

MAYOR J. A. HUGHES WELCOMES TEACHERS

Prof. Mathews and Prof. Taylor to Address the Colored Teachers Association.

The thirtyeth annual meeting of the Kentucky Colored Teachers Association convened in this city Tuesday afternoon at the Opera House.

There were a number of white people in attendance at the afternoon session and also at the night session.

There is a great deal of interest being taken in the meeting by the colored people and the addresses are all very interesting and are on well selected subjects.

Mayor J. A. Hughes delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the city Tuesday night.

Welcome Address. Mayor Hughes in his welcome address spoke as follows:

Gentlemen and members of the Colored State Teachers Association: All citizens are not Winchester people, and all Winchester people are not citizens, and possibly the present Mayor is not an exception to the last rule.

Winchester is the most progressive and rapidly growing city of its class in Kentucky, and our pride is to say that our white citizens are among the best and most liberal minded in the State.

It may not be out of place to mention the fact that after our Representatives in the Legislature of 1882, passed the bill that brought about the present splendid system of white graded schools for Winchester.

The present colored school system of this city is one of the best in the State, and one to which the citizens of all classes can point with pride and pleasure.

President H. K. Taylor, of Kentucky Wesleyan College and Prof. R. S. Shapp, Superintendent of the Public Schools will address the meeting Wednesday afternoon and evening.

In the Brown-Proctor parlors Wednesday, December 30, Rev. G. W. Bell officiating, Miss Ida Taylor Piper and Dr. James Albert Butler were married.

Animals are such agreeable friends—they ask no questions, they pass no criticisms.—George Eliot.

COUNT DE CASTELLANE LOSES HIS CHILDREN

French Court Rules That They Must Remain in Custody of Their Mother.

PARIS, Dec. 30.—The court rules that the three sons of Count Boud de Castellane are to remain in the custody of their mother, the Princess de Sagan.

BULLET CAUSES DEATH.

Miss Margaret Allen Redd, of Lexington, Found With Wound in Breast.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 30.—With a bullet wound in the region of her heart, Miss Margaret Allen Redd, aged twenty-four, second daughter of Col. Richard M. Redd, editor and publisher of the Farmers' Equity Journal, this city, was found dead at her home here, yesterday.

An old revolver which was suspended on the wall of her brother's room was found lying beside her, and her family believe that she accidentally knocked the weapon down or removed it and shot herself.

MARKED FOR DEATH

"Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave-yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Bae, Ky.

ERRORS ALLEGED IN PRINTERS' OFFICE.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 30.—Investigation is being made into the method of conducting the affairs of the Public Printer and it is said that some glaring errors have been found.

MEDICINE THAT IS MEDICINE.

keeps me well, and that remedy is Electric Bitters; a medicine that is medicine for stomach and liver troubles, and for run down conditions.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mrs. Emma G. Gregory. The funeral of Mrs. Emma G. Gregory, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Hall, in his city Monday night, will be held at the residence Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. H. Mac Neill.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE GREAT CROWDS THAT GATHERED AT THE STAR TODAY? HAVE YOU SEEN THE BARGAINS THAT THE STAR IS OFFERING. SALE STARTED TODAY AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL SATURDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 9TH, 1909.

Agreeable Friends. Animals are such agreeable friends—they ask no questions, they pass no criticisms.—George Eliot.

BARGAINS IN BUGGIES, HARNESS, ROBES and Horse Blankets.

We have leased the old Church building which we occupy as a Carriage Repository and Harness room for a term of years and have to convert same into office buildings at once, so we will put on a Slaughter Sale of Buggies, Harness, Robes and Horse Blankets, in fact everything we carry in stock which comprises everything carried in a first-class Carriage and Harness store.

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| \$150 Kaufman Buggies, rubber tired at..... | \$125 |
| 135 Westcott Buggies, rubber tired at..... | 110 |
| 125 Westcott Buggies, rubber tired at..... | 100 |
| 100 Buggies, rubber tired at..... | 80 |
| 135 Cut Under Driving Wagons at..... | 110 |
| 65 Buggies, steel tired at..... | 50 |

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| \$16.50 Harness at..... | \$12 50 |
| 18.00 Harness at..... | 14 00 |
| 15.00 Saddles at..... | 11 00 |
| 12.50 Saddles at..... | 9 00 |

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| \$10 00 Robes at..... | \$7 00 |
| 8 00 Robes at..... | 5 50 |
| 6 00 Robes at..... | 4 00 |
| 3 50 Robes at..... | 2 50 |
| \$6 00 Blankets at..... | \$4 00 |
| 5 00 Blankets at..... | 3 50 |
| 3 50 Blankets at..... | 2 00 |
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| 1 50 Blankets at..... | 1 00 |

There are many other articles, too numerous to mention, that go in this sale, MATT BEAN, FAIRFAX STREET.

CONSUL CHENEY AMONG VICTIMS

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to avoid a pestilence. Steamers with doctors, druggists, firemen and workmen have arrived at Messina from Catania and other places.

The hands of all the nations have been extended to Italy in her affliction. From rulers have come messages of condolence and from the peoples spontaneous promise of that aid which brings the world closer together in time of great calamity.

Hundreds Buried Alive. Rome, Dec. 30.—Dispatches received here from Palermo, Sicily, say that the dead at Messina, as a result of the earthquake and tidal wave, are estimated at 12,000.

Mount Etna In Eruption. Catania, Sicily, Dec. 30.—Mount Etna is showing considerable activity and the detonations, which can be plainly heard in this city, together with the volume of smoke rolling out of the crater, have added to the panic of the people.

