

THE CLIMAX.

FRENCH TIPTON, Wm. G. WHITE. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1887.

Mrs. Million ran ahead of all other candidates.

Owen county gave Buckner 2,000 majority, Davis county 1,000.

It is of any importance to announce that Rowan county went Republican?

Judge Thomas F. Hargis says he will not be a candidate for the United States Senate.

The Democratic majority in the State will probably not reach above eighteen thousand.

Local Option carried in Barlowton and Carlisle and was defeated in Mt. Sterling and Louisville.

Crittenden county gave Bradley 300 majority, but gave the Democratic candidate for Representative 109 majority.

Reference to the table elsewhere will show that Buckner received 109 majority in Madison county and Chenault, 138.

Fayette county voted \$200,000 to the Kentucky Union Railroad. Fayette has waked up since she lost the Kentucky Central.

Another of the wrong-end-first fiends appeared last Tuesday, at Bridgeport, Conn. George Witson shot his wife and then himself.

The Prohibitionists were badly beaten in the Texas State election on last Thursday. Sixty-one towns gave a majority of 47,174 against Prohibition.

Union is again the boss Democratic precinct in the county. The Glade is the banner Prohibition precinct; also the banner Republican precinct.

We are of the opinion that John D. Harris would have carried Kentucky by 40,000 majority. We are afraid General Buckner has not received quite that many.

One Prohibitionist, and he was covered all over with Republican proclivities, was elected to the Legislature. Dan Curry beat "Old Phil Thompson" in Mercer county.

The maddest Democrats in Kentucky are in Lincoln county. A Republican named Davison came out on Sunday—day before the election—and mopped up the earth with both Bobbitt and Pettus.

Since Craig Tolliver's death, the interest in Rowan county seems to be settling on Taylor Young. He and Boone Logan raised a row in the Court-house, last week, and had the soldiers not been present, blood would have run.

Thomas, the Democratic candidate for Representative in Bourbon county, carried that county over Collier, the Republican opponent, by 664 majority, yet Buckner carried the county by only thirteen—one dozen and one—votes. Ah there, Champ.

Four railroads are about to be built through Central Kentucky—the Louisville Southern; Frankfort, Georgetown and Paris; Kentucky Union; and Louisville, Cincinnati and Virginia. Is Madison county making any effort to get an additional road?

Temperance and Prohibition are separate and distinct institutions. This was recognized by the people of Paris on the recent election day, when only six votes were cast for Fox, whereas at a former election seven hundred votes were cast for Local Option.

Bourbon county and the Bourbon News combined gave Buckner the pitiful majority of thirteen votes. Now it was clear from the yawnings of the News during the Buckner-Harris campaign that there were a hundred thousand voters in Bourbon, and all were for Buckner.

Clark county gave Cleveland 249 majority, but it gave Buckner the decidedly reduced majority of 75. To have read the Democrat during Senator Harris's candidacy, one would have thought that there were fifty thousand voters in Clark county, and that all of them were for Buckner.

Grayson county gave Cleveland a majority of 146, but went for Bradley by nearly as many. According to the ravings of the Grayson Gazette, during the Buckner-Harris campaign, you would have imagined the county was Democratic by ten thousand, and all were for Buckner.

Buckner ran 43 votes behind the Democratic candidate for Representative in Hart county—Buckner's home. Buckner's majority was only 163, while Cleveland carried the county by 479. Cleveland lost Garrard county by 79 votes, but Bradley carried it by 300. Does all this mean any thing?

Is it not a little singular that Ellison precinct which will probably derive more benefit from the increased turpentine tax than any other precinct in the county, gave a larger majority against the tax than any other precinct? In fact it was the only precinct in the county that gave any majority, worth mentioning, against the tax.

Bryan ran thirteen votes ahead of Buckner in Madison county, but Bradley ran thirty-one ahead of O'Delbert. There was not so much difference between the vote of Buckner and any other candidate at the Democratic State ticket; not was there near so much between the vote of Bradley and any other candidate on the Republican State ticket.

