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Is your present plumbing equipment exactly suited to the needs of your household, and is it as sanitary and efficient as it should be? If not, it would be to your profit to have us install "Standard" guaranteed fixtures. This line of sanitary ware is made in such a wide range of sizes and designs that we can supply fixtures to suit the most exacting tastes.

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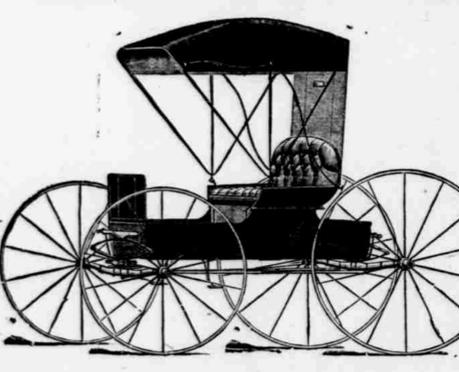
We will have with us on the above mentioned dates a special representative from the well known Tailoring Firm of

L. E. Hays Co., Cincinnati,
who will make display and take measures for FALL and WINTER SUITS.

Give this great line a look and see the new styles for FALL

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W. J. Romans.

The Ladies Aid Society of Gun's Chapel Methodist Church, will have an Ice Cream Supper at the church yard, Saturday evening, September 2nd, from 5:30 to 10 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Will Build Residence.

Mr. Theodore Curry has broken ground for a residence on Richmond street on what is known as the "Irve Miller" lot. Mr. Curry hopes to complete his residence before cold weather.

Fair, Fair, Fair.

All persons interested in the future of the Lancaster Fair will meet at the county court room in Lancaster Ky., on Saturday afternoon Sept., 9th at 2 o'clock to discuss plans for the organization of a permanent Garrard county Fair Association. Everybody invited to be present.

Brother Rucker Gets Fooled.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an interesting communication from our good friend, Mr. I. C. Rucker of Paint Lick. Mr. Rucker tells of his visit to the Sanger Circus, and he evidently, as did many more of our susceptible citizens fell a prey to the wiles of the female impersonator who acted as an usher for the gentlemen who entered the tent, and they never discovered that SHE was a man.

Mike Conn Married.

In the list of marriage licenses issued published in the Lexington Herald appears "M. O. Conn" and Margaret Skeen. Diligent inquiry upon the part of the Record failed to get the particulars further than that they were married. Mike Owsley Conn is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conn and resides at Wilmore Ky. to which place he and his parents moved from this county, and Mike is engaged in the grocery and meat market business.

Republican Speaking.

Hon. Edwin P. Morrow, United States District Attorney for the eastern district of Kentucky and nephew of Senator Bradley will speak at the court house in Lancaster on Friday Sept. 8th at one o'clock. Mr. Morrow is one of the best speakers in the republican party and was a strong tip for Governor, but refused to become a candidate. A large crowd of Garrard County republicans will no doubt be on hand on the above named date to hear the silver tongued orator.

County Court.

Monday was an unusually quiet county court day in so far as business was concerned. There was a very large crowd here, and a goodly number of plug horses, mules and mule colts, but very few changed hands. Everybody seemed to be here for the purpose of inspecting the market, and to see what stock and farm products were going to be worth rather than to do any immediate trading. There was no cattle at the pens, the weather being too dry for the drovers to bring them through the country.

Gooch-Ribbals.

News has been received here of the marriage of Mr. Roy Gooch, son of W. R. Gooch, who is now located at Harriman, Tenn., and Miss Ruby Ribbals, of this city. They were married last Friday and left immediately for a trip to Louisville and other points. Mr. Gooch is employed in a jewelry store in Harriman and has made many friends in that city since going there. He is a hustling young business man and his friends here wish he and his bride much happiness.—Somerset Times.

Mr. Gooch is well known here where he was formerly associated with Mr. F. P. Frisbie in the jewelry business.

Land Brings Good Price.

