

THE BOURBON NEWS.

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DEATH OF WALTER CHAMP.

Walter Champ, senior editor of THE BOURBON NEWS, died at his residence in this city, on Saturday morning last, of organic heart disease, in the 32d year of his age.

To a lifelong friend and companion of the deceased is devolved the sad duty of writing his obituary. Walter Champ was in every sense of the word a model young man. In early youth he united with the Christian Church, and was a consistent member until the day of his death. In disposition he was as gentle as a child. Kind and gentle with his associates, he had so endeared himself to them that his sudden death is looked upon by them as a personal loss. In society, where he was a favorite, he was the true gentleman. Being reared in the journalistic school, his intellectual attainments were above those of the ordinary young man of his age. Until very recently, when ill health compelled him to desist from his labors, he was a contributor to some of the leading publications of the United States and England. He was possessed of a vein of humor which made his articles especially valuable to such publications as "Puck," "Judge," "Life," "London Punch," etc. "Munsey's Magazine," "The Puritan" and "Harper's Weekly" have also published short stories from his pen.

Walter was the son of Bruce Champ, who founded THE BOURBON NEWS in Millersburg in 1880. He received his early education in the public schools at that place, and during his leisure moments learned to set type in his father's office. When THE NEWS was transferred to Paris he became a regular attaché of the office, and so well did he take advantage of the opportunity given him, that at his father's death he took editorial control of the paper, and has since kept it up to the high standard given it by his father. He was extremely sensitive as to the feelings of others, and would frequently refrain from printing accounts of sensational incidents happening in this community, because he knew it would give pain to some innocent party.

An incident showing his solicitude for others happened during his recent trip abroad. He was seized with a sudden attack of his heart trouble, and was at the point of death, being saved only by the heroic efforts of his companions. When he recovered he exacted a pledge from them that they would not mention the matter at home, saying that it would needlessly frighten his relatives. Champ was probably as well known and liked by his brethren of the press as any editor in the State, and at the annual State Press Conventions he was a general favorite.

With the death of Mr. Champ the State loses a brilliant editor, society a valued member, and Paris a good citizen and noble young man. To the brother, who is left to take up the duties he has laid down, and to all his sorrowing relatives, the sympathy of a host of friends is extended.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at the Christian Church, the services being conducted by Eld. Lloyd Darsie and Rev. Dr. Rutherford. The burial took place at Millersburg cemetery, services being conducted by Paris Lodge of Elks, of which the deceased was a member. The pall-bearers were: At Paris—W. A. Parker, Jr.; W. A. Hill, Jr.; Talbot Clay; B. A. Frank; F. P. Lowry; James H. Thompson; J. A. Bower and John D. Feeney. At Millersburg—Hugh Montgomery; O. L. Davis; W. E. Grigsby; John M. Brennan; P. L. McCarthy and W. B. Board. The floral offerings were numerous and costly, and were in themselves silent evidence of the regard in which the deceased was held by his neighbors and friends.

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Among those from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Henry Preston, of Ashland, Ky.; Misses Anna T. and Nannie Miller, of Ashland; Mrs. Lizzie Champ, of Huntington, W. V.; and E. T. Porter, of the Lexington Leader.

[Lexington Leader.]
Walter Champ, editor and owner of the Paris BOURBON NEWS, died suddenly from heart disease at his home in Paris at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Mr. Champ had been in failing health for some time, but had not taken his bed until yesterday. During the past summer he made a trip to Europe, thinking it would prove beneficial but it did not. The deceased was 32 years of age and the son of the late Bruce Champ, who founded the BOURBON NEWS in Millersburg, Bourbon county, in 1881. The paper was afterward removed to Paris and its founder died in that city in 1892. The paper then passed into the control of Walter Champ and his cousin, Bruce Miller, who is now conducting the Paris Kentuckian-Citizen.

Walter Champ was an exceedingly popular young man and a writer of considerable note. A number of his clever short stories and bright sketches—many of them in the Negro dialect—have appeared in "Puck" and the various journals and magazines of the country. He was a polished gentleman at all times and greatly beloved by those who knew him best.

He began the newspaper business by learning the art of printing in his father's office. He is survived by a younger brother, Swift Champ, who was associated with him on THE NEWS, and who will now assume its control. The deceased was unmarried and a social favorite who will be greatly missed by his friends and acquaintances.

Walter Champ was a member of Paris Lodge No. 373, B. P. O. Elks, who will have charge of the funeral and burial services. The funeral will be held at the Paris Christian church Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and the burial will take place in the family lot in the Millersburg cemetery.

Mr. Champ was well known in Lexington and had many friends here. Col. J. G. Craddock, one of his associates, today said that the deceased had been one of the most agreeable and pleasant co-workers he had ever had in the newspaper business.

[Paris Gazette.]
Walter Champ, editor of the Bourbon News, died at his home on Pleasant street, in this city, on Saturday morning at 9:45 o'clock. While Mr. Champ had been in delicate health since his return from Europe last summer, his death at this time was wholly unexpected and came as a shock to the community.