Straits Are Twisted. Palermo, Dec. 30.—Navigators who have come in here from the straits of Messina report that the straits have taken an entirely new shape since the earthquake.

Swallowed up by the sea and navigation is impossible at night and dangerous by day.

President Wires King. Washington, Dec. 30.—President Roosevelt, through the state department, sent to King Victor Emmanuel of Italy a dispatch expressing his horror and that of the American people over the disaster, which has befallen southern Italy and Sicily by the earthquake visitation and tendering sincere sympathy.

Hundred Tourists Killed. Palermo, Dec. 30.—Refugees from Messina say that there were 100 foreigners in the Hotel Trinacria, and that they all lost their lives. The hotel has been completely obliterated.

1,000 ARE DEAD. ROME, Dec. 30.—A torpedo boat returning to Palermo reports that nothing remains of the cities of Reggio and Bagnara but ruins. All the inhabitants of Bagnara, 10,000 in number, are dead.

People Frightened. PALERMO, Dec. 30.—A slight shock last night created a terrible panic here, people spending the night in squares and open places.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK FELT IN KENTUCKY

Meteor Passes Over Hopkinsville Just Prior to the Disturbance.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 30.—A slight earthquake was experienced in this city and vicinity Sunday evening. Doors and windows were rattled in the southern part of town.

A peculiar coincidence connected with the phenomenon was the flight of a meteor over the city a few minutes prior to the seismic disturbance.

Palermo, Dec. 30.—A large ball of fire and left its trail an extended gaseous substance which remained over the city until scattered by the wind, and was plainly visible at the time of the earthquake.

Several adjoining counties.

SKATING! CLASSIFIED COLUMN.

This is the season of the year in which skating will be enjoyed by all.

THIS IS THE BEST RINK IN THE BLUEGRASS.

We teach you free if you do not know how, either in the morning or between regular sessions.

BROOM-BALL. Winchester vs. Maysville WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

AFTERNOON SESSIONS Admission 5c, Skates 10c. EVENING SESSIONS Admission 10c, Skates 15c.

Auditorium

Hodgkin & Hughes HAVE MOVED their Grocery from the St George Building to the

Waterman Building Cor. Maple and Broadway. We invite our friends to call and inspect our new quarters.

Roe, Winans & Scott ROOFING, GUTTERING and SPOUTING. GAS & WATER PLUMBING.

Dealers in Iron and Bucket Pumps, Cistern Tops, Gas Fixtures, Mantels, Globes, Stove Pipes, Elbows. Home Phone, 502 Next to Pruitt's Grocery.

Cards. Cards were at first for benefits designed; sent to amuse, not to enslave the mind.—David Garrick.

A DANGEROUS OPERATION. is the removal of the appendix by a surgeon. No one who takes Dr. King's New Life Pills is ever subject to this frightful ordeal.

THE HOLIDAYS CEMENT THE BONDS of good fellowship and kindly feeling. Our cement will insure a share of yours towards us.



Great Scott!

If our people don't know a good thing when they see it, no use of looking for people who do. We mean this in candid sincerity, and we want to thank the people who have so generously heeded our solicitations for their work in the last six weeks.

Eagle Casting Co., of Winchester (incorporated) is giving better work and better prices on Castings of all kinds, Coal and Lumber Cars, Cement Clamps, Gas Furnaces and Structural Steel, than any similar institution in Kentucky.

F. G. CORNELL, Gen'l Manager

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Residence of six rooms and halls. Situated on the west end of College street. LEW M' EWAN. 12-29-4t.

FOR SALE.—75 barrels of yellow corn in crib and 100 shocks of fodder. LANDER SKINNER. Home phone 404 B. 12-28-3t.

WANTED.—Second-hand bags and burlap; any kind, any quantity, anywhere; we pay freight. RICHMOND BAG CO., Richmond, Va. 12-28-10t.

LOST.—Sunday, between Presbyterian church and residence of Judge J. M. Benton, string of corral beads. Return to this office. 12-28-3t.

WANTED.—Damaged looking glasses. Resilvered by Williams, the expert. Leave your orders at Harding & Jones furniture store, 45 East Broadway, Winchester. I will be in your city until January 1. Good work or no pay. Home phone 28. 12-26-6t.

LOST.—Dark brown blended muff with five heads and tails. If found leave at this office and receive reward. 12-26-6t.

For Sale.—To best offer in next 10 days, all or part of 125 Gold Moulded records, phonograph large horn, etc. Address W. H. T., 47 Harrison avenue, Mt. Sterling, Ky. 12-30-4t.

FOR SALE.—Cheap, a cottage organ in first-class condition. J. N. MULLINS, box 444, Winchester, Kentucky. 12-29-1t.

FOR SALE.—First-class, second-hand, Moore's Air Tight heater. Will sell cheap for cash, if sold at once. T. S. BUSH, on the corner. 12-21-6t.

FOUND.—Lady's black belt. Owner can have same by calling at News' office and paying for advertisement. 12-19-1t.

WANTED.—Shampooing, manicuring, massaging. Save your combings for braids, rats, puffs. Call R. B. Woodford's residence. Home phone 221. 1-mo.

FOR SALE.—Good new house with four rooms, stable, cistern and other conveniences on Washington between Vine and Smith avenue. Call on JOHN H. STANDIFORD. 11-27-1mo.

WANTED.—To take orders for making cakes, beaten biscuit rolls and cream candy. MISS LUCY COLMAN BROWNING, 218 College street. Home phone 654. 12-10-1mo.

STILL BUYING.—The old reliable firm of A. Simon is still buying furs, hides, tallow and all kinds of metals at highest cash prices. Bring or ship and be convinced. Corner Main and Washington streets. 12-15-1mo.