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VOL. II. PARIS, BOURBON COUNTY, KENTUCKY: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1883. NO. 186.

MONDAY will be court day in Carlisle.

ONE of W. T. Overby's twin children died yesterday.

THE stable of Stone Walker, burned at Richmond. Loss, \$1,200.

W. T. PAUL & Co. moved their saloon yesterday, to Singer's new building.

THE State Grange will meet in grand convocation at Falmouth, next Tuesday.

A DARKY sold 76 rabbits in town in less than thirty minutes, at 10 cents each.

LET'S have a public Christmas tree at the Opera House. What say ye, young folks?

THE Cincinnati Southern has put on a fast line between Chattanooga and Cincinnati.

COUNTERFEIT silver dollars, dated 1880, are worrying the business men of Mt. Sterling.

FRANK CELLA, alias Frank Peculiar, has a fine stock of Christmas fruits at the hole in the wall.

ONE man in Madison county lost the meat of seventeen hogs, by hot weather spoiling the same.

THE earnings of the K. C. road during November '83, are \$4,035.50 more than of November '82.

ROBERTSON county has a doctor to every 125 voters. No wonder people are emigrating.—Democrat.

As a humorist and lecturer, Mr. Burdette is simply immense and nothing too good can be said of him.

THE only man in Kentucky who is dissatisfied with Carlisle's election is the editor of the Louisville Post.

FIRE at Hopkinsville Wednesday in the business portion of the city damaged property to extent of \$15,000.

THE jury in the Wing murder case at Princeton failed to agree. Seven were for acquittal and five for conviction.

ELD. J. W. HARDING, of Winchester, has accepted a call to preach for the church at Falmouth for the ensuing year.

SPEAKING of the *Kentuckian* endorsing the free turnpike system, a type of that office says it endorses nothing but Barnes.

Hogs are said to be dying with cholera over the state. The butcher knife is also said to be working sad havoc with them.

SUGGS, the Kentuckian who killed Manager Plinton, and another murderer named Frisbie, have escaped from the Carterville (Ga.) jail.

WM. RANKIN, who was taken suddenly ill a few nights ago at the Bourbon House, is paralyzed through one side of his entire body, and there are no hopes of his recovery.

THE frame work on Shaw's new mill has been shoved up heavenward four stories high, and will be a massive structure when completed.

JUDGE DENNY was acquitted at his examining trial at Lancaster, on the charge of murdering J. H. Anderson, on the grounds of self-defense.

A RESOLUTION has been introduced in the Senate of the Virginia Legislature calling upon United States Senator William Mahone to resign.

THE faithful of Winchester didn't take time to have services in any of the churches on Thanksgiving day—and Winchester calls herself a city, too.

FRANK JAMES' trial for the Blue-cut robbery has been set for January 14 and fixed at \$3,000. It is said he will offer bond and be released shortly.

A MAN calling himself A. T. Jones, from Lexington, Ky., is under arrest in Cincinnati, charged with stealing a horse from a man at Georgetown, Ky.

DR. HOWARD won the \$300 mare raffled off by Jeff Elgin Tuesday night, and sold her back to Jeff for \$60. There were 100 chances taken at two dollars each.

THE jury in the Robbins and Smart case disagreed at Flemingsburg, and were discharged Wednesday. Eight were for conviction and four for acquittal.

SAM McDANIEL, toll-gate keeper on the Georgetown and Lexington pike, shot and fatally wounded a colored chicken thief in his hen house, named "Hog Henry."

JAS. KING and John Edwards confessed the charge of picking pockets at the Lexington fair, and have been sentenced five and three years respectively, to the penitentiary.

SEVERAL Cincinnati men have incorporated a line of steamboats known as the Burnside and Cumberland River Company, to ply between Point Burnside and Burksville.

Geo. Hicks, the colored desperado who out the marshal and deputy at Flemingsburg in such a shocking manner, is out on bail; eleven of the jury being for a fine of \$500 and one for the penitentiary.

THE Richmond Herald brags on a 26 pounds turkey. Fshaw! That's merely an orphan turkey compared with some that have been slaughtered here. Bourbon's blue-bronze stock can beat that.

THE Presbyterian ladies having profited by their recent cake sale, have determined to have another one on a larger scale, before the holidays, of which due announcement will be given, regarding date.

WHY all this grand rush of men, women and children every day and night at Croxton's? Well, if you should peep in and see all of New York there in way of Christmas goods, you would discover the answer.

