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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce P. S. Whitlock, of Kirksville, a candidate for the office of Assessor of Madison county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that The MADISONIAN is a candidate for entry into each home in Madison county, subject to the approval of the Family. We stand for the HOME CIRCLE first, last and always. \$1.00 per year.

POSTMASTER.

In the event of the appointment of another man for the office of postmaster of this city, why should it not be left to a primary election? "Let the people rule" has been the Democratic slogan for years. No true Democrat can object to the people, whom the postmaster is to serve, having a voice in his selection. It is the democratic manna. It can not be urged that if that method was selected, then the republicans could combine and make the nomination of a republican certain. In the selection of an officer to be appointed by a democratic president, they would not offer to impress their wishes on the appointing power. Besides this primary can be limited to the Democratic party in which all the party can be heard. It may be urged that if it is left to the people that it is possible that their choice may not be selected because the vote would be so divided that no real choice of the people would be had. This can easily be obviated. The second or even the third choice ballot can be used and then it will finally come down to a choice between two contending candidates as to which will be selected.

We tried to have such a provision incorporated in the general primary law for the State and was it formed by our representative that such provisions were substantially incorporated in the bill as drawn and which was then before the Legislature. If they were in the same, they were stricken out; for certain it is that they are not in the law.

Let's have the principles of democracy incorporated in the law itself. We go before the people shouting for a rule of the people but when it comes to enacting laws to give the people some voice in their government, we find that the rights of the people have been carefully emasculated.

Again we say "Let's have a post office primary." If any man is willing to oppose the rights of the people to select their postmaster, then let that man, "go way back and sit down."

THE PRESIDENT'S SILENCE.

The silence of the president on important cabinet appointments, exceeds that of Dean Maitland. It has become oppressive. The daily papers are restless; also several hundred thousand boys who fought in the trenches are on the anxious seat.

It may be that the President has his mind fully made up as to the personnel of his cabinet. If he

has, it is his duty to make it known to the people that they may either oppose or confirm his appointments. The people are the governed and they have the right to know whom the President selected as his advisors.

It is said that "Deep water runs still." Evidently from this we must assume that the President is deep in meditation and that the appointments which he will make will be eminently satisfactory to the people. This would be comforting to us if we were not haunted by that other well known fact that all still water is not deep. The President should take the people into his confidence and tell them frankly whom he intends to appoint as the members of his cabinet. Further dallying on his part will confirm a well founded belief that there are "others" who know his mind on this subject.

MADISON HAS IT.

Was it tobacco land that you wanted?

Madison has the best in the State.

Was it hemp land that you wanted?

Madison has as fine as any in the State.

Was it corn ground that you wanted?

Madison has the finest, yes, the very finest in the State.

Was it good schools, good roads, good bridges and good churches that you were looking for?

Madison has them.

Was it good people that you were looking for?

Madison has them but we don't want to let any go. Come and join our colony.

Want good grazing lands?

The best in the State, are in Madison.

Anything else good that you want?

Ask for it, it is here.

Whoop her up for Richmond! Don't be contented with that sophism that we are the best people on earth and that everybody knows it. Remember that there about fifteen millions of people in the United States who never heard of Richmond or its people. Some people are migratory birds—birds of passage. Let's get a few to stop with us and then show them that Richmond is a good place for them to live. People like to be shown.

It snows; it blows; it rains. You who are well fed, clothed sheltered and who have prospered, share your good things with the poor. That's christianity.

"Tis religion that can give, sweetest comforts while we live."

Yes, while we live. For a fine funeral, a cart load of flowers or a marble shaft piercing the skies, will never carry a Scrooge to heaven.

It Rains! But let it rain. Have we not good streets and good side walks? Many a larger city is worse off than Richmond in that respect. Be thankful for what we have. We will get more.

Let the knocker, squeal; the kicker, knock and the squaler kick. If well founded, it will do us all good. We will correct our errors and they will be relieved.

Our Schools! Aren't you proud of them? Lets help them to be better yet.

From Our Exchanges

Country life has its drawbacks, but its great advantages which over them. True those who live in the city are "Rubes" and "Farmers" and "Hay-seeds" to the cigarette smoker in town; but the boast of the business man in the world today is that they were born on the farm. Take away the surrounding evils that beset the young men or women on the threshold of life's journey in the city and substitute the helpful influences of nature, and you fortify them for the sterner walks of life.—Jackson Times.

Will Announce.

Editor Samuel J. Roberts, of the Lexington Leader, while in Frankfort last week sent his paper the following telegram which will be read with great interest.

