

LOCAL NEWS



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We have a few papers left over each week which we will be glad to give you, if you will send them to some absent relative or friend.

Miss Corine Singleton and Mr. C. F. Bender, of Richmond, were united in marriage at the home of the bride on Beckner St., Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Rev. J. D. Gwaltney in an impressive manner performed the ceremony. The bride is the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Singleton and has many friends in this her girl-hood home. Mr. Bender is a popular man of his county and worthy of the lovely lady he has won as his wife. Democrat.

Church Notes

The District Convention will meet in Lancaster on May 28.

Dr. W. L. Gevedon will preach at the regular Baptist Church on Second street next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The first Sunday in June the new Christian Church will be used for the first time, on which occasion the annual Children's Day will be observed.

Sunday before last 590 were present at the Mt. Sterling Christian Church Sunday school. Evidently our sister church believes in "doing things, not dreaming them."

In Harrodsburg, Sunday, special services were held in the Assembly Presbyterian church, it being the farewell meeting before uniting with the First church. Messenger.

Rivalry between North and South Frankfort, since the location of the new Capitol on the South Side, resulted in a tie vote—100 to 100—on a proposition to erect a building on the South Side, at a meeting Sunday morning of the congregation of the Presbyterian Church, in Frankfort, where the Governors of the last three administrations have worshipped. A site was offered free, facing the St. Clair bridge, where the cars turn after crossing the Kentucky River to go to the Capitol. This congregation was organized in 1816, and the present church was in course of construction when Zachary Taylor was elected President. It is told that a public reception was given to President Taylor there before the roof was on, and that a rain storm pelted through the canvas covering. The proposed site was once a show place of Frankfort, and the old mansion that occupies it retains the marble front steps which figures in one of the principal episodes of John Fox's "Kentuckians." The church is unique in that it refused to split during the war between the States, and while the congregations contained many Southern sympathizers, it maintained its old relations, and to this day contributes to both the Northern and Southern Assemblies.—Paris Citizen.

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Commencement Exercises

The Commencement exercises of the Class of Nineteen-Thirteen of Madison Institute were held on Wednesday morning at the Presbyterian Church. The pulpit was tastefully decorated with palms, southern smilax and potted plants, a veritable fairyland of green.

Promptly at the hour of ten the graduates entered the church and walked slowly down the aisle, daintily clothed in their snowy gowns and carrying loose bunches of pink carnations; a fairer, sweeter set of girls could not have been found.

Nine in number, Misses Roberta Belle Biggerstaff, Coralie Gardner Duff, Katie Griggs, Nora Griggs, Mabel Foster Rayburn, Jenny Craig Rankin, Eva Florence Whitlock, Bessie Turner Wagers, and Jeannette Winston Pates. The Invocation was pronounced by Rev. C. K. Marshall and was followed by a chorus of girl voices "Sweeter Than the Breath of Morning."

Miss Nora Griggs then gave her essay, "Good Reading," which showed very careful preparation and was well delivered. Miss Mabel Foster Rayburn took as her subject "Who is the Real American?" and treated it in an interesting and original manner. "The Educated Woman" by Miss Eva Florence Whitlock showed unmistakable literary ability and was read in a clear, distinct voice.

Following the beautiful melody, "Welcome, Sweet Spring-time" by Rubenstein-Spicher, came Rev. R. N. Simpson's classic discourse, "Life With More Than One Dimension." He began his address with the May day of life "fragrant with roses" and used the "unyielding century plant, which gladdens the earth with its golden bloom" but once in a century, as a type of life counted by years alone, and in contrast, the crocus and tulip "heralds of hope and of Spring" and of the "golden aster" fulfilling their mission to brighten and bless. "To live long," the speaker continued, "is a reasonable quest, but we should not forget our real mission, self-conquest and a life of service."

He also emphasized that the measure of life lies in deeds, not years, citing Methuselah, who was known only as the oldest man, while Enoch's life "filled the centuries with dignity, because he walked with God." Again he spoke of the "Shepherd of the Hills" who thousands of years ago, born under the ban of Pharaoh but destined to a life of service, hears the voice from the burning bush, "The place where you stand is holy ground," takes on himself the yoke, bears the burden of his people and leads them out of bondage. Then the closing words, "Even so, young women, when you come to the place of the burning bush, may the angel of your better self speak to you and lead you on to worthy living, for 'the key to life is the key of service.'"

Prof. Cassiday delivered the diplomas to the graduates, and Hon. W. B. Smith made a short and beautiful talk, calling on the people to rally around the standard of old Madison Institute and not let its colors be trailed in the dust, then turning to the class he wished them "God speed and a long farewell."