JOE Z. CROXTON has given over his large new store room to old Santa Claus until after Christmas, and it is now stored with everything in the toy and fancy notion line. In fact, you cannot name an article which can be found in New York, but what he has in stock.

THE farmers of Clark county whose farms are lying on the roads leading into Winchester, are beautifying their farms by setting out maple trees all along the roads. Bourbon farmers should follow this laudable example.

INSKO, the young man that killed Ishmael, at Pinhook about two years ago, was in Bourbon county a few weeks ago, and perhaps is there now. There is an indictment against him for murder.—[Mt. Olive Democrat.]

PAT PUNCH, city marshal of Mt. Sterling, arrested in Lexington, Monday, the Rev. C. W. Baily, of the Methodist church, for forging the names of two citizens to a note of eleven dollars which he gave as personal security.

THE Board of Commissioners of the Lunatic Asylum at Lexington, met and ordered to ratify the appointment of John Marrs to succeed Reardon as receiver, on the grounds that no objection had been made to Reardon.

REV. J. T. HENDERICK has accepted an invitation to take charge of the Southern Presbyterian Church in Maysville. He was for twenty years pastor of the church at Paducah and organized a large congregation at that place.

A PANEL of fifty jurors were examined in the Nutt murder trial at Uniontown, Pa., and but one secured. Nutt's counsel moved for a change of venue to Allegheny county and secured it. The defense will be emotional insanity.

A MEETING of the distillers of the State of Kentucky has been called to meet at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington, on Wednesday, December 12, for the purpose of organizing a pool to control the production of whisky throughout the State.

C. N. SPRINGFELLOW, of Carrollton, Ky., got bunked out of \$150, in Cincinnati, Tuesday. He was one of those fellows who hadn't time to read the paper which he "tuck," and consequently "didn't know anything about them fellers."

No editor can be on the pad seven days out of every week and make a paper that will compare with one on which the editor bestows twelve honest hours six days of each week—and the people are beginning to open their eyes to that fact.

BAD boys at Richmond, threw Cayenne pepper through the windows of their rink and sneezed the scholars of a female school so that they had to give up the sport. The boys had been excluded from the rink on that striped hose occasion.

ED. PHALIS and Jas. Long, two Ohio men arrested for burglary at Lexington, have been indicted and held over. Information has been received from Dayton, saying that one of them had served four terms in the penitentiary for various offences.

C. S. PAGE, of New York, has established a Circulating Library here, with headquarters at Foster, Moore & Co's. It costs but a dollar for a membership of two years. The list of books forming the library is large and replete with the very best literary products.

CLAUDE THOMAS, son of E. K. Thomas, North Middletown, now at Princeton College, N. J., contributes a letter from New York in this issue which is alive and full of political smack. He is a fluent writer, and fully understands what he's talking about. Read his letter.

BUY your Christmas goods from those who are enterprising enough to advertise. Those who are too penurious to advertise their goods and wares which they wish to sell, are too penurious to trade with. They are old timers who believe in slow sales and high prices.

HENRY TURNEY has received a letter from Charlie Silt, of Texas, stating that his brother Alf, has been dangerously injured by a mule falling with him and mashing his chin in a fearful manner. Four doctors were called into requisition before the bones could be set satisfactorily. He also stated that it would be a close rub for him to survive the injury—there being great danger of lock-jaw.

There's a little gap of six miles of dirt road between Cooper's Run church and Jacksonsville, this county, which needs to be piked. Then the citizens of that rich neighborhood would have a straight line of pike to Paris, of only eight miles, instead of having to go around by Centerville, a distance of twelve miles. Harrison county, with an eye to business, is now piking a little gap from Broadwell's to the Bourbon line, which will give Jacksonsville a route to Cynthiana of only nine miles. If Bourbon wants the trade of Jacksonsville and surrounding country, she has got to move at once to retain it.

CHAS. CARROLL LEE, an ex-Major in the Confederate army, and a civil engineer, from Savannah, Ga., called at the residence of Capt. J. M. Thomas, in this city early yesterday morning to ask employment and cast-off clothing, and while talking in the hall, was discovered with the Captain's hat concealed under his coat. Capt. Thomas very generously permitted him to leave town without prosecution, and he skipped at once. He left a very intelligently written letter descriptive of his condition, showing him to have been a highly educated man. Two other suspicious characters were seen with him early in the morning—all no doubt on the beat.

"The Field is the World."

