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BRIEF COURTSHIP.

John G. Wells Married Ten Days After Wife Died.

Mary Girten, the Bride---Pellville Neighbors Make Protests in Vain.

Ten days ago John G. Wells buried his wife. Mary Girten nursed her during a long illness. Yesterday Wells and Mary Girten came to Owensboro from their homes near Pellville and were married.

Seldom has such a couple entered the court house. Wells is probably over sixty years of age, and, in a way, has seen much of the world. The woman—hardly a woman though she does not appear to be over seventeen years old, had never been to any larger town than her native village of Pellville. She was nervous and excited, anxious to get away from the bustle and noise of the city and back to the quiet of her country home. She expressed the hope that she would never again have to come to Owensboro, because there was too much noise.

The couple had trouble in getting license. Several persons from the Pellville neighborhood had telephoned the county clerk's office protesting against one being issued. They said that the girl was not twenty-one years old and that there were other reasons the marriage should not be allowed to take place.

But the girl made affidavit that she was twenty-one years of age. Still there was a hitch. The clerical force in the office appeared disposed to discourage the attempt on the part of the old man and the girl to get a license. Wells had not secured a bondsman, and there was no effort to help him find one.

Finally the old widower of ten days standing, succeeded in finding a man who would sign the bond. Every requirement of the law had been complied with, and Deputy Clerk James Weir issued the license. The couple went to the office of Justice Rodman and the ceremony was said. When the Knottsville stage pulled out they were among the passengers, on the way to their home.

Mr. John B. Foster Dead.

Mr. John B. Foster died at his home in Hartford at 12:30 o'clock last Friday afternoon, after a brief illness of dysentery or consumption of the bowels. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. B. D. Bennett assisted by Revs. W. T. Miller and G. J. Bean, were held at the Methodist church here the following day at 2 o'clock after which interment took place at Mill cemetery, Nocreek. A large crowd of relatives and friends of the deceased and family attested their kindly remembrance by attending the funeral and burial rites.

Mr. Foster's death was very unexpected to most every one. He arrived from Louisville Tuesday quite ill but not thought to be seriously so. He grew continuously worse however and all that medical skill and loving hands could do was of no avail. THE REPUBLICAN extends condolence to the bereaved family and other relatives.

Y. M. C. A. Chat.

The following strong and sticking editorial from the pen of the editor of the Express at Batrice, Neb., recently appeared. "To the Young Men's Christian Association? credit should be given for the most practical work ever done by any church auxiliary organization. There is nothing intemperate about its methods, no bickering with sin and drunkenness, no foolishness, hysterics or whims. It believed in doing Christian work in a business like way and it applies it benefit in a manner calculated to excite admiration and respect. The railroad corporations recognize the help to their business realized because of the presence of these institutions and they encourage the word." We are

glad to note the progress of the Association in Ohio county. It teaches clean bodies, clean thoughts, clean right living and directs and expands the spiritual natures of young men. We never believed in unwashed and physically miserable christians, and churches that fail to teach the beauties of cleanliness and the necessity of hygienic living as does the Y. M. C. A., is guilty of a real and evident sin of omission. The county committee composed of twenty-one of Ohio county's best men and the county Secretary Richard Sidenius are willing to help to organize a department in your community for the betterment of the young men of our beloved county. R. S.

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KICKED TO DEATH

Was Will Thomas in Hancock County.

Hawesville, Ky., July 31.—News of a horrible murder, which occurred at the sandstone quarries, eight miles above here, reached this place to-day. William Thomas, foreman of the quarries, and Jim Pate, a workman, became involved in a quarrel, and Pate knocked Thomas down. He then kicked the prostrate man until he was dead, his face being bruised and several ribs being crushed in.

Further than this the particulars have not been learned. As soon as the killing occurred Pate left and has not been captured, though the officers left to hunt for him as soon as the news was received. There is no telephone at the quarries and the information was not received for some time after the occurrence.

Both of the men are white, and have been employed at the quarries for some time, though neither is known here. The quarry is located near the Fawcett's cut, about two miles below Cloverport, though in this county.

To Enforce Cigarette Law.

The county Board of Health have ordered a strict enforcement of section 1277 Kentucky Statutes which provides as follows:

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell or furnish to any person under the age of eighteen years any cigarette material, or to give, sell or barter the same to any person whomsoever, with the knowledge that the same is to be given or sold or bartered to any such child, or to persuade, advise, counsel or compel any child under said age to smoke the same. Any person who violates the provisions of this sections shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction therefor, shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding thirty days or both so fined and imprisoned.

SULPHUR SPRINGS.

