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DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.

Everett Montgomery Instantly Killed in a Saw Mill at Gradyville. He Was a Good Citizen.

THE FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED.

A distressing and fatal accident occurred at Dudley & Son's saw mill, at Gradyville, last Thursday morning. Everett Montgomery, about twenty-five years old, who was employed in the mill, got caught by the main belt and was dashed from the saw carriage to the engine and was instantly killed. He attempted to throw the belt from the drive wheel when the accident occurred. The unfortunate man never spoke and the news of his sudden passing cast a gloom over the entire town of Gradyville. He leaves a wife and two children, who are heart broken, but the good people of the community are doing every thing in their power to console them.

For Sale.

My home consisting of 8 acres of ground, brick and framed house with good cellar and outbuildings. This is the best valued place in Columbia. Any one wanting a good home see me at once. This is the A. G. Todd place.

T. E. Waggener.

Mr. J. C. Browning, of Milltown is in the Deaconess Hospital, Louisville, having been operated on for gallstone. Six stones were removed. Dr. C. M. Russell accompanied the patient, and he reports that the operation was a success and that Mr. Browning is doing well, and will be able to return home in two weeks.

Notice.

Remember the Dog Tax for 1920, is now due. S. C. Neat clerk, A. C. C.

In the drive for \$10,000 the amount the Columbia Baptist Church is to raise in the drive for \$75,000,000 about \$7,000 of the \$10,000 was subscribed last Sunday night. The other \$3,000 will be forth coming. Milltown Church raised one-half of its allotment of \$3,000 last Sunday.

Farmers Speaking

Hon. E. L. Harrison will speak in the interest of the Farmer's Union at the following school houses: Breeding Dec. 3rd; Montgomery Dec. 4; Milltown Dec. 5th. Every body invited to attend. Hour of speaking, 7 o'clock. A. O. Young.

John N. Conover sold 9 hogshead of tobacco in Louisville last week. One hogshead brought him \$73 per hundred, the other eight averaged \$40 per hundred.

Rev. B. T. Watson will preach at Greensburg and Ebenezer churches the 5th, Sundays and 3rd. Sundays, beginning next Sunday.

Dwelling Burned.

Last Tuesday night a large dwelling house which was formerly owned by Sidney Holt and occupied by the present owner and family, Wm. Bluff, three miles South of Russell Springs, was consumed by fire and nearly all the contents. Help did not reach the building in time to give much relief. The loss is considerable.

Columbia Chapter, No 7, will confer the Mark Master's degree this (Tuesday) night. All Chapter Masons are urged to attend.

In damp, chilly weather there is always large demand for BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT because many people who know by experience its great relieving power in rheumatic aches and pains, prepare to apply it at the first twinge. Sold by Paul Drug Co.

Death of a Fine Old Lady.

The people of Columbia were very sorry to learn Monday morning of the death of Mrs. Jane Turk, 86 years old, which occurred at her home, in Bradfordsville, Sunday night. She was a native of Adair county, a daughter of Robt. Gilmer and a sister of Mr. Alfred Gilmer, who was a general merchant in Columbia for many years. The deceased was also a first cousin of Mrs. Esther Dohoney, of this place, a second cousin of J. P., John C. and W. T. Dohoney, Mrs. Nannie Flowers and Mrs. Kinnie Murrell. She was a woman who stood for the higher ideals in all walks of life. Her husband was Mr. W. C. Turk, who, in his life time, was prominent in the affairs of Adair County. The funeral was held in the Presbyterian Church, of which she was a member, this place, this (Tuesday) forenoon, conducted by Dr. Frank Cheek, of Danville. The interment was in the city cemetery. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Alice Walker, of Bradfordsville. The funeral was largely attended.

Community Survey.

The following list of names have been selected by the County Council of the Interchurch Work Movement to act as Survey Chairmen in their several precincts to make out the "Community Survey." The entire voting precinct is to be included in the survey with its varied information.

Precinct	Name	Residence
Milltown	Jim Shirley	Milltown
Keltner	J. W. Vire	Keltner
Gradyville	N. H. Moss	Gradyville
Elroy	G. W. Dillon	Breeding
Harmony	Azro Hadley	Fairplay
Glenville	J. V. Dudley	Montpellier
White Oak	Geo. Epperson	Rey
Little Cane	Welby Kniffey	Eganice
Pellyton	W. I. Jones	Pellyton
Roley	Alvin McWhorter	Roley
Cane Valley	Joe Callison	Cane Valley
Egypt	R. O. Dillingham	Absher

These selections have been made by the committee with full confidence that you will take it up in earnest. The questionnaires will be sent you and such literature as will explain the work.