"No doubt can longer remain as to the intentions of Gov. James B. McCreary in regard to the contest for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator and is now a safe bet the gentleman, who has been holding his ear very close to the ground for some weeks, has heard a distinct rumble and in response thereto will shy his castor into the ring in the next few days.—Leader.

Its Our Mat.

Genial Mat Cohen, one of the leading horsemen of the state, and who has recently developed into an orator of national prominence was in town Monday and dropped in for a pleasant call on the Record. Mat has been out in Missouri attending a big live stock pow-wow, and was on the programme for a speech, and was also a prominent speaker at a banquet given during the session, the latter speech being impromptu. Upon both occasions Mat was as much at home as if mounted on Edna Mae in the fair ring, and acquitted himself with honor and upheld the dignity of his native state.—Record.

The Madisonian.

The citizen is in receipt of number one of volume one of the Madisonian, a newspaper published at Richmond.

The editor and publisher is Mr. Grant E. Lilly, who a few months ago launched the Estill Tribune at Irvine, and who continues to publish that paper.

The Madisonian is an eight page paper, the exact size of the Citizen, and comes out upon a good platform. Mr. Lilly stating that the ambition to be editor and owner of a good country newspaper has smoldered within him twenty years, as a joyous dream, and now he carries to realize something of his dream.

If the new enterprise is carried out along the lines laid down by its editor, it should have friendship of all good citizens, and will have the friendship of the Citizen.

We welcome the Madisonian with the assurance that there is plenty of room still for the newspaper of high ideas.—Berea Citizen.

Church Organ.

The First Christian Church of this city is all smiles over the announcement by Mr. Carnegie that he will donate \$2,000.00 toward buying a pipe organ for its house if the church will donate the same amount. As the church has this sum in its coffers for this express purpose, it will of course secure Mr. Carnegie's \$2,000.00. With a new \$4,000.00 organ, with their splendid organist, Mrs. Pickels, and a good choir, worship there should be "a grand sweet song."

Death Penalty.

A jury summoned from Montgomery county and who tried the case of the commonwealth vs James Brown, alias shine, returned a verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment at death. Brown is the negro who shot and killed deputy sheriff George M. Hart in Winchester during the holidays. Several other negroes are implicated in the killing.

He will be electrocuted April 25.

Could poor Uncle Sam have foreseen the indiscriminate mailing of babies, snakes, roosters, light-bread and molasses, would he have favored the Parcels Post? "Never."

Don't forget that this is the State show of the A. P. A. Ky. Branch and that all the regular gold and silver medals will be won for the year of 1913. Be sure to enter your birds and win these coveted prizes. adv

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NORMAL NOTES.

The annual January reception to new students was given in Ruric Nevel Roark Hall on the evening of Saturday, Feb. 1st. In the main corridor, made gay with pennants and draperies of crimson and cream, President and Mrs. Crabbe, assisted by several members of the faculty, received the throng of guests. Light refreshments were served under the direction of Miss Heverlo, of the Department of Domestic Science.

Rev. Frank W. Gonsaulus writes as follows concerning Geo. R. Stuart, who will lecture in the chapel Monday, Feb. 17th: "I have just engaged George Stuart for the fifteen hundred young men at Armour Institute. He will delight them. I heard him three times and I feel that I have made the discovery of a really great master of assemblies. I laughed until I was on the verge of collapse; then I was rescued by a wise remark worthy of a philosopher. I wept like a little child as he led me through scenes of boyish delight or sympathy. Then he lifted me to heights of moral vision which I hope I may never forsake. Great is the mission of humor; great is the cleansing power of tears which are without regret; great is the realm of the noble life, and George Stuart has a passport to them all."

Circuit Court.

Circuit Court convened Tuesday with Hon. J. M. Benton presiding and Hon. B. A. Crutcher as Common Pleas Attorney. The following well known gentlemen compose the juries:

GRAND JURY.

J. W. Herndon, foreman, Shelby Jett, R. F. Bush, John L. Griggs, John A. Todd, Wm. Dunbar, P. B. Broadus, Jesse Broadus, W. L. Blanton, J. H. Million, W. T. Duerson, J. R. Cox.

PETIT JURY.

John Chambers, S. N. Moberley, P. Evans, J. E. Parks, Collins Yates, B. F. Boggs, J. J. Hale, Frank Stewart, James Dawson, John C. Combs, C. C. Long, W. T. Adams, Armer Parrish, J. A. Moores, James Noland, Chas. B. Combs, Z. T. Rice, Geo. T. McKinney, J. B. Adams, W. M. Parks, W. M. Hill, M. C. Covington, Ora Hackett, Elvada Tudor.