Aug. 2.—Mrs. Annie Ehret, who has been visiting friends and relatives here, returned to her home in Boonville, Ind., Sunday.

Miss Minnie Wedding and Effie Mitchell attended meeting at Marvin's Chapel Sunday.

Louis Bickle and family, Evansville, Ind., who has been visiting here, returned home Sunday.

Miss Cora Magan is visiting Mrs. Annie Ehret, Boonville Ind.

Miss Maggie Wedding was the guest of Miss Clifflie Acton Sunday.

Tom Miller, Magan was in our vicinity Sunday.

Miss Lula Johnston, Louisville, is visiting her father, I. D. Johnston.

Mrs. C. R. Crowe and daughter, who have been visiting friends and relatives here for the past week, returned to their home in Sturgis Saturday.

Miss Artie Duff is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida Godsey, Shreve.

ONE KILLED ONE WOUNDED

At a Negro Dance in Hayti Last Saturday Night.

Last Saturday night the colored gentry of Hayti planned, as a climax to a picnic held in the afternoon, to give a dance at the U. B. F. Hall. A large crowd, probably two hundred, had gathered in and the dance had just begun when some of the boys who had inbibed too freely of "fire water" entered the Hall and undertook to assume management of affairs in rather boisterous way. Buck Barrett seemed to be master of ceremonies and attempted to quiet the noisy parties, but they refused to become quiet. Ab Lawrence took the request to be quiet an insult and drew his revolver. Buck went him one better and drew two. A valley of shots rang out and when the smoke cleared away and the fright of the crowd somewhat subsided Dee Jackson was found dead on the floor, a ball having penetrated the front and upper part of his head and Ab Lawrence was wounded, a ball having entered the upper part of his left breast ranging towards the shoulder.

As soon as the shooting was over the Barrett negro jumped out of the window and ran down to Hartford and surrendered to the authorities and was lodged in jail where he remained until Tuesday afternoon when he was released on bond.

It is not clearly known who fired the shot that killed the Jackson negro as no one seems to have been shooting at him.

Lawrence was attended by Dr. E. B. Pendleton in a few minutes after being shot and at last account was recovering.

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Notice.

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For more detailed information related to the appointments address Pres. Patterson at Lexington or call on me.

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BUFORD.

Aug. 2.—Mrs. R. L. Paris and Miss Eva Hackett visited her parents in Livermore Friday returning Sunday.

Sam Holbrook and wife visited her mother, Mrs. Missouri King, of Ashbyburg, last week.

Mrs. Mary Bell visited her sister, Mrs. A. R. Pirtle and brother, J. B. Rowan, of Heflin, last week.

Miss Dee Roach, of Sutherland Station, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kirk at this place.

Mr. Gray and family, of Daviess county, have moved in the red front. James Nelson, an old soldier formerly of this place, died of dropsy in Owensboro Monday and was buried at Barnett's Creek Tuesday.

Mrs. Whaland, son and daughter, of Owensboro, attended the burial of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charley Whaland, here yesterday.

Died at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cundiff, Mrs. Minnie Whayland Monday, July 30, 1905, age 24 years 4 months and 22

days, professed faith in Christ and united with the Baptist at MtCarmel when quiet young, lived and died a true christian. Pleading with all to meet her in heaven, her last words were "I am with Jesus."
Rev. Chester Stevens, of Hartford, will preach here Sunday.

PLEASANT GROVE.

Aug. 1.—The meeting at M. E. church is progressing nicely with Rev. Knewkirk in charge.

Mr. Carl Bradley and sister, Conny, attended meeting at Penrod Sunday.

Mrs. Lisle Bradley, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Birt Weeks, last week.

Ora Mefford, has been visiting friends in Russellville for the past two weeks. She will come to Dunmore, on Aug. 3, where she will spend the rest of the summer.

Miss Commy Bradley will start for Bowling Green, on Aug. 10, where she will enter school at Cherry Bros. College.

Mr. J. R. Mefford was in Greenville last Friday on business.

Mrs. Delaine Mefford, was the guest of Mrs. Manda Allen Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Allen is suffering from the effects of a snake bite.

Miss Mila Cox has been the guest of her aunt at Paradise for the past week.

O. A. Mefford was the guest of Andy Mefford Saturday and Sunday.

Fire at Livermore.

A very destructive fire occurred at Livermore at an early hour Wednesday morning. The Cumberland Telephone exchange, the Post Office, Thomasons Hardware Store, Mrs. Bennett's grocery, Goodman's livery stable and horses were destroyed nothing whatever being saved, and the night operator at the telephone office narrowly escaping the flames.

There is no clue as to the origin of the fire and no one seems to be able to tell exactly where it started. The loss is about \$10,000.

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