B. T. Watson,
Z. T. Williams,
R. V. Bennett.

There is an iron gray mare mule in pound. The owner will please call and pay expenses.

J. C. Strange, T. M.

W. T. Hendrickson, of Campbellsville, has purchased the J. R. Beard farm, two miles from Kniffey on Casey Creek. This farm, stock and tools will be offered for sale, Tuesday, Dec. 9th. Watch next week's paper for ad.

Public Sale.

On Saturday December 6, 1919, I will sell to the highest bidder at the farm of Mrs. Fannie Willis, near Zion Church, the following: Two good mares, safe and sound and good workers. A lot of corn, hay, and fodder, household and kitchen furniture. A good line of farming tools mostly new. Many other articles too numerous to mention. Terms made known on day of sale. Lucian Blair.

At the same time and place Mrs. Fannie Willis farm will be offered for sale to the highest bidder.

An Old Citizen Passes.

Mr. Tim Willis, who was in his 78th year, died in the Fairplay country last Sunday night. He was a brother of the late B. C. Willis, who died here some years ago, and a half brother of Mr. J. A. Willis, this place. He leaves a married daughter.

For sale at public auction on the square Monday Dec. 1st my household and kitchen furniture.

Mrs. H. Stapp.

Sam Burdette sold 20 mules at Edmonton last Saturday at from \$86. to 190 per head.

To The Public.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 21, 1919.
Mr. J. E. Murrell,
Columbia, Ky.,

Dear Sir:

Will you be kind enough to publish in the News the following for me?

I am informed that at the last election, in which I voted under the absent voter law, I, at the time being in Louisville, that my vote was not counted. While my vote would in no wise effect the results of the election, but having lived in Adair county and West Columbia voting precinct all my life every one knows, and never having changed my citizenship, I do not want a precedent set of some person or persons that knew nothing of my motives or intentions by denying me the right to vote. The mere fact that I was then and now am in Louisville and engaged in business does not change my citizenship. Before leaving Columbia, I told such persons as I thought to be interested in my affairs, that whether I remained in Louisville or not that Columbia would remain my home and voting place.

I then thought and now think likewise that under these absent voter law I was entitled to vote, certainly as much so as the many others who voted under same conditions, and whose votes were counted.

I want it distinctly understood now by all who might be interested in knowing, that I am a citizen and voter of Adair County, and so expect to remain wherever I may be.

Very Respectively,

Ray Montgomery.

Special Lodge Notice.

A special meeting of Columbia Lodge No. 96 F. & A. M. will be held Saturday night, Nov. 29th at which Grand Master, Henry S. McElroy will be present to address us on a subject which is vital to the Craft. Every member of the lodge is urged to be present. Members of all lodges in Adair County are requested to come also. Please bear this in mind and be at the lodge room at 7 o'clock Saturday night.

By request of the GRAND MASTER,
Jas. R. Garnett, Master,
By Geo. E. Wilson, Sec'y.

Allen Morrison bought of Julius Gaskins, a few days ago, a farm of 143 acres lying near Fairplay, for \$600. There is a dwelling and some out buildings.

Two Games Basket Ball.

Tuesday night, 25th, at Lindsey-Wilson Gym. Monticello vs L. W. T. S. Wednesday night, 26th, at C. H. S. Gym. Monticello vs C. H. S. Games will start at 7:30 p. M.: Every body invited to attend these Games. Admission, 25 cents to all.

Born.

To the wife of Pink Dunbar on the 12th inst., a daughter.

To the wife of W. H. Shipp, recently, a son.

To the wife of Guy Willis, on the 17th a daughter.

Notice to Taxpayers.

You are warned to come in and pay your taxes at once, 6 per cent. penalty, and 6 per cent. interest will be added on December 1st. Nov. 30th will come on Sunday this time. Don't put this off until the last minute, you are liable to get caught. Your Taxes are high enough, without anything being added to them. Take warning.

Cortez Sanders, Sheriff,
24t Adair County.

Some farmers are not yet through sowing wheat. A number of acres were put in last week.

The Advertiser crowded out Mr. C. S. Harris' letter which should have appeared last week. It is in this issue.

