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Items of Local Interest.

The mad dog scare didn't last long. Nearly all the wheat has been harvested. Its next week - Richmond Elks Fair. Drilling has begun. Now stop croaking. The sound of the drill is sad company to the croaker. Not a drunk in town the 4th. Oh, "patriotism," where art thou?

The City Council met Monday evening and transacted some minor business. Two more communications bearing no names were received this week. Want you ever learn?

Col. Billy Barton is having some of his fine horses docked, the work being done by an experienced hand from Richmond.

This office has just turned out a big lot of checks, notes, etc., for the Peoples Bank, at Paint Lick, and we defy any shop to do a better job.

Another \$1.50 excursion to Cincinnati Sunday. You have all day in the city, and there are many attractions. Train leaves Lancaster at 3:44 a. m.

The wheat crop is turning out much better than was expected. There's always a cry of "short crop," but somehow it comes out all right after all.

Its strange, but nevertheless true, that all adverse criticism of a newspaper comes from the skinflints who send over and borrow their neighbor's paper.

Wheat is being cut and most of it is being stored, the farmers believing they will get a dollar later on. Marksbury & Son, tell us they are storing large quantities, and most of their warehouse will be taken up this way.

More Tally for Record. Louisville Times: Editor Louis Landram has put a new head on the Central Record, which considerably improves the appearance of his excellent paper. He has also bought a large quantity of new type. Recently he installed a fine new Gordon job press. The Lancaster writer is a hustler.

Cynthia Democrat: The Central Record, Lancaster, has a brand new head, but the old head of its editor, though somewhat battered and fly-specked, is as good as new.

Well, good people, remember the big Elks Fair and Carnival at Richmond all next week.

Walloped Em. The Williamsburg base ball team defeated the Lancaster boys 9 to 8, Saturday. The visiting boys put up a rattling good game.

Accepted Call. Elder Holton O. Frank, of Lexington, has accepted the call of the Somerset Christian church of Montgomery county. He is a graduate from Kentucky University and is not yet twenty years of age.

Thanks, Mack. Mr. Louis Landram, of Lancaster, is in Danville yesterday. He is the editor and proprietor of the Lancaster Record and has recently equipped his office with some splendid new machinery. He is one of the brightest editorial writers in Kentucky.

Well Fixed. Alex Miller is well supplied with hawks, having two of the best hereabouts. He meets all trains, and if you will call up No. 122, he will call for you at any time, day or night. His closed carriage is nice and comfortable, and rates are way down low.

Deserving Young Men. As stated last issue, Messrs. Theo. Currey, Jr., and R. L. Davidson have purchased and taken charge of the T. Currey store. These young men are energetic, pushing gentlemen, who deserve encouragement. The Record bespeaks for them a liberal share of patronage. They are natural hustlers and will succeed.

Old Colored Soldiers Happy. Capt. W. H. Harris, the well-known show and picnic man, together with Dan Hogue, John Floyd and Geo. Leavelle, gave a picnic Friday, to which all the old colored soldiers were invited, and given a big dinner, free of charge. About sixty were fed, and they were a happy set of old fellows. The Camp Nelson band made fine music.

Drilling Begins. Mr. J. W. Algeo, of the Artesian Well Supply Co., Providence, R. I., arrived Saturday to begin work on the artesian well, which is to supply the town with water. The machinery arrived Monday, and, judging from the size of the ponderous drill, he will soon do what that fellow at Stanford said, "Hit water, h—l or China, in a very short time. He is very sanguine of success, and says it will not take long to find a stream that will fill the contract. If he succeeds, he is to receive two thousand dollars, but unless water is found in certain quantities, he gets nothing.

The biggest thing on wheels, - the Richmond Elks Fair and Carnival all next week.

Men Wanted. One of the road masters of this division of the L. and N. told us the company had much trouble in securing labor during the hot weather. He said they frequently had to send out and hunt laborers. The company pays well, but Rastus is not there in summer.

Everybody Getting Them. The telephone has grown in popularity until now almost everybody has a phone in their house, and you can talk to any part of the county. The advantages of an instrument are so many, that it would be folly to attempt to mention them. The service in this county is the best in Kentucky and far the cheapest.

Try It Here. Squire James F. Barkley had warrants issued one day last week against fourteen negroes for loitering on the streets of Nicholasville. Judge Crutcher fined each of them from \$1 to \$10. The city and county officials are determined to break up the practice which has always been a great nuisance. - Jessamine Journal.

Guess He's Lost. "Wonder what's become of Daws?" is heard almost every day, the reference being to our good old friend, M. D. Hughes, who went west a few weeks ago to grow up with the country, or let the country grow up with him, we don't know which. It does look like he should remember THE RECORD with a letter.

Not In Hot Weather. During the Spring, many colored men left Lancaster and went to work on the K. C. railroad, near Covington. As soon as this spell of hot weather set in, they began to sneak back, until almost every one is back lounging about the "Chute." Most of these men work well in winter, but the sun takes the temper out of them.

