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THE WATER WORKS.

The Contract Closed with Dennis Long & Co.

At the meeting of the Council Saturday morning to close the contract for new water works, the Frankfort Water Company, or in other words, Messrs. Dennis Long & Co., of Louisville, refused to accept the offer of the City Council published in our last issue, to sell them the old water mains for \$20,000 and pay \$6,000 a year rent for 100 fire hydrants, and the city advertised for proposals for the erection of water works, the bids to be opened on the 30th of this month.

On Thursday evening Mr. William Reinecke, attorney for Long & Co., returned to this city, got five of the Councilmen together and proposed to compromise the matter by paying the city \$20,000 for the old mains if the city would agree to pay an additional annual rental on the 100 fire hydrants of \$250. As the firm is a first-class one, and their proposition is considered the best that has been made the city, it was agreed to accept the compromise, and a meeting of the Council was called for 9 o'clock yesterday morning, at which time the proposition was formally accepted by a unanimous vote, the contract closed, and the order directing advertisements for bids for the works rescinded.

The Company bind themselves to begin the construction of the works within ninety days and to have them in complete running order by the first of July, 1885. The reservoir is to be erected on one of the hills south of the city and the pumping station is to be at a point above the city on the river, the water to be drawn from the bottom of the stream. The city is given the right to purchase the works at the end of ten years at an appraised valuation. The property of the company is not exempted from taxation, and the amount of taxes collected from them will go a great ways towards paying the rent of fire hydrants. The whole contract is very fair and well guarded.

By this contract the city gets \$20,000 for the mains alone, and does not sell the ground on which stands the old reservoir and dam, for which an offer of \$5,000 has already been made, and a good trade has been made. By standing firmly for the first proposition made by the Council, Councilmen Church, McClure, Meagher and Sneed have saved the city just \$5,000 and deserve the thanks of our citizens for it, notwithstanding our neighbor of the Yeoman thought their action unwise and contrary to the best interests of the city.

Mr. P. M. McRoberts, who has held the position of Deputy Collector in this District for the last year, has been removed by the new Collector and Capt. W. L. Neal appointed in his place. The many friends of Mr. McRoberts in this city regret to have him leave the service, and wish him all the success he so richly deserves in the practice of his profession—the law.

The Lexington Transcript, in speaking of the changes in the Collector's office, says that "Mr. John T. Bruce resigned on account of his death and to be appointed Storekeeper." The reason for the resignation certainly was a good one, but as there is no whisky either in bond or out of bond where we hope John has gone, if really dead, the question arises what will he do with a commission as Storekeeper, and how will it be sent to him?

Boulevard's famous Irish drama, Colleen Bawn, will be presented at the Opera House on Wednesday evening next, for the benefit of the Church of the Good Shepherd in this city. The various parts will be taken by first-class actors, who are now enjoying their vacation from their regular engagements, and the entertainment will be well worth witnessing. The prices have been reduced, and the object for which the performance is given should insure a large audience.

Miss Annie Kersey opened her vacation school Monday morning with six scholars.

Mr. John Cain is again operating his grist mill at the foot of Main street, South Side, and will be glad to have his farmer friends call and see him. Read his advertisement.

The telegraph office windows have again been the centre of attraction this week, as the National Democratic Convention has been in session at Chicago and the proceedings have been bulletined there as fast as anything of interest transpired. The nomination of Gov. Cleveland, of New York, for President was announced at 1 1/2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Agnes Franklin, of this city, has patented an attachment for a sleeve button which is very simple, but very useful. When in use it attaches the cuff to the coat or dress sleeve and holds it in position, so that the outer garment can be removed without displacing it. All the ladies should have the attachment placed upon their sleeve buttons, for it will prevent ruining the ends of their fingers in pinning their cuffs in position, and the gentlemen should also have it, for it will enable them to wash their hands without going to the trouble of unbuttoning their cuffs. It is a good thing and if you try it once you will be certain to like it.

A lady from this city is visiting friends in Chicago, and the first Sunday she spent there many of the stores were thrown open, picnic parties went through the streets with bands playing, and business went on in most of the city just the same as if there was no Sunday. She was greatly shocked and took occasion to speak to her friends about the ungodliness of the Chicagoans, and did not notice that her little daughter, a bright little one of four summers, was listening to the conversation. She was made aware, however, when the little ones' bedtime came, that she had heard every word, for when she told her to come and say her prayers before retiring, she said, "Mamma, I don't want to pray." "Why not?" asked the lady. "Because there's no God here to pray to."

Officers of Election.

The following is a list of the officers of the election on August 4, 1884:

Court-house—J. W. Bohannon and James Richardson, judges; George A. Lewis, clerk; John L. Tobin, sheriff.

Market-house—Jerome Weitzel, sr., and Sam South, judges; William Saffell, clerk; D. A. Lynch, sheriff.

Gas-house—Charles Davis and A. H. McClure, judges; John N. Crutcher, clerk; Dan Driscoll, sheriff.

Forks Elkhorn—B. F. Head and L. P. Compton, judges; Henry Greenup, clerk; B. F. Suter, sheriff.

Peak's Mill—H. I. Morris and Theo. Sullivan, judges; J. M. Parker, clerk; L. Church, sheriff.

Bloomington—J. Scott Hawkins and Wm. Jones, sr., judges; John W. Bates, clerk; Cyrus Culvert, sheriff.

Bald Knob—G. V. Harrod and Lem Wentworth, judges; Jos. Peyton, clerk; Chas. Quire, sheriff.