"The Parting Hymn," beautifully written by Miss Jeannette Winston Pates, the president of the class, was then sung, after which the benediction was pronounced by Rev. C. K. Marshall.

Editor Crippled

Squire Turner, editor of the Sentinel-Democrat slipped on the steps leading to the Court House and sprained his ankle the latter part of last week. The injury was a very painful one but Mr. Turner is able to be out on crutches.

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May Day Celebration at E. K. S. N.

Beginning on Wednesday, May the fifteenth, Dr. Crabbe and his very able corps of teachers afforded the public three days of pure delight, days in which to lay aside dull care and "just be glad." After inspecting the fine work in the various grades, the fine pictures in Miss Gibson's department, and visiting the domestic science room of Miss Haverlo and seeing the beautiful work done by Mrs. S. B. Hume's class in basket making and paper cutting, the program by the Department of Latin was given at the Chapel. This included "A Roman Wedding" which was one of the best things presented during the day, abounding in noble latin phrases, absurd situations and laughable characters. To Prof. Grinstead, we are indebted for this performance. Next followed a comic dialogue, "No Peddlers Wanted," by Prof. Hoskinson.

Misses Green, Dilling, Hansen, Ulrich and Prof. Koch presented a cantata "Cinderella in Flowerland" in which the children were as lovely as the flowers they represented and all did their parts perfectly. At the conclusion of the play, the patrons of the school and other guests were invited out on the Campus where a tempting dinner was served. Immediately on re-assembling the May Day Procession was to have taken place but was stopped by a down pour of rain just as the fair queen (Miss Vories) had ascended the throne. The remainder of the program was given in the Chapel and notwithstanding the inadequate space, it was one of the most excellent we have ever seen presented by amateurs.

"A Mid-Summer Day's Dream" an original phantasy produced by Mr. Stott, and suggested by Maeterlinck's "Blue Bird." The very fact of its being the work of Mr. Stott, guaranteed its success. Would that we had space to give our impressions of the play more fully, for really it was born of sentiment and genius and will linger in the mind as a beautiful work of art representing "Yesterday," "To-day" and "To-morrow." The afternoon closed with the graceful and beautifully trained "Folk Dances" by Miss Hurst and the equally pretty Gymnastic Drills by Misses Green, Ulrich, Hansen and Dilling. At 4 p. m. the ball game was called between Eastern and Western which resulted in a glorious victory for the former. The May Day ended with the High School play "A Case of Suspension" produced by Prof. Hoskinson and was most catchy, laughable and well staged. To name the "stars" would be to give the cast of characters, for they were all stars, Misses Maydrew Farris, Ellen Miller, Mary Allen Deatherge, Elizabeth Turley and Mary Boggs, Messrs. Ed. Cobb, Jephtha Jeff, Wm. Burnam, Kie Doty and Curt Park. An Italian Folk Play, "The Immortal Spring" was presented and in this Misses Kathleen Roark, Evelyn Guinchigliani, Lillian Smith and little William Blanton acted their parts most beautifully. Mr. Edwin Cobb contributed a violin-solo accompanied by Mrs. Hoskinson, in her perfect way, which was one of the most enjoyable features of the evening.

Prof. Stott

Prof. Roscoe Gilmore Stott, teacher of English at the State Normal, has been elected a member of the Authors League of America. This is an honor worthily bestowed. Prof. Stott is an original thinker and gifted writer and we offer our hearty congratulations.

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Personal

Miss Lou Pattie, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Pattie.

Mr. William Williams, of Jackson, is in the city.

Dr. E. B. Barnes has returned from Indianapolis.

Mrs. R. P. McCord, is visiting her daughter in Illinois.

The Red Men's Conclave meets in Richmond in 1914.

Miss Lucy Lee Walton has been on a visit to Somerset.

Miss Helen Bennett is visiting her sister in Frankfort.

Prof. Throop is in the city enroute to his home at Corbin.

Mr. Robt. Burnam Jr. is in Lexington at the "Good Samaritan."

Mrs. Jno. Shackelford has been visiting relatives in Richmond.

Mrs. Gregory is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Million.

Mr. Graham Johns, of Winchester, was in Richmond Wednesday.

Miss Marcia Moss, of Williamsburg, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Zaring.

Mrs. Rogers Burlingame, of Louisville, is visiting Miss Ellen Gibson.

Mr. P. R. Lilly, of Irvine, was the guest of Mr. Harris Park last week.

Mr. George B. DeJarnett was the guest of Mr. Marion Lilly last week.

Miss Sally Woods, of Lancaster, was in Richmond the end of the week.