Mr. Jesse B. Parks, who a few years ago purchased 175 acres of the J. Wade Walker farm on the Richmond pike three miles southeast of Paint Lick, paying \$75. per acre therefor, has sold that farm to Center Bros. of Clay county for \$125. per acre, possession to be given on January 1, 1912. This is second in quality to no farm in Garrard county. At the time Mr. Parks purchased the farm it was unimproved, but he has erected on it two dwellings and a barn, and has made many improvements, notwithstanding which he will realize a handsome profit by his sale. It is to be hoped that Mr. Parks will purchase property elsewhere in the county and remain with us, as he is one of Garrard's most substantial citizens.

School Opening.

The sixteenth session of the Garrard county Graded Schools opens Monday, September 4th, and it is expected that the attendance will exceed that of any of the former years. The school buildings have been thoroughly overhauled and painted, inside and out, the grounds and all surroundings placed in first class condition, and everything points to one of the most prosperous years in the history of Garrard county's splendid school.

Professor Riley and his splendid corps of teachers are already busy figuring out the grades and preparing the order of the conducting of the new school and by the time the opening bell taps every thing will be in readiness and no time will be wasted in the usual preliminaries. Elsewhere in this issue will be found Prof. Riley's assignment of his teachers for the coming school term.

Chinn Wins Nomination.

George P. Chinn, son of Col. Jack Chinn, was nominated for the legislature by the democrats of Mercer county in a primary last Saturday. He defeated his opponent, F. P. McGarvey by 509 votes.

Must Have Had 'Em

Down at Harrodsburg last Thursday during a shower of rain, a lot of small red lizards fell, so says the Herald. If it were not that we know it is in dry territory, we would inquire what brand they were drinking down there.

Road Work Discontinued.

Because of the continued dry weather the county machinery was compelled to quit operating on the Richmond pike. They have completed the road as far as Mr. A. R. Denny's farm, and as they were compelled to haul water from Dr. Burnett's pond at the Conn place, it was deemed advisable to wait for rain before continuing. As soon as we have sufficient rainfall the road will be completed to the Madison county line.

Negroes Tried.

In the county court last Thursday David Denny had his examining trial for the cutting of Mont Kavanaugh at Adamstown a few weeks ago. He was held over in the sum of \$200. bond to await the action of the grand jury, in default of which he will remain in jail.

Sam Davis, who carved up Fred Emerson, alias "Pottsie" during the colored fair was given one hundred days at hard labor. Both of the injured darkeys were able to appear against their assailants.

Election Commissioners Named

At the meeting of the State Board of Election Commissioners held in Frankfort on last Saturday Mr. J. Fleece Robinson was named as the Democratic and Mr. R. H. Batson as the Republican commissioners for Garrard county. In eight counties in the state there were such warm factional fights in the Republican ranks that no commissioners were named, and the commission will meet again on September 6th to name commissioners for these counties.

Another Killing in Danville.

On last Saturday afternoon in the yards of the Q & C railroad in Danville Yardmaster Thomas J. Fitzgerald was so badly beaten over the head with a club that he died as a result of his injuries. William P. Nichols, a switchman, is in jail charged with the crime. Fitzgerald was 37 years of age and was married, and was from Waverly N. Y., where his remains were sent. Nichols refuses to discuss the matter. He is about 40 years of age and is from Corbin Ky.

Suicide at Crab Orchard.

M. J. Auxier and attorney of Pikeville Ky. who had been under treatment at a sanitarium at Crab Orchard Ky. suicided last Saturday by opening the arteries of his left arm with the blade of a safety razor. Thirty minutes before the deed was committed he had been given treatment by a physician, but so violent was the flow of blood from his wound that within the short time the bed clothing was soaked with blood and pools had formed on the floor. Auxier is survived by a wife and several small children who had but a few days previous left Crab Orchard for their home in Pikeville.