Benson—James Hulett and J. B. F. Stigers, judges; Ed Coleman, clerk; J. Robinson, sheriff.

Bridgeport—J. W. Jackson and F. M. Seofield, judges; J. W. Jenkins, clerk; R. D. Armstrong, sheriff.

Cedar Run—Scott Brown and Jo Parrent, judges; Marvin Averill, clerk; Chap Thomas, sheriff.

Personal

Miss Nonie Nicol is visiting friends in Lexington.

Miss Fronie Risk is visiting friends at Woodlake.

Miss Mary Risk is visiting her sister in Versailles.

Mrs. A. E. Stephens is visiting relatives in Mercer county.

Mrs. Chas. Norwood is still very ill, but was a little better yesterday.

Mr. Samuel Winter, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. H. D. Fitch and family of Louisville, are visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Charles Jacobs, nee Miss Denla Kahr, is visiting her parents in this city.

Mr. Albert H. Crutcher, of Louisville, is visiting his parents in Belle Point.

Miss Hunt, of Cincinnati, is visiting the Misses Mucklin, 123 Washington street.

Mrs. Mary Moore, of Louisville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sam'l R. Smith.

Mrs. Dr. W. L. Nuttall, of Henry county, is visiting her mother at 435 Third street.

Mrs. C. C. Furr returned the first of the week from a visit to relatives in Mercer county.

Mrs. Maria Haner and Mrs. O. T. Richardson are visiting relatives in Scott county.

Miss Katie Coleman, of Louisville, is visiting the family of Mr. C. C. Furr, 513 Third street.

Mr. Robert Stephens and family have returned from a visit to Bloomington, Indiana.

Mrs. J. H. Williamson, who has been very ill for some time at her home near this city, was worse yesterday.

Mr. C. Ed. Wirgman and family, of Louisville, are visiting the family of Mr. Sam'l R. Smith, South Side.

Misses Georgia and Tate Parrent, of Louisville, are visiting their sister, Mrs. H. S. Banta, near this city.

Judge W. P. D. Bush and wife returned the first of the week from a visit to friends in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Geo. W. Johnston, who has been residing in Abilene, Texas, the past winter, is visiting his parents in this city.

Miss Sallie and Master Sam Smith left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit to relatives in Jefferson and Shelby counties.

Mr. W. M. P. Ramsey, wife and son, of Louisville, spent several days the first of the week with the family of Prof. S. P. Browder.

Mr. D. C. Hardin and family, who have been visiting at Judge L. Hord's for several weeks, left Wednesday morning for their home in Bardstown.

Mrs. J. C. Smith and her sister, Miss Aussie Cox, who have been visiting Mrs. Dabney Todd, in Belle Point, returned to their home in Covington, on the 4th of July.

Mrs. J. W. McClure and children, of Louisville, who have been visiting relatives in this city for the past two weeks, left Tuesday for Stamping Ground to visit her parents.

Notice of Dissolution.

THE FIRM OF HARRIS & HERRMANN IS this day dissolved by mutual consent. Sol Harris is authorized to collect all accounts due the firm, and he assumes all the liabilities thereof.

July 5th, 1884.

GRIST MILL.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE farmers that I am again running my grist mill at the foot of Main street, South Frankfort, and will grind on Tuesday and Friday of each week. A share of patronage is solicited.

July 12-31.

O. K SALOON,

223 Saint Clair Street.

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Re-opened next week. None but THE FINEST LIQUORS

Wines, Ale, Beer, and Mineral Waters Kept in Stock. The Capital Brewing Co. BEER Constantly on hand.

June 25-31.

STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Deposit Bank of Frankfort,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS

JUNE 30, 1884.

ASSETS.

Loans and Discounts \$156,176 83

Cash 34,514 30

Due from Banks 3,556 90

Furniture 1,900 00

Protest 6 55

Stamps 70 00

Real Estate 12,542 46

\$208,767 04

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock \$77,400 00

Old Dividends 181 00

Dividend No. 32, 4 per cent., 3,096 00

Individual Depositors 100,658 28

Due to Banks 11,502 84

State tax 193 50

Profit and loss 15,737 42

\$208,767 04

H. H. WATSON, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

A dividend of four (4) per cent. will be paid upon the Capital stock of the Deposit Bank of Frankfort, on and after Saturday, July 5, 1884.

H. H. WATSON, Cashier.

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No Gripping, Poisonous Drugs, but purely Vegetable,

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Jan. 12-1 year.

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Having bought out the Coal Business of W. J. Chinn, I will be prepared, on and after JANUARY 23, 1884, at my Coal Yard, near the Railroad Bridge, to deliver

ALL KINDS OF COAL

at reasonable prices.

I therefore respectfully solicit a liberal share of patronage in town and country.

Orders for Coal left at the Drug Store of Joseph LeCompte, South Side, will receive prompt attention.

Office at the old stand, corner of Broadway and Wilkinson streets. Telephone connection No. 2.

S. BLACK.

Having sold my Coal Business to S. Black I recommend him to my former patrons, and hope they will continue to buy coal from the old stand.

Frankfort, January 26, 1884-tf.



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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKE PLEASURE IN notifying their friends and the public that they are prepared to do fancy or plain dress making or sewing of any description, and respectfully ask a share of their patronage, promising to use every endeavor to give satisfaction. We can be found at the residence of Mr. J. M. Stephens, 319 Washington street, bet. Broadway and Clinton.

MISS JOSIE ALBRITTON,
MISS BARBARA SHIELDS.

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May 3-tf.

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