On Thursday night Dec. 13th, the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will give an entertainment at the Odd Fellows Hall. The programme consists of some fine music, one or two recitations and a beautiful play entitled "The Field is the World." The admission fee is only twenty-five cents, thus bringing a delightful evening within the means of every one and at the same time giving every one an opportunity to assist the good work being done by this benevolent society. Many needy ones bless them for the assistance they have already rendered; and the more means at their disposal, the more good will be accomplished. You are cordially invited.

SCINTILLATIONS.

—Why not have a Christmas hop?

—Thos. Waller and family, from Nicholas, have gone to Florida.

—W. L. Davis left last night for the East, to purchase a lot of Jerseys.

—Cal. Darnell has returned home to Carlisle with his new wife, from Iowa.

—Wm. Myall and the Rev. Mr. McMillan have gone to Fleming county, on a week's hunt.

—Capt. Ed. Taylor, Labe Sharp and other commercial evangelists, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Victor, the mother of "Marie Prescott," the actress, is visiting relatives in Carlisle.

W. H. Wangh and W. W. Talbert, of Nicholas, are jurors in the U. S. Court at Covington, this week.

J. Soule Smith of Lexington, has gone to Washington as correspondent of the Cincinnati *Nes-Journal*.

—Mr. Herod Osborne, a Virginian, is stopping at the Bourbon House, and is getting up a dancing school.

—Theodore Nix and wife, of this city, are to become residents of Clay City, on the Kentucky Union Railway.

Messrs Garret Davis, Prof. A. Gutzeit and "Scrub" Webb, of this city, acted as the groom's best men at the Nix and Horine nuptials, in Cynthiana, Tuesday.

—Col. Swope is at Washington listening to the death rattle of the grand old party; and as he feels it's fast-diminishing pulse, holds his head sideways and attempts to wear the look of a wise physician.

—Elder Wm. Sweeney, of Horse Cave, is the guest of his brother in this city. He has been called to the pastoral charge of the Christian Church at Bowling Green, and will move there the first of January.

—A new piece of music is called the Tobacco Waltz. It should be played on a pipe organ and danced by girls with fine cut features wearing Connecticut wrappers, and the gentlemen should wear plug hats and Havana for a partner.

—A certain old preacher in Tennessee is called the "satisfying preacher." When a congregation becomes tired of its regular pastor, the "satisfying" preacher is sent for. He is so darned mean that the congregation is generally glad to hold on to its old pastor.

—Editors Kehoe and Craddock are hanging around the free lunch counters at Washington, and Morey is basking in the sunny smiles of a new wife; in the meantime the people all have to turn their weary eyes to the *Bourbon News* for local and editorial intelligence of a sparkling nature.

—W. J. Kehoe, editor of the *Cynthiana Democrat*, has been appointed Private Secretary to Speaker Carlisle, at Washington. This may be a good thing in Mr. Kehoe accepting this remunerative position for the winter, but we do not think so. The editor of this paper has this year declined two positions of \$1,200 per annum on city papers, and preferred to stick to his obligation to his patrons and give them the worth of their money, being his own boss and yielding to the dictates of none.

—Mr. BURDETTE expressed his fun in a neat, catching way that never failed to bring down the house. He seldom burlesques his ideas, and it is greatly to his credit that he possesses a kindly humor.—[*Courier-Journal*.]

Paul says in a letter to the Thesalonians "They that will not work should not eat." It is mistaken charity to maintain any that can labor in idleness. Paris needs a law to authorize the putting of all tramps, petty thieves, and professional gamblers on the rock pile. The town and community should be rid of all such. J. M. THOMAS.

The Abram Barton Will Case.

The will of Abram Barton, which has been in contest from probate here for the past two days, was refused probate by Judge Turney. The will as read, bequeathed to the widow, \$1,000 during her life, placed in trust of John Bedford; to Mrs. Thos. Fisher, \$3,000; to Miss Mollie Knight, \$3,000; to Mrs. Bowen, \$250; the residue of the property after the indebtedness is paid, to be divided equally between Miss Knight and Mrs. Fisher. Josh Barton and Mrs. Amos Jameson were cut out entirely, on the grounds of having drawn the *pro rata* of the estate. Miss Knight holds notes against the estate to the amount of \$3,700, credited by \$150.

The Trader, Turfman, Farmer and Sportsman.

[[Cattle buyers in Hopkins County are paying two and a half cents gross per pound.