Delightful Entertainment.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. W. B. Patten and Mrs. Eris Barger entertained a number of friends at the home of Mrs. Patten. The out of town guests were Mrs. Presley Clark, Macon, Ga., and Mrs. L. F. Page and Mrs. R. I. Blakeman, of Indianapolis. The house was beautifully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums. A guessing contest was very much enjoyed and Mrs. B. E. Rowe was awarded the prize. After delicious refreshments were served, Mrs. L. F. Page gave a charming description of her trip to South America, eighteen months ago, with Pavlova's company. Mrs. Page went to chaperone her daughter, Miss Ruth Page, who, at that time, was dancing with that company.

Successful Sales.

The Series of Auction Sales of the 5 Mercer County Farms were sold by Swinebroad, The Real Estate Man of Lancaster, Ky., just as advertised. On Friday, Nov. 7th, he sold two farms, 84 88 acres for J. A. Conn to J. E. Henderson of Mercer County for \$294.75 per acre and 113.43 acres for A. W. Curd to John Curd of Mercer County for \$153.00 per acre on Saturday, the 8th, another double header selling 102 acres for J. W. Jones to Thomas Gritton of Fayette County for \$247.00 per acre and 142 11 acres for A. Gillispie to Wm. Beck for \$276.50 per acre.

Then on the 11th, he sold for J. W. Baker 210.91 acres near Burgin to C. B. White for \$293.00 per acre. And on Saturday, Nov. 15th, he sold for C. P. Wade 60 acres in Boyle County near Perryville, in two tracts 20 acres to J. T. Baker for \$200.00 per acre and 40 acres Abner Hilton for \$221.00 per acre. Also on the 14th, he sold at private sale for J. W. Jones a part of the Gwinn farm purchased by Mr. Jones when it was sold by Swinebroad at auction, this sale was 150.31 acres to R. D. Lyen and J. M. Lillard at \$305.00 per acre. Making a total for the first half of November of Sales by Swinebroad of 863.64 acres for a total of \$223,655.83, and an average per acre of \$258.96.

Notice.

The Bank of Columbia has received from the Burley Tobacco Company, of Lexington, Ky., to be delivered to the stock-holders in said Company, in Adair County, 100 per cent. stock distribution checks.

Checks will be delivered only upon presentation of stock certificates. Stock-holders will please present certificates promptly, and receive checks. Jno. W. Flowers, Cashier.

Notice.

All parties owing me accounts please call and settle them at once. Business calls me away.

Horace Walker.

Cash Beard, who entered the army, went to France and engaged in several battles, arrived at his old home, Milltown, last Wednesday. Mr. J. R. Tutt, who was in Columbia Thursday, says that Cash has seen a sight and can tell his rounds in an interesting manner.

For Sale.

Mammoth bronze turkey's, of the famous gold bank strain. Mrs. Josh Batier. Phone No. 73 a.

The Greensburg Loose Leaf House invariably is well patronized by Adair county growers.

See Our New Line.

Shoes, Rubber footwear, Underwear, Fine Shirts, work Shirts, Hats, Caps, and all other kinds of merchandise.

Union Store, Cane Valley.

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Great Victory for Columbia.

The fastest basket ball game ever played in this city ended with a great victory for the Columbia Athletic Club (under management of C. T. Stults) vs St. Mary's College, the score at the end of the battle standing 33 to 24 in favor of the local club. St. Mary's College has an excellent ball club and has never been defeated on her own floor, therefore the game was swift from the start. The lineup for both clubs were as follows:

Columbia Athletic Club.

Le wis | Forwards
Davis |
Hurt—Center
Pickett | Guards
Jeffries |

Dunbar substituted for Hurt in last half. Epperson substituted for Jeffries in last half.

St. Mary's College.

Kowalski | Forwards
Kuppersmith |
McNamara—Center.

O'Neal | Guards
Betzling |
Heaverline substituted for Betzling in last half.

C. T. Stults, Referee. A series of three games will be played between the two clubs. The next game will be at St. Mary's Dec. 6.

On the same evening the Campbellsville team played the Lindsey-Wilson team in the latter's Gym. It was rather a one-sided contest, the result being 38 to 20 in favor of the Lindsey-Wilson.

Mrs. Josh Todd, of color, who underwent a very successful operation, on the 4th of November, at the city hospital, Louisville, Ky., is improving rapidly. Her many friends will be glad to know that she will be able to return home in a few days.