The charge to the jury was a short one and the striking feature of same was the warning given to prospective candidates advising them not to engage in any corrupt practices at the coming primary election to be held on the first Saturday in August. The court suspended a damascus sword over their heads and declared that same will descend with Herculean power on the neck of any who does disobey the warning. Evidently the court is in the opinion that "An ounce of preventive is worth a pound of cure."

A Call.

The publication of "Calls on Candidates" is done as a matter of news only and does not commit us to anyone.

"We hereby call upon the Hon. L. B. Herrington to stand for re-election to the Legislature. We recognize his valuable and patriotic service during the last two terms of the General Assembly, and believe that his experience equips him for a larger and more useful service as representative of the people. He is an independent, able, trained and aggressive young lawyer, a splendid speaker, an able parliamentarian, and is ready for any emergency that might arise. While disparaging the claims of no one, we are pleased to say that Representative Herrington is the kind of man Madison county needs to represent her.

We feel that even if it is a personal and financial loss to Representative Herrington, he should again seek and have the honor of representing this county, and we call upon him and urge him to stand for re-election.

"Numerous Democrats."

DEATHS

Mr. D. F. Sharp, a well known merchant of Panola, died at his residence Sunday of a complications of illness. Mr. Sharp was active, energetic man until his health failed him some years ago. Since then he has been on the decline. He was a Mason of high standing and was buried with the usual masonic honors Tuesday afternoon at the Richmond Cemetery.

The three weeks-old infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Marion McKinney, of Lexington died there Tuesday and was bought here Wednesday and will be buried at Jackson's chapel this afternoon.—Clay City Times.

Father O'Dwyer Leaves Richmond.

Father O'Dwyer, who has had charge of the Catholic church at Richmond, has been changed to Florence, Ky. Father Jahnal, of Florence, will come to Richmond to succeed Father O'Dwyer. Father McCaffery, of Florence, has been transferred to Covington.

Father O'Dwyer has by his courteous and dignified demeanor endeared himself to the members of his church here, and has made many friends outside of his church, all of whom regret to see him leave, and their best wishes follow him.

\$6 boots now \$3.98 at Sexton's.



The Cotillion Club will give the next dance at Masonic Temple on Feb. 21. Mr. and Mrs. J. Hale Deane will lead.

Miss Mary D. Pickels entertained the "Young Ladies' Bridge Club" on Wednesday most charmingly. Lovely refreshments followed the games, and the trophy was won by Miss Jane D. Stockton.

Miss Helen Bennett entertained the Married Ladies Bridge Club on Friday. At the conclusion of the games a delightful luncheon was served. The trophy was won by Mrs. D. M. Chenault, who played for Miss Ollie Baldwin.

Miss Minerva Waggoner, of Chicago, and Mr. Walter Cornelius were married in Louisville on last Monday by Rev. C. K. Marshall, grandfather of the bride. The ceremony was performed in the parlors of the Seelbach, after which the couple left for their home in Illinois.

At the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington on Wednesday, Mr. Shelby Hamilton of this city, was married to Miss Ella Lang, of Mason county, formerly a student at the State Normal. Mr. Hamilton is of the firm of Hamilton Bros. and stands high in this community. After a short bridal trip they returned to Richmond and are at home with Mrs. Henry Pickels on Second street.

Mrs. E. B. Barnes was hostess at a lovely five-course dinner on Thursday, covers being laid for twelve. The central decoration of the table was a vase of rich crimson carnations and ferns, while the place cards were daintily painted affairs bearing quotations a propos of the occasion. After dinner the hours were enlivened with delightful music by Mrs. Ballard, Dr. Barnes and little Miss Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Neville Moberley were hosts at a very elegant seven o'clock dinner in honor of the February bride, Miss Harriett Parrish, on Thursday, six couples being invited. In the center of the table was a beautiful doll dressed in bridal robes, while at either end of the table were placed slippers filled with sweet peas. The place cards were especially attractive, being hand painted and containing verses suggestive of the names of the guests. This dinner was in keeping with all others given by Mr. and Mrs. Moberley, and was most thoroughly enjoyed.

Mr. Nicholas Bohn, superintendent of the Burnheim Distillery at Silver Creek, and Mrs. Nettie F. Adams were united in marriage Jan. 8th, at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Sam Farris, of Paris. Rev. Lightfoot, pastor of the Baptist church performed the ceremony. This was quite a surprise to relatives and friends of both parties. Mrs. Adams is well known in this city and her home town, and has many friends. She is a sister of Mrs. M. A. Davidson, of this city. Mr. Bohn has been superintendent of the Silver Creek distillery for the past three years, and has won for himself many friends as well as a bride. The friends of this happy couple offer congratulations and best wishes for a bright and happy future.