W. T. Buckler, sold his farm of 144½ acres near the Blue Licks to Robt. Overby, for \$20 per acre.

Allen Griggs has sold his farm of 179 acres in Clark county to A. Howard Hampton at \$5 per acre.

The Hamiltons sold the Wilson farm of 300 acres near Flat Rock, to Geo. Bramblett, of Nicholas, at \$80 per acre.

Chinn & Morgan, of Harrodsburg, have sold the chestnut colt Scalper, by War Dance, to W. B. Jennings, of Mo., for \$2,500.

Col. W. W. Baldwin, of Maysville, purchased 13 weeks last court day at Winchester at prices ranging from \$150 to \$120.50.

At the Georgetown Tobacco Fair, the samples which aggregated 500 pounds, were sold to C. L. Head, of Louisville, at 82 cents per pound.

There were from 800 to 1,000 cattle on the Winchester market court day, most of which were sold at 4½ and 5c. No horses or mules of any consequence on the market.

Abram Renick shipped a Short-horn calf per Adams Express to Powell & Co., Lee's Summit, Mo. The price of the calf unknown, but the express charges amounted to \$40.40.

The recent rapid advance in the price of hogs from \$4.15 to \$5 and \$5.10, in this market is due to the opening of the packing season, together with the removal of restrictions upon American pork into France.

John R. Swiney, surviving partner of the firm of McIntyre & Swiney, will sell, on December 20th, at Treacy & Wilson's stable, at Lexington, the renowned racers Katie Peace, Lizzie S., Redstone and a brown weanling filly by Virgil.

BIRTHS.

To the wives of John Garth and Frank Morris, daughters.

Born to the wife of John Glover, of this precinct, a son. Weight 15 pounds.

To the wives of Joseph Fennell and R. Coffe, of Cynthiana, a son and daughter.

The wife of Mr. Reese, a drummer from Winchester, has three living children, the oldest of which is now but thirty-three months old, and none are twins.

MATRIMONIAL.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Judge William Lindsay and Miss Eleanor Holmes of Frankfort.

A couple were married in Owen county a few days since, the bride and groom being each sixteen years of age.

B. F. Ellington and Miss E. E. Martin, of Nicholas, were married by Squire Coons, in his office in Maysville, last Saturday.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Frank K. Rodman, of Frankfort, to Miss Zennan Archer, of Cincinnati, O., the ceremony to take place on the 12th inst. at the Grand Hotel, Cincinnati.

A very high-toned wedding in colored society took place in this city, Wednesday afternoon. A ticket to this office reads as follows: "Mrs. Sallie Jones requests your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Tonia Jones, to Mr. Edward E. Cooper, on Wednesday, December 5th, at 8 o'clock. St. Paul's Church. Reception at Mr. A. N. Smoot's."

The bride presents given on this occasion were numerous and costly—there being \$150 worth of them having been purchased at a single store. The groom is from Indianapolis, and is a mail agent on one of the roads running through that city.

DEATHS.

—Sid B. Kennedy died at the residence of his father, Tuesday afternoon, of consumption. He had been a sufferer for years, but had been confined to his bed but a short time. He died almost without a struggle or pain—like falling over to sleep. Funeral services yesterday, by Rev. Hendly, of Cincinnati, a Universalist. The remains were escorted to the cemetery by the Masonic Sir Knights, of which order he was an exemplary member.

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—Now the young married men are looking all over creation for Christmas presents for their mothers-in-law.

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—Matrimony is said to be a lottery, but up to the hour of going to press no law has been enacted prohibiting the use of the mated.

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There is no money in the Treasury to pay the City School teachers and the immediate collection of the City Revenues will be apparent to good citizens.

By order of the Council. WM. S. ALEXANDER, City Clerk.

POSTED NOTICE!

I HEREBY FORWARN all persons that my lands are all posted according to law, and all trespassers will be fined to the fullest extent of the law. JOSIE A. BARTON. [decd-31] Millersburg, Ky.

CITY TAXES.

At a meeting of the City Council Dec. 5th, 1883, it was ordered that the City Clerk direct the ATTENTION of the TAXPAYERS of the city of Paris, Ky., to the fact that their city taxes for the year 1883 have been due for some time, and all who are in arrears for property taxes that if their taxes are not paid immediately the Collector is directed to proceed, as required by law, to collect the tax by levy and sale of property or properties on which city taxes are due.

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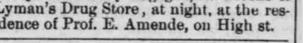
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