TWO OF A KIND.

The Berea Evangelist continues to insist that the Free Masons and similar organizations are "works of darkness," "bad in principle, and immensely harmful in practice."

The "Perfectionists," a body of people in Cincinnati, declare that "the church is a harlot, and God is in vain endeavor to escape, in a vain endeavor to escape, until it falls dead in the effort."

We desire to remark that secret societies need no defense from us, therefore we leave the Evangelist to learn from the societies themselves of how they do the Good Samaritan act, and otherwise avoid the cause of humanity.

But we wish to say to the Evangelist that Chief Justice Marshall never wrote against the Masons, and that George Washington never left them. Daniel Webster never said against the Masons, and as to Dwight L. Moody, he is liable to say anything.

TO HAVE A BOOM.

Winchester has a corps of artists and writers from Chicago, who are working up a town in pamphlet form. The numerous attractions and advantages are to be prominently set forth, several hundred thousand copies printed and sent out broad-cast 'ere the world.

This is the result of the proposed railroad from Winchester to Beattyville. Winchester is to become a manufacturing town. The raw material is to be brought down from the mountains and converted into merchandise for the other counties around, and the balance of the world. Richmond could have done the same thing, and could do it yet, but wont do it. Richmond doesn't have to improve any, nor does Madison county apparently want any thing more.

A FALL IN WHEAT.

The large grain elevator of W. H. Graddy & Son, situated near the V. & M. depot, fell with a crash last Saturday night. There was stored in it at the time in the neighborhood of 60,000 bushels of grain, mostly wheat, a large portion of which was owned by the farmers of the county and on storage there. The grain is being moved now at the rate of 10,000 bushels a day.

This will be a serious loss, not only to the owners, but to the entire community, which relies upon such a great convenience to the farmers. Ten thousand dollars will hardly cover the loss of Graddy & Son. It is hoped that the elevator will be rebuilt.—Versailles Sun.

GENERAL APATHY.

Gov. McCree was with us on yesterday, receiving the warm greetings of his constituents. He says the fight in Madison was the most stubbornly contested since the war, but by hard work and fine organization was kept in line. He is not at all cast down by the reduced majority in the State, which he attributes to general apathy and local causes. He thinks the stake up will have the effect of putting us on our mettle in '88, and the old Commonwealth can be drawn upon for her usual majority.—Danville Advocate.

NEWS PARAGRAPHS.

The Hall was killed at Georgetown on Thursday by Eugene Fitzgerald.

The Fair at Danville last week was well attended, and the show of stock was good.

The Chicago officers who were charged with robbing the Treasury have been found guilty.

Elliott Martin was killed, and John Taylor and John Vance were wounded in Rowan county on Thursday.

Charles Slidener (colored) died at Lexington aged 113 years. He had 9 children, 44 grandchildren, 82 great-grandchildren and 27 great-great-grandchildren.

The twenty-second Kentucky Regiment of Volunteers in the Federal army, commanded by Col. Dan W. Lindsey, will have a reunion at Ashland next Friday, and John M. Brown, of Louisville, will deliver the address.

C. J. Little, of Breathitt county, who was recently arrested in Louisville on a charge of swindling one Martin Childers, was tried on Friday and acquitted. He then had Childers arrested for false swearing; also sued him for damages, false imprisonment &c.

At Chattanooga, Tenn., Taber, Crump & Co., railroad contractors; D. G. Crump & Co., one contractors, and the Taber-Crump Coal and Coke Company, three firms represented by J. H. Taber and D. G. Crump, assigned. The liabilities are \$100,000, and assets \$250,000. They were in need of cash.

Mr. John McLeod, the Chief Engineer of the Louisville Southern Railroad, while out inspecting the proposed route between this place and Lawrenceburg last Friday, had his horse which he was riding to fall upon him, breaking his ankle. He was carried to Louisville on the next day. The injury is a very painful one.—Versailles Sun.