L. & N. Short Of Water.

Supt. Herron of the Water Works received a telegram from Supt. Anderson of the L. & N. at Paris Sunday stating that they desired to have at least four trains daily to take water at this station. Mr. Herron was compelled to inform him that this could not be done, not because we did not have the water, but because we cannot foresee when we will have enough rain to replenish the present supply of water at the lake.

Could Lancaster's water supply be increased and rendered proof against exhaustion, there is little doubt but that the L. & N. would establish a watering station at this point, which would insure many dollars of revenue yearly to the city.

Paint Lick Postoffice Robbed.

On the night of the 23rd inst what is thought to have been professional cracksmen robbed the postoffice at Paint Lick Ky., securing stamps and stamped paper and postoffice money to the amount of \$424.50, \$71.60 in money order money and about \$20.00 in cash belonging to the postmaster, Mr. A. B. Estridge, also some valuable papers of Mr. Estridge. That gentleman places his individual loss, including damage to safe and property at \$250. The thieves broke the lock on Conn's shop near the scene of the robbery and secured tools with which they prized open the rear door. They then blew the safe doors. Two reports were heard at about 1 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Estridge at once wired to Lexington for the dog, and Mr. Mullikin came over with them in an auto; the dogs readily struck the trail from the postoffice to Conn's shop and back, and thence across the bridge into Madison, where the cash drawer was found behind a stone wall. Here the trail was lost and it is presumed the thieves took an automobile, as one was heard to go toward Richmond about half hour after the reports were heard which supposedly blew the safe.

Patrons Of The Lancaster Graded School.

The sixteenth session of the Lancaster Graded School will begin Monday September 4th, according to present intentions. The friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to be present at the simple opening exercises.

The tentative grade assignments have been made as follows:

1st A. and B. grades...Miss Brashear.
2nd. A. and B. and 3rd B...Miss Dean.
3rd A. and 4th A. and B...Miss Anderson.

5th A. and B. Mrs. Darnold.
6th. B. and 7th. A. and B...Miss Smith.
8th. A. and B. Miss West.

According to this division each teacher will have an average of 43 pupils if 1st B. or the primer grade, approximately 25.

Hereafter the primer division will only spend one year in 1st grade instead of two as heretofore. By means of this classification a pupil in the grades is promoted every 4 months, at mid term an 8th A pupil becomes a 9th grade member and an 8th B. becomes an 8th A. This classification greatly aids the equitable division of the pupils among the several teachers. The mode of division will be explained Monday by the principal or any grade teacher. The grades of the High School will be conducted in the usual manner.

The excellent school spirit of Lancaster is to be commended and it is hoped that the teaching may ever have your active sympathetic co-operation.

Yours very truly,
J. L. Riley, Principal.

A Day Off To Lancaster.

Having a day off concluded to spend it in Lancaster among my old friends and acquaintances. The first thing very noticeable was the excellent new pike which is completed from the town to A. R. Denny's home, a fraction over four miles, it is sure a dandy and is a credit to the parties that are making it, so let the good work go on until completed from Lancaster to the Paint Lick bridge regardless of cost, next on entering the town Richmond street is, and is improving wonderfully a number of substantial, good, beautiful residence going up, some appeared to be finished; street and pavements nice and good and up to date. Next I drove out to Mr. Alex Walkers, a Bro Miller, and asked permission to hitch my horse in his lot, but no sir, hitching my horse in his lot was not the thing for him. Took him out, put him in his stable, fed him corn and oats and gave him a good drink of pure water. Next up town among old acquaintances, and when dinner time came I simply had to hide out to keep from imposing on my good friends who would simply have me take dinner or hide out. Then last but not least I went out to see the Sangers Combined Show; after getting my ticket I entered the big tent and agreeably surprised was I to have a nice young lady of the show to escort me to my seat, on leaving she chuckled me under the chin and seemed to wish me a good time. So I spent a very pleasant day in Lancaster indeed.

Your old friend
I. C. Rucker.

New Tobacco Plans.