Mrs. Walker Reid, of Mt. Sterling, is the guest of Mrs. D. M. Chenault.

Miss Mary Sullivan spent Sunday in Lexington with Hon. J. A. Sullivan.

Mrs. E. T. Burnam has returned to Colorado, accompanied by Miss Boyer.

Mrs. A. R. Burnam is at home after an extended visit to Baltimore and Washington.

Miss Georgia Walton, left last Wednesday to accept a position in a Versailles hospital.

Miss Maria Crawford formerly of this city is at the Normal School till the end of the term.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. C. Wilson, of Louisville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Burnam.

Mrs. J. R. McGinn, of Beattyville, is in the city visiting her sister Mrs. Harvey Scriviner.

Miss Marie Louise Reynolds was the guest of Miss Austine Lilly the latter part of the week.

Mrs. J. D. Dykes returned home on Wednesday from Lexington much improved in health.

Mrs. Ronald Oldham has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, at Crittenden.

Mrs. Kellogg, Mrs. Harwood and Miss Sallie Shackelford motored to Lexington, Wednesday.

Mrs. Downs, of Louisville, is the guest of Mrs. Marcellus Jagoe at the home of Prof. D. W. Bridges.

Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Scanlon attended the meeting of the Presbytery in Harrodsburg last week.

Mrs. T. J. Taylor accompanied her sister, Miss Tee Long to her home in New Orleans on Monday.

Hon. Jno. W. Walker and Prof. Sherman Land were in the city to take in the May Day festivities at the Normal.

Mrs. Lucy White and Mrs. Green are in

Lexington where they will remain till June, when they will return to Mrs. Ellen Gibson's.

Mrs. C. H. Vaught and Jasper have returned from Louisville where they attended the Railway Surgeons Meeting.

Misses Ida and Margaret McKinney have returned from Florida where they spent the winter with their grandfather Col. T. B. Demaree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Oldham and family will go to Millersburg next week to attend the Graduating Exercises of Millersburg Military Institute.

Mrs. H. L. Wallace and Mrs. Boyd Byne, of Paint Lick, were here a short time Wednesday on their way to Hustonville to attend the W. C. T. U. Convention. Mrs. Adelia Woods went with them.

Mrs. Louise Neal, of Richmond, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Higgins a short time Wednesday on her way to Danville to visit relatives and friends.—Interior Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bicknell were in Richmond, Friday. John Welch purchased a fine automobile last week.

Judge T. J. Coyle is attending court in Richmond this week. Miss Laura Spence of Richmond, spent part of last week with friends in Berea.

Misses Ella Adams, Mattie McGuire from Richmond and Will Branaman, spent Saturday and Sunday at Brush Creek with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laswell.—Berea Citizen.

Mrs. Jas. B. Ashcraft has returned from a visit to her parents in Madison county.

Miss Margaret White, who has been attending Madison Institute, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. James Curry, of Madison county, son of the late Samson Curry, attended county court Monday.

Judge N. B. Turpin, former County Judge of Madison, has rented the Snowden property in East Irvine, and will remove here.

His services have been secured by several persons who will build in Irvine, and the Judge will doubtless find this a lucrative field in his line of work.—Estill Tribune.

Miss Nancy Long, of Madison county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Madison county, are here visiting relatives.

Miss Lizzie Bettis is at home from the Normal school at Richmond.

Miss Katie May Dickerson, of Richmond, was the guest for several days of Misses Minnie and Bessie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Blakeman and son, of Kirksville, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brown last week.

Mrs. George Bogard and little son, of Richmond, are visiting Mrs. Bogard's father and sister, Mr. Jesse Doty and Miss Emma Doty.

Miss Stella McWhorter, of Paint Lick and Mrs. Dock Hendren, of Kirksville, have been with their aunt, Mrs. W. S. Carrier.—Lancaster Record.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce GREEN CLAY as a candidate for the office of Representative of Madison county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce A. D. MILLER as a candidate for the office of Representative of Madison county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

We are authorized to announce H. C. RICE as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Madison County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce ELMER DEATHERAGE a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Madison county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce N. B. JONES a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Madison county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

We are authorized to announce R. B. TERRILL as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the Madison County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR

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.

FOR POLICE JUDGE

We are authorized to announce W. L. LEEDS as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Richmond, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN NOLAND as a candidate for the office of Police Judge of the City of Richmond, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce J. D. DYKES as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Richmond, Ky., subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE

We are authorized to announce DAVID A. POWERS as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Richmond, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JESSE DYKES as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Richmond, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CONSTABLE

We are authorized to announce W. F. FERRELL as a candidate for Constable of Magisterial District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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