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GRADYVILLE.

We had a good rain a few days ago. J. W. Walker, of Greensburg, spent Sunday in our town.

A. B. and Miss Clara Wilmore were at Greensburg a few days ago.

John Cook and Will Hill, representing hardware stores of Louisville, were on our streets last week.

Miss Mary Holladay and Mr. Tom Waggoner were guests of Miss Sallie Diddle one night last week.

Miss Mary Todd spent Sunday with her parents at Columbia.

J. A. Diddle, accompanied by Miss Kate Walker, attended the Horse Cave Fair.

Mr. John Murrell, of Columbia, was here a few days ago en route to the Horse Cave Fair.

James G. Sexton and Dr. L. C. Nell have been on the sick list.

Mrs. Laura Grady has been confined to her room with throat trouble.

W. C. Yates and wife have returned to Greensburg.

H. A. Walker, bought of W. M. Wilmore, five head of cattle for \$122.50.

J. D. Walker was in Greensburg shipping tobacco a few days ago.

W. M. Wilmore, sold Tom Dohoney a mule colt for \$50.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Lewis Moore, who has been confined to her room for several weeks, is about well. She is visiting her children in our place.

Mr. Al Wilcox and family, of Greensburg, visited relatives here one day last week.

Mrs. H. C. Walker and daughter visited relatives a few days ago.

Mr. L. Beauchamp and wife left last week for Fall's Rough, Ky.

Rev. W. B. Cave, administered baptism to four candidates by immersion, near this place last Saturday.

Mr. John Holladay and family, of Cray Craft, passed through our place a few days ago en route to Neil to visit relatives.

Mr. Jim Butler, of Milltown, while returning from church at this place had a severe attack of heart trouble, rendering him unconscious for a short time.

Mr. Creel Yates, one of our oldest and best citizens, has been confined to his room with a complication of diseases.

Mr. L. S. Smith has returned from Louisville where he sold two car loads of cattle.

Mrs. Harriet Browning and daughter, of Milltown, Mrs. Helen Wilmore, and Miss Susan Grissom spent several days in our town last week with relatives.

Smith & Neil sold to Bridgewater & Hardesty, of Lebanon, 35 cattle, at \$3.35 per hundred; 10 mules, at \$100.00 per head; they bought several fat hogs at this place, of different parties at 5¢.

Died, on the 29th, a little child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vance.

Rev. J. C. Cook, a very able divine of the Baptist faith and order, of Monroe, Ky., assisted by Rev. W. B. Cave, the pastor, closed a two week's series of meetings at this place, resulting in sixteen professions and four additions to the church. The church and community have been greatly blessed.

Osteopathy.

Dr. A. C. Foster, a graduate of the Southern School of Osteopathy, is now located in Columbia for the practice of his profession. Osteopathy is comparatively new in this part of the State, but having been practiced in other parts of the United States for more than twenty years, I judge most every one has heard of its wonderful success with cases that heretofore have been incurable by other systems of healing. Osteopathy treats most all forms of chronic cases known to be curable, and some that were thought to be incurable before the days of Osteopathy. It has attained a most enviable reputation in the treatment of fevers, most especially typhoid. Osteopathy bears no relation whatever to Christian Science, Magnetic healing or faith cure, but is scientific, being based upon thorough knowledge of the principles of anatomy and physiology.

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If you want to invest some money in the Columbia Oil Co., call on or write Wm. F. Jeffries or any member of the company in this town.

Teachers' Association.

Program of Teachers' Association to be held in Magisterial district, No. 1, at Knifley, October 26.

Devotional exercises.
Music, by Knifley class.

Welcome address, R. A. Hovious.
Response, R. E. Montgomery.

Object of teachers' association and the benefit derived therefrom, W. D. Jones.

The value of education, C. E. Willis.
Define the study of civil government, methods of teaching, which should be taught first, national or state constitution, E. G. Hardwick.

Music.
Recitation, Miss Lucy Coffey.

Effects of alcohol, tobacco and other narcotics on the blood and nervous system, C. M. Murrell.

Desired end in teaching, J. W. Flowers.

Select reading, Miss Mary Holladay.

How best to teach interest and percentage, Plato Wade.

How to teach reading to beginners, Mrs. S. L. Williams.

Noon.
Music.

Should music be taught in the public schools, Miss Sue Baker.

Recitation, Miss Docia Wade.

How to ventilate a school room and the importance of teaching physical culture in the common schools, Dr. J. C. Gose.

