, it has come to light that a certain School Trustee has been filling his office illegally—that is, after he has served a year there is some kicking about him staying in. The present Trustees went ahead a year ago and built a schoolhouse that was an honor and a credit to the community, as well as the county at large, and I suppose because this was done—as well as a few minor items of not much importance—the Trustee has to step down and out; also our Supt. G. W. Blatterman, I suppose, who would allow such an illegal imposition on the District. Bless your souls, my good friends, we would not wish to deprive you of your pleasure and your liberty, but before the curtain rises I am afraid you will not appear before the footlights.

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KENTUCKY FAIRS.

When "Agricultural Horse Trots" Will Be Held This Year.

Following are the places and dates determined for Kentucky Fairs for the present year.

Secretaries are respectfully requested to send in dates for additional announcements, and to make such corrections as may be necessary to complete the list:

Sharpburg—Week beginning July 20th.

Winchester—Week beginning July 27th.

Danville—Week beginning August 31.

Union county—August 4th, five days.

Campbellsville—Week, beginning August 10th.

Versailles—Week beginning August 10th.

Bullitt county, at Shepherdsburg—August 11th, four days.

Springfield—Week beginning August 17th.

Lebanon—Week beginning August 24th.

Madisonville—August 26th, four days.

Bardonia—Week beginning August 31st.

Williamsburg—September 2d, three days.

Bowling Green—Week beginning September 7th.

Elizabethtown—September 8th, four days.

Ewing—Four days, beginning September 9th.

Franklin—Week beginning September 14th.

Paducah—Week beginning September 21st.

Open date (probably Henderson)—September 28th.

Glasgow—September 30th, four days.

Owensboro—Week beginning October 5th.

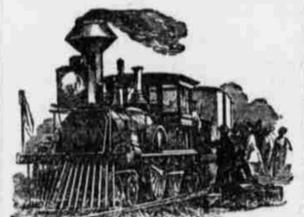
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The workman often eats his lunch on the same bench where he does his work. The office man turns his desk into a dinner-table. Neither gets the out of doors exercise he needs, neither takes the proper time for eating. It is small wonder that the digestion of both gets out of order. In such cases Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets come to their assistance by aiding nature in taking care of the food.

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Washington, D. C., and Return, \$14.

On account of the Christian Endeavor Convention the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets to Washington, D. C., at one fare, \$14. Tickets on sale July 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. Return limit July 15th, with privilege of extension until July 31st. A Christian Endeavor special train, consisting of vestibule coaches and sleeping cars, will leave Maysville at 8 p. m., July 7th, stopping at White Sulphur Springs for breakfast, reaching Washington at 2:45 p. m. Space reserved on this train by addressing C. and O. Agent at Maysville.

The Mountain Resorts of Colorado.

Greatly reduced round-trip rates to Colorado, and the summer resorts of the Rocky Mountains via the favorite Colorado Short Line of the Missouri Pacific Railway. Summer tourist tickets now on sale with limit until October 31st returning. Special reductions have been authorized for numerous meetings which will be held in Colorado during the summer. Through solid trains equipped with Pullman Palace Buffet Sleeping-cars and handsome Free Reclining Chaircars without change. St. Louis to Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Manitou and Denver. For time-cards, resort books and full information address N. R. Warwick, Agent, 317 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

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