Greensburg Loose Leaf House will open the 5th of December instead of the 4th, as advertised last week. Note the change in to-day's paper.

For Sale.

My farm of 8 1/2 acres at Portland, Adair county, Ky., 40 acres overlow, and has made 300 barrels of corn per year for 6 years. I also have 300 barrels of corn for sale.

R. L. Davis, Columbia, Ky.

Sam Burdette and J. B. Coffey will leave here in due time with 25 head of good mules for Albany which are to be sold on Monday, Dec. 1st.

Cottage for rent.

W. F. Cartwright.

Card of Thanks.

I want to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and help during the illness and death of my Mother, Mrs. Mary Corbin.

A daughter.

The meeting at the Baptist church closed last Sunday night. During this progress Rev. Ray preached some pointed sermons, giving wholesome advice to parents and also the young people of the community. During the series there were several additions to the Church, and a flattering start made in raising \$10,000 from the membership. This is the amount called for in the \$75,000,000 drive.

Ford car for sale.

Stanley Epperson.

The Campbellsville Loose Leaf House is inviting the farmers of Adair county to bring their tobacco to the Campbellsville market. They will have a large number of first-class buyers.

Tobacco Land for Sale.

250 acres of good Burley tobacco land for sale. It is 9 miles from Campbellsville, in Taylor county. It will be sold in lots of 50 acres or more.

Address Taylor Pruett & Jarvis, 44-4f Campbellville, Ky.

Mrs. C. M. Russell Entertains.

Last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. C. M. Russell entertained very delightfully in honor of her guest, Mrs. Presley Clark, of Macon, Ga. Music and a sewing contest were enjoyed. Each guest was given a button hole to work and after a busy contest Miss Alice Walker was awarded the prize. A delicious salad course was served.

Thanksgiving Basket Ball Game.

Monticello has decided to stay over and play the Columbia athletic club, Thursday night at 7:45 after picture show. The show will start extra early. Monticello is bringing along the old regulars for us. Don't fail to see this game as the visiting team held the championship for a number of years.

The Brethren in Christ will begin meeting at the court-house next Saturday night. Rev. M. L. Dohner, who well-known in some parts of the county as a zealous and earnest minister, will do the preaching. All the singers of the town are requested to attend and assist in the song service.

Program for Thanksgiving Services.

Methodist Church, Nov. 27, 10:30 a. m.

Song service: Mrs. M. F. Turney and Mrs. Hammett.

Scripture Reading and Prayer, Rev. Z. T. Williams.

Special Music, President's Proclamation, Rev. O. T. Thomas.

Interchurch World Movement, Rev. B. T. Watson.

Thanksgiving sermon, Rev. R. V. Bennett.

Offering.

Closing Prayer, Rev. J. L. Murrell.

R. V. Bennett, Sec. Ministerial Association.

Mrs. Etta Caldwell has removed from Milltown to Columbia and is occupying the residence on Greensburg street that she recently purchased from the heirs of J. D. Flowers.

Notice.

I want everybody to know I am back at my old stand, at Garlin. Bring me your broom corn. Terms spot cash. Ed. D. Crawford.

There are more or less colored men and half grown boys on the streets of Columbia daily that you can not hire for cash. They will not work. Cold weather is coming and these same parties will be asking the white people for help, saying that they can not get work. If they had worked during the summer and fall they could have laid by money to run on during the winter. To help them now is to encourage idleness, and they should be taught when distress comes, the necessity of working and laying aside a part of their earnings for cold and disagreeable weather.

Mr. J. C. Reece, who lives at Sparksville, and who recently bought of C. C. Holt a small farm, a part of the Cy Wheat farm, at Montpellier, will remove to it in a short time. He also bought the stock of goods from Mr. Holt, and will continue business at the same stand. He paid \$2,500 for the land, dwelling and store house. Mr. Reece is a fine citizen, and will be a valuable acquisition to Montpellier.

Sam Burdette sold twenty-five mules in Monticello at from \$75 to \$230 per head. J. B. Coffey was the auctioneer.

A great deal of corn was cribbed last week. The high waters damaged a great deal of corn in the creek and river bottoms. We hear of some being sold at \$1.00 per barrel.

Lawrence Wilkerson sold his farm, lying near Gladville, last Thursday, to Charley Kewer, for \$3,000. It is reported that Mr. Wilkerson will remove to Louisville.