President Clarence LeBus is seeking to establish a \$2,500,000 plant for the purpose of handling the burley tobacco output of the state. He has proposed to Mr. J. B. Haggan, Master of Elmendorf, a proposition that he, Mr. LeBus, place his crop of 300 acres and that Mr. Haggan place his 500 acres in the pools a nucleus around which the proposed plan shall be formed. Mr. Haggan has the matter, which Mr. LeBus reduced to writing under consideration. The plan proposed by Mr. LeBus is that the growers in the burley district pool their acreage for ten years the pooling being recorded so as to render it binding on all parties, the tobacco then to be put together, the landowners to take 25 per cent of the entire crop or 50 per cent of their one half interest in stock in a company to be known as a manufacturing company or in other words they would turn over that amount of tobacco or its equivalent, the idea being, if possible to manufacture all the tobacco so pooled.

By this arrangement the manufacturing company would have, President LeBus points out, one-fourth of all the tobacco pooled with which to commence business. The manufacturing company would then pay the market price for all or any part of the other three-fourths remaining, and manufacture it also if the business justified. Any part that could not be used by the factory would be sold to the best advantage on the open market or privately and by this system the company could build up, he points out a good trade in the manufacture of tobacco. Under such a co-operative plan, President LeBus points out, it would be impossible for the "Tobacco Trust" to "squeeze" the manufacturing company, or put it out of business for the reason that the factory would have an income of one fourth of all the tobacco pooled each year for ten years, which would enable it to continue in business until it did make a success and become a profitable enterprise.

Since the above plan was suggested it has met with much encouragement among the large tobacco growers of the state, and President LeBus is of the opinion that it will meet with ultimate success.

East End Mills Sold.

The East End Mills have been sold by its proprietors, Messrs Sanders & Schooler to Burnside & Robinson and Mr. Terry Hagan. Possession will not be given until January 1st. Mr Hagan has sold his farm on the Lancaster pike to Mr. Lem Whitaker, the gate manufacturer of this city.—Richmond Register.

Republicans Choose A New Chairman.

At a meeting of the Garrard county Republican Committee Monday afternoon Mr. A. B. Estridge tendered his resignation as Chairman of that body, which was accepted and Mr W. C. Winn was chosen to succeed him. Mr Winn is a prominent farmer of the Paint Lick section, and is an ex-member of the Kentucky legislature.

Land Sales.

On Monday Dr. J. A. Amon, Master Commissioner of the Garrard circuit court, sold a tract of land containing 110 1/2 acres at mouth of Back Creek belonging to the estate of the late Cyrus Sanders. Burton Sanders and Arthur Hager became the purchasers at \$50. per acre.

The Commissioner also sold a tract comprising 17 acres on Sugar Creek belonging to the Simpson heirs, Milo Simpson being the purchaser for \$401.

The 375 acre farm on White Lick Creek belonging to the late J. M. Higginbotham's heirs was offered for sale by Mr. G. T. Higginbotham, and as he received an offer of only \$45. per acre for it he withdrew it from the market. The land will be offered privately.

T. B. Walker's Will Probated.

In the county court Monday the Will of the late T. B. Walker was offered for probate. Judge Lewis L. Walker and John F. Walker were named as executors, John F. Walker declined to qualify and Judge Walker took the oath and executed bond in the sum of \$25,000 as executor. Mr. Walker left his property in accordance with the laws of descent and distribution of the state of Kentucky, with the exception that he willed that the executor should have the right to sell the real estate if necessary for the purpose of paying his debts, and that the residue of the proceeds of said sale should be treated as real estate.

Mr. Walker, besides a goodly amount of other personalty, left \$2000. life insurance and his large farm in the outskirts of town. Messrs J. S. Johnson, W. F. Champ and J. W. Sweeney were appointed as appraisers of the estate.

Difficulty At Paint Lick.