True teacher's spirit, Jas. Judd.

Recitation, Miss Birdie Farris.

Is the knowledge of grammar necessary to the correct use of language? V. Hovious.

Essay, Miss Estelle Willis.

Education of the common school teacher, C. A. Coffey.

The correct training of the child, the problem of the present, S. L. Coffey.

Recitation, Miss Carrie Harmon.

What is successful teaching? Forest Bradshaw.

Music.

Debate, Resolved that there should be an educational qualification for suffrage, Affirmative, C. E. Willis, Plato Wade, John Flowers. Negative, W. D. Jones, E. G. Hardwick, S. L. Coffey.

Music.
ESTELLE WILLIS, Sec.

Election Officers.

The following are the election officers for the November election, by precincts:

West Columbia—J. F. Montgomery, U. L. Taylor, Judges; J. L. McLean, Sheriff; E. G. Atkins, Clerk.

East Columbia—W. H. Hudson, A. D. Patterson, Judges; J. H. Judd, clerk; C. H. Murrell, sheriff.

Milltown—Geo. Cheatham, A. O. Moss, Judges; J. H. Slinker, clerk; V. Leftwich, sheriff.

Keltner—Thos. Dowell, C. L. Pickert, Judges; G. T. Kemp, clerk; E. V. Thompson, sheriff.

Gradyville—Joseph Smith, G. T. Flowers, Judges; W. M. Wilmore, clerk; C. O. Moss, sheriff.

Elroy—John Simpson, G. C. Coomer, Judges; Arthur Froedge, clerk; Robt. L. Campbell, Sheriff.

Harmony—J. N. Petty, J. A. Darnell, Judges. Noah Loy, clerk; Piner Harvey, Sheriff.

Glennville—J. A. Willis, Howard Webb, Judges; Jas. Marshall, clerk; C. E. Willis, sheriff.

White Oak—Theodore Powell, W. A. Wilson, Judges; Walker Bryant, clerk; E. B. White, sheriff.

Little Cake—T. W. Montgomery, W. F. Grant, Judges; Geo. W. Rubarts, clerk; W. H. Williams, sheriff.

Pellyton—Zach Pelley, H. F. Coffey, Judges; John M. Campbell, clerk; J. J. Coffey, sheriff.

Roley—C. V. McWhorter, J. C. Goss, Judges; J. A. Stayton, clerk; Richard Clemens, sheriff.

Cane Valley—Braxton Massie, W. H. Russell, Judges; A. H. Judd, clerk; D. H. Beard, Sheriff.

Secretary of State Hill and Attorney General Breckinridge construe the election statutes to require that municipal and county elections must be held separately by the same election officers, both as to ballots and ballot boxes. The County Clerks in some counties, where city and county elections are to be held in November, were of the opinion that but one ballot would be used for the two tickets. They also thought it was the duty of the Secretary of State to supply the ballot paper for both tickets. Secretary Hill says the law as to furnishing the paper for county ballots by the Secretary of State prohibits him from furnishing it for municipal elections.

At Little York, O., Mrs. Carrie Curtis drowned her two children and herself in a well.

Great Demand for Horses.

The current issue of the Breeder's Gazette editorially contains the appended article: In considering the probable trend of values of horses in the United States, it is, in view of the large export trade, proper to take into account conditions existing in other countries. A scarcity similar to or greater than that prevailing at present in the United States seems to be met with in Australia and Germany. France, Austria and Russia seem to have horses enough, the two last probably some to spare, though none very good. Austria and Russia are not however purchasers of horses in the world's markets and France, though she once was a good customer, shut off the trade by the imposition of a tariff of \$40 per head on matured animals. The Argentine is alleged to have plenty of horses, but we have heard comparatively little of her supply since she and Great Britain closed their ports one against the other. Coming down to bed rock then it would appear that the United Kingdom, Germany, Australia and South Africa are the only countries that materially affect the United States' export trade in horses. The Boer-British war has consumed an enormous number of army horses. Some of them at first were brought in the Argentine and some in Hungary, a few even in Russia, but by far the greater number of remounts bought by the British War Office of late have come from the United States and from Australia. A late cablegram from Melbourne states that the Australian Federal Parliament is to be petitioned to place an export duty on both mares and geldings to prevent the further depletion of Australian horse stocks. Already too many of the animals, it is said, have been taken out of that country. Australia may for this reason be considered no longer much of a competitor even in the markets in the far Southern seas. Granting now that friendly relations in the live stock should be immediately restored between the Argentine and Britain a very small stumbling block would be placed in our way for the horses of that republic while well enough graded up differ from those of America in the fact that most of them go to market entirely unbroken save to the halter. Germany and Britain are the great horse-buying nations. They are both very short in their supplies. Both need enormous numbers for army and other uses. America alone has a suitable stock to offer. For these reasons it would appear that even if in a few years our horse supply is enormously increased the foreign demand ought to be able to absorb any reasonable surplus we may have to offer.