A very lovely wedding was that of Miss Harriett Parrish to Mr. S. J. McLaughly, which was solemnized at the Episcopal Church on Tuesday afternoon at thirty. The church presented a scene of fairy-like beauty with its decorations of palms, southern smilax and cut flowers, the altar being in carnations and white lilies, enhanced by the rich festival hangings in white and gold. The bride entered the church on her brother's arm, while Miss Norma Guinchigliani, accompanied by Mr. Joe Guinchigliani, on the violin, played Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

Truly, the bride never looked fairer, her beauty being heightened by the clinging bridal gown of white charmeuse with veil and orange blossoms becomingly arranged. She carried the prayer book in white with markers of white ribbon and lilies of the valley in shower effect, and was preceded by the little flower girl, Dolly Pickels, dressed in pink and white, with lace cap bordered with pink rose buds, and carrying a basket of sweet peas. Next came Miss Elizabeth Karr, sister of the bride, prettily gowned in rose-colored crepe with lace cap also trimmed with rose buds, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom, handsome in the regulation suit of black, advanced from the vestry-room, to meet the bride, on the arm of the rector, Mr. Thompson, who wore the robe of white. During the service Mrs. Elmer Tate sang in her perfect way the wedding hymn, and at the close of the ceremony the bridal party left the church to the beautiful strains of Tanhauser's March. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughly left on the five o'clock train for the North, and after a short trip will return and make this city their home.

To the popular groom and his winsome bride, The Madisonian extends congratulations.

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Personal.

Miss Marianne Collins is visiting in Tennessee.

Mr. Jno. Duerson, who has been quite sick, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grider have returned from Lancaster.

Miss Mattie Pigg has returned from a visit to Lexington.

Miss Beatrice Roland, of Winchester, is attending the Normal.

Mrs. Alex Denny has been sick at her home on Breck avenue.

Miss Carrie Allman has as her guest Miss Smith, of Frankfort.

Miss Bessie Tribble is at home, after a short visit to friends in Lexington.

Mr. Hampton attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Hargis, in this city.

Mrs. Jas. Burnam has been in Winchester, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Gay.

Mr. Clarence Miller, an attorney of Irvine, was a guest in this city Thursday.

Mrs. Robt. Crowe, of Beattyville, has been on a visit to relatives in this city.

Misses Bush and Kimbrell, of Clark county, are here attending the Normal.

Mrs. Cecil Thorpe has been moved to town and is with her mother on Main St.

Mrs. J. B. Parrent, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of Mesdames C. D. and A. D. Miller.

Judge W. H. Lilly, of Irvine, was the guest of his brother, Mr. Grant E. Lilly, on Tuesday.

Judge Jno. C. Chenault has returned from Pittsburg, Pa., where he was called on business.

The little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Gibson have been quite sick, but are now improving.

Mr. Hume Wagers, we are glad to say, is holding his own. This is encouraging news to his friends.

Misses Mabel Preston and Francis Wharton, of Valley View, are visiting Mrs. Geo. W. Hutchison.

Mrs. Sam R. McGinn, of Beattyville, visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Scribner on Second street, last week.

Miss Ruth Crowe has returned from Danville, where she went to visit her mother, who has been quite ill.

Mr. Lindell P. Evans is here on a visit to Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Evans. He is making his home at Glasgow, Mont.

Mrs. Robert Harris has gone to Nashville, Tenn., for treatment. We hope to hear of her improved condition.

Mr. Wm. Marsteller, who has been abroad for several months, has reached home and will engage in farming in this county.

Mesdames Burnsides and Walker have returned from Nicholasville, where they went to see Mr. Bates Walker, who has been ill.

Miss Georgia Lackey had two very pleasant guests last week in Miss Hazel Wolstein, of Paris, and Miss Mildred Cohen, of Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlap Blanton have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cobb, and are now visiting Mr. W. L. Blanton in Lee county.

The following well known gentlemen from Estill county were mingling with the court day crowd: J. M. Walker, C. W. Sale, Mr. Wheeler, G. B. Williams and Mr. Congleton.

Mrs. Joe T. Arnold, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Ward this week. Miss Mary Miller, of Richmond, has been the recent guest of Misses Mary and Jane Doty and Miss Katie Dee Donny. Mesdames E. V. Tudor and W. D. Sebastian, of Richmond, spent from Saturday till Monday with Mrs. J. P. Prather. Mrs. Bettie Miller has returned to her home in Lexington, having been called here by the accident to her sister, Miss Amanda Anderson.—Lancaster Record.

Don't forget to meet at the poultry show at McKee's hall Feb. 5, 6, 7 and 8. adv

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