On last Saturday morning a report was circulated that a killing had taken place in Paint Lick. Sheriff Ballard and County Attorney Robinson immediately went to the scene and when they reached there found a mountain had grown out of a mole hill. The foundation for the rumor was a difficulty between John Foley a blacksmith who formerly lived here, his wife and son on one side and a man named John Waddle on the other. It seems that Waddle and Mrs Foley had previous trouble over the boy Isaiah Foley, and it is claimed that this was renewed and that the boy secured a shot gun and discharged its contents into Waddle, eighty bird shot taking effect in various parts of his anatomy. It was charged that Foley aided and abetted the boy in his action. The officers arrested the Foleys and brought them to town, and as Waddle was unable to appear, the trial was postponed until Monday. Before Judge Ford Monday Isaiah Foley was held to the grand jury under \$500. bond, in default of which he went to jail. Mrs Foley was given a \$50. fine which the court gave her until Saturday to settle. John Foley was dismissed. It seems that the good people of Paint Lick are bothered a good deal with this kind of lawlessness and should be afforded some kind of police protection.

Monday is Labor Day. The banks will close and the postoffice will observe holiday hours.

Eld F. M. Tinder will fill his pulpit at the Christian church Sunday Morning September 3rd.

H. T. Logan has a tailor with him Friday and Saturday of this week, stop in and see the new styles.

Money due Jurors for June term of court is now ready.
F. G. Hurt T. J. F.

Miss Willie B. Henry and Forest D. Ross both of near Spoonville, this county were quietly married at the courthouse Wednesday afternoon by Judge Ford. The happy young couple left at once for their home.

Horses and Mules.

Mr. R. B. Shuman of Monticello Fla, will be in Lancaster Tuesday Sept. 5th, to buy a car load of horses and mules.

Another Automobile.

Mr. David Hurt is the latest addition to the list of automobilists. He has just purchased a White Steamer runabout and will now disport himself on the recently constructed Richmond boulevard.

Burnam Ledford Improving.

The many friends of Mr. C. E. Ledford who recently underwent a serious operation at the Lancaster Hospital will be glad to know that he is greatly improved and that he hopes to leave the hospital this week and return to his home and business at Manse.

Drought Partially Relieved.

Rain has fallen within the past week all over the county in sufficient quantities to be of great help to the growing crops, especially late corn and tobacco, and in some places the down fall has served to start the springs and creeks. However we can start a lot more of it as there is a scarcity of stock water in many regions.

Bargain Sale.

A very desirable home in residence portion Lancaster, 9 room dwelling two acres of land, shady and desirable, plenty of fruit, water in house, out building good. Bargain of your life, if sold within the next 30 days full information apply to Ed C. Gains, Terms easy The Insurance man.

New Insurance Firm.

Mr. Jas. B. Collier has purchased the interest of Mr. J. S. Haselden in the firm of Beazley & Haselden. The style of the new firm is Beazley & Collier. Mr Collier is well known to nearly every person in this county having been in business here for several years. They will continue to write insurance as heretofore and their office is at the same place. It goes without saying that they will continue the good business of the old firm.

Mr. Haselden hasn't decided as yet what business he will go into but we hope not to lose him from our town.

Good Man Announces

In this issue of the paper will be found the announcement of Mr. Walton E. Moss for Magistrate in the first district of Garrard County. Mr. Moss is well and favorably known by nearly every democrat in the county having moved here twelve years ago from Frankfort, N. C. where he was born. He came here a young man and married Miss Eudoxia Moss, a daughter of Mr. W. B. Moss.

He is one of the leading farmers of this county and is a fine business man as every one who knows him is bound to say. He is a good democrat and while he has never run for an office before he has always voted the democratic ticket and had the best interest of the party at heart. If elected to this office Mr. Moss will guard well the interest of the people.

FARM FOR SALE

I will offer privately for sale, the farm belonging to the late T. B. Walker just east of and adjoining the city limits of Lancaster, Ky., containing about 260 acres. This is one of the very best farms in Garrard County.

Lewis L. Walker, Executor.