The youngest member of the Fifteenth Congress, James Phelan, of Memphis, was born in December, 1856. After graduating from the Kentucky Military Institute he went to the University of Leipzig, Germany. There he devoted himself especially to the study of Latin, and received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. He returned to Memphis and began the practice of law in 1881.

A little girl aged about ten years, living with Mr. Samuel Clark in Fleming county went to the barn one day last week to gather in the eggs. She was amusing herself swinging by a strap suspended from a rafter, when, with it around her neck, she lost her balance and fell through a window breaking her back and sustaining other

injuries from which she died in terrible convulsions in about three hours.—Carlisle Mercury.

Sad Williams, the negro confidence man, who escaped from the Danville work-house about ten days ago, was arrested by the sheriff of Fayette county, Wednesday, and returned to the proper authorities here. So, at the time of his escape, was serving out a sixty days' sentence for playing a grab hand on James Sherer, a little man of this county. The sentence, by virtue of his flight, is increased ten fold, so Mr. Freuch, of the work-house, will get the services of this bad negy for six hundred days.—Danville Advocate.

The Muddy Ford correspondent of the Georgetown News says: "Mr. Jasper Hamon gave to his father a birthday dinner on the 4th inst., the old gentleman being eighty-one years old. Eliad Hamon belongs to a family that is somewhat remarkable for longevity. There are eleven children, three girls and eight boys, who lived to be women and men, and all married except two. The oldest child died several years ago. Ten are still living, the oldest one being in his eighty-fourth year and the youngest in his sixty-third year. Their ages aggregate 723 years."

The Owsley Rifles will go into camp, on Saturday, Aug. 6th, and remain until Monday the 8th, inclusive. The place of meeting will be called "Camp Joel Walker," in honor of J. J. Walker, Esq., upon whose land the tents will be pitched. The Lancaster Cadets, 20 strong, will accompany the Rifles. There will be dress parade each day and preaching by the chaplain on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The roster of the Rifles is 68 rank and file, and although the company is not yet two years old, has seen fifty days of active service. The officers and men are all gentlemen, brave and true. Lancaster is proud of the company and her citizens go no riots while we have the Owsley Rifles.—Journal.

CONCERNING FARMERS.

In Lincoln county, 180 stock ewes sold at \$2.25.

A. G. Smith, of Eminence, sold his crop of 10,000 pounds of hemp, at \$4.35.

A milk famine is among the probabilities in the near future. The cows are drying up and pastures are shrinking.

At Monmouth Park, July 28th, 22 yearlings and thoroughbreds were sold for \$7,288, an average of \$333.45.

Basil D. Owens, of Washington, Mason county, sold to J. T. Long, of Lane, Kansas, 28 Shorthorn cattle for \$3,750.

R. G. Mullins and Son sold to Cully Jenkins 200 mountain ewes at \$2.50; also to Price Bros. 40 at \$2.50 and 21 at \$3.00 per head.—Lancaster Journal.

Lehman & Bros., bought last week from various parties in Fayette county over two hundred cattle weighing about 1000 pounds, for four cents.

The wheat crop is not so good as it was thought to be in June, and the yield, since it has been threshed, is at least 10 per cent short of anticipations.

Simon Weil, of Lexington, bought in Fayette county last week, of H. Wetters, 24 cattle, weight 1200 lbs.; and of W. Hughes 62, weighing 1300; price for both lots \$3.40.

R. W. Anderson, Nashville, Tenn., sold at Cleveland, O., July 27th, to Charles Ross, Gosport, N. Y., the gray pacing gelding, Artylo, 2 1/2 yrs., by the Baker Horse; for \$4,000.

In Boyle county, 60 hogs, 2 1/2 pounds, sold at 4 cents. Another lot of 108 hogs was bought from Mercer county at 4 cents, but averaged only 125 pounds.

In Clark county, Ben Graves, sold to W. B. Kidd, for Lehman Bros., 16 cattle, weight 1500 pounds, at 4 cents. John Coleman sold a lot of about the same weight at the same price. These cattle will be exported.