Ball. After a lingering illness, Mr. Henry Ball died at his home near town last Friday. The deceased was a farmer, and a widely-known man. He was related to many families all over the country. He was an honest, straightforward man in his dealings, liberal hearted and honest. After appropriate services, the remains were buried at the Lancaster Cemetery.

A Good Trick. E. W. Arnold and Geo. T. Arnold have invented a fastening to hold traces on the single trees of buggies which bids fair to make them some money. It consists of a wire spring, so arranged that the traces can be slipped in position and removed in a moment's time. It is securely held in position and there is absolutely no danger of its coming loose.

They Liked Him. One of our ministers preached to his sweltering congregation for only fifteen minutes Sunday morning, and its safe to say they are ready to stand by him now through thick and thin. It goes without saying that he was not preaching on the shortcomings of his hearers, or they would have been there yet. He was evidently talking on the credit side of the ledger.

Judge Sautley Announces. Elsewhere in this issue of THE RECORD will be found the announcement of Judge M. C. Sautley for re-election as circuit judge. In a recent issue of this paper we dwelt at considerable length on the official conduct and excellent qualifications of Judge Sautley, so will not repeat here what was so recently said. Everybody in the county knows Judge Sautley, and his splendid services as judge speak for themselves.

Young Girls Run Grocery. Danville has a unique commercial firm composed of two young ladies, who have purchased the retail grocery business of Mr. R. P. Stevens. The proprietors are Miss Mary Bengé, aged sixteen, who is the daughter of Mr. Rice Bengé, a liveryman, and Miss Mattie Coulter, a cousin of Miss Bengé. The latter is seventeen years of age and from Nicholasville. The firm is entirely on its own resources, and the young ladies have entire business charge.

The Place To Go. Every business man should make it a point to take a few days off from work during the summer. A fellow can stay cooped up in his den until he becomes shop-worn, he thinks of nothing but business, and we have known some men, who had been pretty clever fellows, to get crabbed and as mean as the devil and think the world was resting on their shoulders. The thing to do is break away for a few days, go over to Crab Orchard Springs and get a change. The water will give you a good spring cleaning, the change of diet will build you up, you will get several good, cool nights sleep and come back to your treadmill with renewed vigor, know better how to treat people and have a lot of the moss rubbed off your back. Crab Orchard Springs is one of the most delightful places in the United States, and the rates are very reasonable, indeed. Go over and try this. You will have telephone service from the Springs office right into your place of business here at home.

Temperance Rally. Rev. A. R. Moore, assisted by the W. C. T. U., will hold a temperance rally at Buckeye, next Saturday at three o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present. Come everybody.

The Pasteur Treatment. Frank Lackey, the colored man bitten by the dog last week, left for Chicago to take the above treatment. While there is some doubt as to the dog being mad, yet it would have been a mistake to take chances on it. This is a wonderful treatment, and has made some remarkable cures. The treatment should be taken as soon as possible after being bitten, as there is danger in delay. Neither Mr. Gill or Lackey have returned, but reports say they are getting along nicely and reached the treatment in time to prevent serious results.

A Big Fish. Mrs. Stella O'Neal Hubble writes to her many friends in Lancaster, a description of a big fish caught at Rockcastle Springs, in Rockcastle river. This was a cat fish, measuring 48 inches in length, 26 inches around the body, eight inches across the mouth, ten inches across the head, and weighing 60 pounds. It was caught by a hired man at the hotel. We had ten pounds of it baked for dinner, and it was delicious. Wish many of our Lancaster friends could have been here to have enjoyed it with us.

Happened in Lancaster. Here is the latest going the rounds of newspaperdom. A donkey stepped into a store, and the owner approached the beast and asked: "What are you doing here? You know this is no place for a donkey." "I am here," said the donkey; "because I saw your advertisement on the fence that surrounds my pasture. I know you, too, must be a donkey, or you would place your advertisement in a newspaper where it would be read by people, not donkeys. Being lonesome today, I thought I would be neighborly and make a fraternal call."

How Lancaster Will Look. Danville News: Editor Landram of the Central Record is hot under the collar. In last week's issue of his paper he dwells at great length on Danville's prospects of getting an extension of the Southern Railway from Burgin to this city. He heads his article "Just Too Cute," and "Danville Friends Would Work a Rabbit's Foot But 'There's Many a Slip, etc.'" Probably Bro. Landram has cause to become excited, for if Danville succeeds in her efforts, his town will be made to look like a small part of thirty cents.

Mr. Currey Retires. After many years of active business pursuits, Mr. Theodore Currey has sold his grocery store to Messrs. Theo. Currey, Jr., and R. L. Davidson, as was advertised in last issue of this paper. If the figures were given, they would doubtless show that Mr. Currey has sold more groceries than any man in Central Kentucky. He came to Lancaster from Harrodsburg, and for forty years has been in the grocery business. No man enjoys higher respect from the people than does he, nor is there a better man in any community. THE RECORD sincerely trusts that a few days rest will restore Mr. Currey to health and strength, for such men are needed in the community.