She Doesn't Care

Sixteen letters sent out from the Northwestern University requests sixteen students not to come back to school. The number includes both sexes, and the charge is that the young people have been too much given to tender sentiments.

During the lecture hours they were wont to steal forth and listen to the murmur of the lake. As a consequence they were short on examination and long on the starry night and the far-away blue hanging over the water.

One young woman is quoted as sending back this reply:

"GENTLEMAN: You must think you are very smart, telling me that I shan't come back to your institution. You say that I neglected my studies, but, in the language of our Greek letter society, let me remark that you are off. I learned more than either of you gentlemen will ever know. I learned what love is. I learned what true poetry is, and that is far more than you will ever comprehend.

"What is the use of studying botany if I am not permitted to gather flowers? Why should I devote myself to astronomy if I am not allowed to look at the stars? What is the use of giving all my time to figures and neglecting my own figure?"

"The idea of not being permitted to dress in low neck and short sleeves and stroll beneath the silver moon! You must think that a girl is still living in the tallo-wool age.

"And I understand that my fiancé is also expelled. Well, he doesn't care. We are to be married soon."—Chicago Cor New York World.

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The Potato Prospect.

While the United States have never been, like Ireland, entirely dependent upon a fair potato yield, we are heavy potato consumers. The potato has always been with us a favorite in the vegetable world, partly because of its cheapness but largely on account of its nutrition. Previously when short upon our crops the laboring population especially has had the ever welcome potato to fall back upon. This year the potato crop has been a complete failure—worse than at any other time in our history. The present time prospects are that we will have at least a million bushels less than under normal conditions. There is not a state in the union, with the possible exception of Maryland, where a respectable crop can be so much as hoped for. In all the localities which have previously exported heavily the potato crop has been ruined by the drought. The present prospects are that during the coming winter the much abused potato will become a luxury. Instead of circulating in its characteristically democratic manner it seems destined to a more or less aristocratic career.

In New England potatoes are selling at \$4.50 per barrel. Out in the West the price is much lower, but still surprisingly high in comparison with that of former seasons.

In former years when unfortunate in our potato crop we have been able to make up a large portion of the deficit from the province of Canada. In 1893-4, when we found it necessary to import thousands of bushels from Canada, we were able to buy the tubers at 30 cents per bushel even after the payment of the tariff duty. Under ordinary circumstances potatoes sell in Canada for less than a dollar per barrel. Today they are selling at over three times that amount. Hence we will have to look elsewhere for our potatoes if we expect to consume many during the winter. The prospects are that we will have to depend on Europe. It is significant and pleasing that among the first countries to come to our aid was Ireland, the land of the potato. But we will probably, as in the past, import most heavily from Scotland.

If as now seems inevitable the price of potatoes continues so high as not to permit of extensive consumption, there are fortunately other foods that may be substituted for one season. Within the next three weeks it will be known more definitely what may be depended upon.

A Victim to Accidents.

Milton Jones, a farmer, living near Frankfort, Ind., accidentally shot himself Thursday through the left hand and left leg, and again broke all records of accidents.

Four years ago a team of horses ran away and threw Jones in a creek, knocking him senseless, and he was taken out of the stream apparently dead. He revived, however, and a few months later was attacked by a mad bull and frightfully gored. He recovered and a little later, while blowing stumps with dynamite, a premature explosion blew him 30 feet. He escaped with only a few bruises and lacerations. Then a horse kicked him, breaking five ribs and an arm, but a few months put him in shape to climb a tree for wild bee honey. He fell and lodged in the fork of a tree, where he remained three days and nights until rescued. He managed to escape further accidents until this harvest, when while helping a neighbor to thresh, he was struck in the head by a pitchfork, the tines penetrating the skull. The surgeons said he would die, but he recovered.

Thursday Jones took his revolver to do a little target shooting and it accidentally discharged, the ball plowing through his hand and leg. Bets are offered that he will recover.

A night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at T. E. Paul's drug store.

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