A New York farmer recently referred to a field on his farm that had become completely over-run with weeds, which he cut early, when in full bloom, and put into his barn. This spring he opened them and found them as sweet and fragrant as roses. He is feeding them to his horses and they relish them greatly.—Farmers Home Journal.

There is a great demand in this county and throughout the blue-grass region for breeding ewes. The present unusually low prices of cattle indicate that there will be a wonderful falling off of cattle and a corresponding increase of sheep. Ten years ago our county was over run with sheep and it now appears like the experiment will be tried again. Common to fair mountain ewes meet ready sale now at prices ranging from \$2.35 to \$2.75 according to quality. Those who were so fortunate as a handle sheep this season have made good money.—Winchester Democrat.

The sale of yearlings, two-year-olds and older horses from the Danos and Brookdale establishments, which took place in the adding paddock at Mountout Park last Thursday morning, was a large bet, despite the hard work of the auctioneer, Col. S. D. Bruce, the bidding was not lively, and as all of Mr. Withers' entries had a price on them, many of them were not offered and others were withdrawn after being brought in the ring. One colt, by King Earnest out of Fan Fan, was bought by Chas. & Hankins for \$1,010, but after the sale Mr. Withers bought him back for \$1,150.—Stock Farm.

The Niagara-Ford fair opened Tuesday with a good attendance. The trials were won by Mack Brown, King Clinton, and C. M. Thomas & Bro. Edmark, in two straight heats, in 2:40 and 2:48—W. R. Bradford's Lyle, second. Dr. Carver, Blackburn and Dauby were four in straight heats by Macky Bros. Four Corners; Jas Miller's Hamletta, second. Best time 2:30. In the third heat Capt. J. R. Rogers' Joshua Ewing came second by a neck, and fell dead from the rupture of a blood vessel. The three-year-old stake was won by McKee & Trainer, Richmond, with Susie S., in straight heats. H. G. Stone's Princess Russell, second. Best time 2:30.

It can scarcely be possible that there is a farmer in Central Kentucky who will not endorse heartily every word of the following item from the Stockman and Farmer: "The country, community, district or vicinity that has a number of good horses to turn into money each year has about as good a safeguard against hard times as can be found in any other industry. There are communities in which breeders are called and of the same class in regard to the kind of horses they breed,

that can offer several car-loads of good horses to the trade every year, and for which they get in return thousands of dollars in clean cash. The advantages of all breeders of the same region raising the same kind of horses is very apparent, and a matter of many dollars each season. Fifty or a hundred thousand dollars brought in this way would pay off a wonderful number of debts and obligations and help out for the small prices which grain is now bringing."

The following is the monthly report of the Commissioner of Agriculture, etc., for the month of July, 1887:

Corn 70 84
Wheat 88 80
Oats 90 82
Barley 86 78
Rye 88 84
Hemp 78 84
Clover 83 86
Grass 80 84
Potatoes 85 80
Apples, 50; peaches, 37; pears, 61; grapes, 83; berries, 93; garden products, 72; dairy products, 50, and sorghum, 82 per cent. Buttery 100 and wool 71 per cent. as to numbers and condition.

LIVE STOCK. Condition, Numbers, Per Cent. Per Cent.

Horses 95 95
Mules 95 91
Cattle 95 93
Hogs 95 85
Sheep 90 80

The foregoing statistics are made up from statistics given by 105 intelligent correspondents, whose residences embrace seventy-eight counties, and cover every section of this State.

PERKINS.

Mr. Solon Taylor began school at Belmont school-house, Monday.

Mr. S. L. Masters sold last week to Mr. Heel Baker a lot of hogs at 44 cents.

H. R. Robinson, who was reported as being quite ill, in my last letter, is improving rapidly.

There will not be more than half a crop of corn raised in this section owing to the drought which has prevailed for the last two months.

R. J. Millon, who has been making his home in Arkansas for the past six years, has returned to his old home in Madison, where he will remain until the first of September.

Reverend Cunningham preached at Route Christian Church Sunday, and attracted a large and attentive crowd. Preaching at the same place the fourth Sunday in August.