The Base Ball. The Richmond Elks came down Friday and played a pretty game of ball with the local team. While the score was 11 to 4, in favor of Lancaster, yet the game was a hot one from start to finish. It is regretted that the boys came on the 4th, as half the population of the town had gone away to spend the day. Another cause for the small attendance was the excessive heat. The "grand stand" (the bare ground) was very uncomfortable for a hot day, and few people cared to sit in the broiling sun, with their knees jammed under their chin in order to see a ball game. The visitors were given as pleasant a reception as was possible, and the Lancaster people are loud in praising their gentlemanly deportment and good playing.

Mad Dog Scare. For a few days there was much talk about the mad dog which bit several people in town and Mayor Kinnaird ordered that all dogs be taken up and kept chained for thirty days. While it is true that there is an occasional case of hydrophobia, yet nine times in ten the so-called "mad dog" has strayed from home, and every one who sees him takes a shot at him, or in some way scares him, and by the time the poor thing has traveled half a mile the cry "mad dog" has put every body on their metal and he is shot and beaten to death. Those who know what they are talking about say a mad dog will not approach any one, but on the other hand strikes a bee line for water. In most every case, a dog bites a person simply because the person is molesting the animal, and the poor thing is trying to protect itself. The ordinance or proclamation of the Mayor will have a good effect, however, and if all worthless canines were ordered killed, it would be a wise move. We will venture the assertion that there are one hundred dogs being harbored in Lancaster today on which no tax is paid.

New Firm. Owing to my health failing me I have sold out my stock of goods to Theo. Currey, Jr., and R. L. Davidson, who, will continue the business at the old stand. I want to thank all of my old friends who have so liberally patronized me in the past, and ask a continuance of the same liberal share of their patronage for the new firm. July 1st, 1902. Respectfully, Theo. Currey, Sen.

The Carnival Contest. Interest in the contest for Queen of the Elks Fair Carnival, at Richmond, is at a white heat. The Richmond boys are working like Turks, but Lancaster's fair nominee, Miss Bradley, is right up at the front of the race. Notwithstanding the fact that she has the field against her, the Lancaster boys believe she will win the Contest and be the Queen. It is impossible to come to see the people, so if you want to help swell the voting up this office, and we will send you all the tickets you want. Votes are five cents each, and anybody can vote, whether they are Elks or not. The voting closes next Saturday night, at eleven o'clock.

When the vote was counted Monday, Miss Florrie Chenault was 1,000, Miss Bradley 600 and Miss Smith 368, the rest remaining about the same as last week.

You Can Judge From This. We were disappointed in getting all the pictures for our write up of the recent cyclone, but the following gives so true an idea of the storm's peculiar and destructive work that we print it, late as it is. The tree is only a few feet from the house. The entire second story was swept away, the first story and the tree being left without the slightest harm.



A Great Vocal Contest. Will be held at Danville, on July 22, 1902. Experience, gained from other contests, has made it possible to assure the public that this will be in all respects one of the most pleasant events of the mid-summer. The program will not only be well filled, but also have singers of recognized talent on the list. Three prizes, twenty, ten and five dollars in gold will be awarded to the successful contestants. The young ladies of the Baptist Sunday school will have charge.

PREACHERSVILLE. J. H. Thompson sold some hogs for 74 cents.

J. S. Pettus bought 12 cattle in Rockcastle last week.

J. C. Fox sold 9 good steers to Jake Robinson for 4c.

J. A. Ledford sold a sow and pigs to W. P. Grimes for \$26.

W. H. Brown bought a car-load of nice lambs in Pulaski last week.

Dr. Acton and Grant, of Lancaster were here to see a patient one day last week.

W. D. Elmore and J. B. Hutchins bought 4 head of cattle from J. P. Rogers for \$75.

J. F. Holtzclaw sold about 100 barrels of corn to J. H. Baughman for \$3.25 per barrel.

Thos. Breedlove made his seventh move last week this year. He is now with Dave Thompson.

The public schools here will commence the 14th inst. Preachersville school, A. T. Lunceford, teacher; Hobbs school, Miss Lizzie Pettus, teacher; Harman's Lick, J. B. Hutchins, teacher.

Mrs. Maggie Hobbs, of Lancaster, is here preparing to go to New Mexico, to see her sister... Prof. Bishop and wife have gone to Harrodsburg to attend the Teachers Institute at that place... J. L. Kennedy is some better, though he still has a severe pain in the top of his head. We hope he will soon be well... J. L. Hutchins and wife spent Sunday at Dripping Springs for real good water, kind treatment, and plenty to eat, Dripping Springs cannot be surpassed... Jas. Kennedy has returned from Indiana, where he has been at work... Joe Pettus and wife, of Springfield, have been visiting here for a few days... Mrs. B. D. Holtzclaw was visiting her mother, Mrs. Pettus, Sunday... Miss Alzie Brown, of Rockcastle, has been visiting the Mises Thompsons for a few days... J. W. Cummins, of Lancaster, was with home folks Sunday.

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