ATHENS. (FAYETTE COUNTY.)

Wheat is selling at 62 cents to 68 cents per bushel.

Fat cattle are rating at \$3.00 and \$3.75 per hundred.

W. D. Watts sold to a New York party last week 49 fat cattle that averaged 1555 per head for \$4.00 per hundred.

The election came off at Athens with its usual quietness. John Taylor while shooting the rifle, was badly shot in the abdomen, the ball going downward and it is thought he will recover. The fight was over an old grudge between Ledford and Taylor's brother. Ledford cursed Taylor's brother and John Taylor took it up. After Taylor was shot he took the pistol out of Ledford's hands and shot at him twice but neither of the balls took effect. Ledford's partner came up to help him; when John saw him he had tried the pistol the third time but it would not go. Taylor ran the partner and in the meantime some one took up for Taylor and jumped Ledford. When Taylor came back he saw them fighting Ledford and he saw them kill him, "ow get off of him, and then Taylor told some one about being shot. He then went to his father-in-law's and has been there ever since and is doing well at last account. Ledford was arrested and taken to jail. Instead of sending troops to Rowan county on election days they had better send them to Athens and perhaps there would not be so many killed.

THIN COLUMN.

The largest building now building in Louisville is a coffin works.

Anarchist headquarters down on lower Main street. See red flag.

It seems to us that General Apathy ran General Buckner a right lively race.

While talking about the reduced majority in the State, don't forget that the vote was divided among "Buckner, Bettie and the Baby."

To the long string of B's.—Bolivar Buckner, Bettie, the Baby and Bryan, there is now another to be added. It is the significant word "Busted."

Louisville has an insurance company that makes a specialty of insuring titles to real estate. A company that would insure against loss of political positions ought to find a prompt policy holder in the Democratic party.

The Georgetown Times comes along every week just as if there had been no fire in Georgetown, and the Times had not been burned out. But then, you know, the Times couldn't well be behind the Times.

He didn't know Jack was loaded. A man in town got a bicycle, and went out to practice with it. He found it wild and reckless. It dived him several times. But he was determined to have fun out of somebody, just to get even. He met Jack Freeman and asked if he had ever ridden a bicycle. "No" was the answer. Then he took the supposed victim away down in a back lot to ride the first bicycle. The man began pumping himself full of wind, so as to be ready for a tremendous laugh and treat in this case.

TERMS.—Sale will be made on a credit of six and twelve months. The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved security for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a judgment, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, with a lien reserved upon said property until all the purchase money is paid.

AS. R. BURNAM, M. C. M. C. C.

Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August, 1887.

J. W. CHICK, Jr., Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST: JAMES BENNETT, T. J. SMITH, Directors.

LOST!

On Saturday night, July 23, a bag containing several dollars, a pocket watch, and several other articles, a liberal reward will be paid for the recovery of the same. Call on the TRUSTEE, J. W. CHICK, Jr., Notary Public, Lexington, Ky., or to C. W. Childs, Belmont, Ky.

Yours Truly, Geo. M. Willing.

MOTHERS! WIVES! DAUGHTERS!

Be your own physician! A lady who for years suffered from distressing female complaints, weakness, etc., so common to her sex, and had despaired of a cure, finally found remedies which completely cured her. Any sufferer can use them and thus cure herself, without the aid of a physician. Two recipes, treatise and full directions free. Sealed. Address Mrs. W. C. Holmes, 638 Broadway, N. Y. (Name this paper.) 131u-131r

A NOVEL REMEDY.—While I am not a betting man, said F. J. Cheney, of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., I considered it my religious duty to make that follow a bet. You see he was about dead, and I guess he would have died before Spring, if I had not got him on the bet. You know some men had rather lose their lives than lose a hundred; well he was one of that kind, and we both came near being out, but I saved my hundred and it only cost him ten dollars. How's that? He sent for me one day and said the doctors had all given him up to die, with the catarrh. I told him that I would bet him \$100 for the best of the best, and he said he would give me \$100 if I failed. He took the latter proposition. This was three months ago; you see how he looks now don't you, as well as any one, and a dandy.—American, Toledo, O.

Premium Bread. Messrs. Covington, Arnold & Bro., Grocers, offer a premium of \$10 on the first day of the Fair for the best loaf of wheat bread, soft rising, and one of \$10 for the best loaf of wheat bread, hard rising, to be baked from their celebrated "Acme" flour, made by Bonanza Roller Mills, Richmond, Ky., July 13-14

THE BARBER CHY FOR IT.—And the old folks laugh when they find the pleasant California liquid remedy. Syrup of Figs is more easily taken and more beneficial in its action than bitter, nauseous medicines. It is a most valuable family remedy to act on the bowels, to cleanse the system, and to dispel colds, headaches and fevers. Manufactured only by the California Syrup Co., San Francisco, California. For sale by White & Stockton.

SALE OF CITY PROPERTY!

Having determined to go West, I will, on Saturday, Aug. 20, '87, sell at public auction, on the premises on Third Street, my corner

HOUSE and LOT, also Household and Kitchen Furniture. I will make a clean sweep without reserve. The best opportunity offered to buy an elegant home with all modern improvements.

JOE S. BRONSTON. aug 10 2t.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

OF DESIRABLE RESIDENCE & FARM.

Casius M. Clay, Plaintiff, vs. Pauline G. Cook's Heirs, Deft's. Notice of Sale.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Madison Circuit Court, rendered at the March term, 1887, in the above styled case, the undersigned will, on

Thursday, Sept 1st, 1887, about the hour of eleven o'clock A. M., on the premises in Madison county, Kentucky, about one mile south of Richmond on Big Hill turnpike, proceed to expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following described property, viz: A RESIDENCE and

222 Acres of Land, known as "Woodland." It is one of the most desirable and attractive homes in the State. Situated on a good turnpike road, not exceeding one mile from Richmond. The house is large and well-built. The land is rich and productive and lies well—some of it situated not more than half mile from city limits. The land is susceptible of division into three or more parts upon which suburban houses might be built, and will be offered in parcels and as a whole.

The tract nearest Richmond and fronting 418 yards on the pike, contains 60 acres. The home tract, with residence, fronting 876 yards on pike, contains 61 1/2 acres. The residue contains 63 1/2 acres on pike and contains 100 acres.

For further description see survey and plot on file in this case.

TERMS.—Sale will be made on a credit of six and twelve months. The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved security for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a judgment, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, with a lien reserved upon said property until all the purchase money is paid.

AS. R. BURNAM, M. C. M. C. C.

Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August, 1887.

J. W. CHICK, Jr., Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST: JAMES BENNETT, T. J. SMITH, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK, AT RICHMOND, IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, AUGUST 1, 1887.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, \$553,824.01

Overdrafts, 6,278.78

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 9,238.24

U. S. Bonds to secure deposits, 15,007.80

Due from approved reserve agents, 15,007.80

Due from other National Banks, 1,236.41

Due from State Banks and bankers, 1,236.41

Real estate, furniture and fixtures, 8,422.22

Articles on hand and taxes paid, 2,527.77

Prepaid interest, 3,322.50

Dividend on State Banks, 1,500.00

Capital stock paid in, 250,000.00

Surplus fund, 90,000.00

Undivided profits, 30,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check, 15,007.80

Due to other National Banks, 1,236.41

Due to State Banks and bankers, 1,236.41

Notes and bills re-discounted, 8,229.89

TOTAL, \$1,011,591.94

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$250,000.00

Surplus fund, 90,000.00

Undivided profits, 30,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check, 15,007.80

Due to other National Banks, 1,236.41

Due to State Banks and bankers, 1,236.41

Notes and bills re-discounted, 8,229.89

TOTAL, \$1,011,591.94

STATE OF KENTUCKY, S. S. COUNTY OF MADISON.

J. S. PARKES, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. S. PARKES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August, 1887.