To the writer it was a personal bereavement, and it is with bowed head and heart wrung with deepest sorrow that he pens these lines. Mr. Champ was born in Millersburg, Kentucky, on September 6th, 1868. When twelve years of age he began working as a type-setter on the Bourbon News, which was then edited by his father, the late R. B. Champ, and from that time to the death of his father, he had charge of the composing rooms. After the death of the senior Champ, Walter and his brother Swift took entire control of the paper, and have since conducted it with signal ability and success.

Besides writing for his own journal, Walter Champ has contributed to many of the leading periodicals in the United States and abroad. Personally, he was one of the most exemplary young men ever reared in Kentucky. He was clean in thought, speech and act. He was not an admirer of the commonplace; grossness and vulgarity shocked him. He believed in the sincerity of friendship, in the sacredness of home ties, in reverence for the holy things of life. He was a gentle, manly man, and to know him was to respect him for his many excellent qualities of heart and head.

The funeral services were held at the Christian church yesterday afternoon. Elder Lloyd Darsie and Rev. Dr. Rutherford officiating. His remains were laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Millersburg, by the side of his father. Services at the grave were conducted by the Paris Lodge of Elks. The deceased is survived by his brother, Mr. Swift Champ, who will continue to conduct the Bourbon News.

ROBERT, the twelve year old son of Pete Cain, was badly scalded last week by knocking a pan of hot water over at the home of the latter on Williams street.

A fresh car of cotton seed meal just received. Spears & Sons.

Your wife wants a folling bed and J. T. Hinton has the best makes.

WHILE cleaning a lamp chimney at the residence of O. H. Dudley last Saturday Miss Daisy Phillips had an artery severed in her right wrist by the chimney breaking.

DON'T fail to visit the Diamond opening at A. J. Winters & Co., one day only, Wednesday, Dec. 13th by the largest diamond importers of the United States.

INSURE your tobacco, all farm property with T. Porter Smith. Rates as low as the lowest.

"ANTISEPTALINE" is for sale by all druggists.

Farms Sold.
Mr. W. H. Renick of this city has sold his fine farm of 485 acres near Renick Station, to J. M. Pickrell, of Montgomery County at \$90 per acre.

The farm of Jacob Lydick, dec'd near old Union was sold last week to Jonathan Smith, of Scott County, at \$59.00 per acre.

J. T. McMILLAN, dentist, office over THE NEWS, on Broadway. (tf)

Do you want the newest things in Paris for Christmas presents? If so go to J. T. Hinton's.

PERSONS who have had portraits made will please call and get same at my gallery. L. GRINNAN.

"ANTISEPTALINE" is guaranteed to prevent your teeth from decaying.

Read the Advertisements.

The crowded condition of the advertising columns of THE NEWS is a strong endorsement of the value placed upon it by the merchants of Paris and the county. Never in the history of the paper has it been so taxed for space. There is probably no city in the State whose merchants are as liberal advertisers as those of Paris. There is really no reason for any person to go to Cincinnati or Lexington to purchase goods. Paris merchants can supply their wants with the same quality of goods and very often at greatly reduced prices. Read the "ad" columns of THE NEWS and profit thereby.

You will not be tortured by the dentist if you use Antiseptaleine.

OLD SANTA has left a few nice things for the babies at J. T. Hinton's.

Accident To Linemen.

While removing wires from an electric light pole on High street, near Mrs. Arch Stout's residence, yesterday morning, Irvine Hill, white and Jas. Helm, colored, linemen for the Cumberland Telephone Co., were badly injured by the pole breaking, and throwing them to the ground. Helm had three ribs on the left side broken. Hill's collar bone was fractured, and his left foot sprained. It is thought both may have sustained internal injuries. Everything possible was done for the comfort of the injured men. They were removed in Davis' ambulance to Mrs. Earlywine's boarding house, and Drs. Kenney and Sweeney summoned. There is a probability of both being internally injured. Mr. Hill had a narrow escape from instant death. The pole fell directly on his head, and would have mashed it but for the cross bar which held it up.

FOR RENT.—Dwelling house on High street with 6 rooms and bath room. Apply to J. H. Butler or N. H. Bayless. (tf)

LADIES all like Dressing tables. J. T. Hinton has an elegant line.

SHOES that please in style, fit and price, are what the purchaser wants. All these guaranteed at Davis, Thompson & Isgrig. dec8tf

You will never be compelled to wear false teeth if you use Antiseptaleine.

THE MOVING THROG.

Notes About Our Guests, Arrivals and Departures—Society's Doings.

—Mrs. Rachael Ashbrook was in Lexington, Saturday.

—Mr. Robt. C. Talbot was in Lexington, yesterday on business.

—Eld. J. T. Sharrard and wife were visitors in Lexington Monday.

—Mrs. Newt. Mitchell visited relatives in Lexington Monday.

—E. F. Simms made a business trip to Lexington Monday.

—Messrs. Duncan Bell and Horace Redmond spent Sunday in Richmond.

—Col. E. F. Clay attended Court in Lexington Monday.

—Mrs. Amanda Hall and Mrs. M. A. Smith left yesterday for Kansas City.

—Mrs. Ida B. Rogers has returned from a visit to friends in Indiana.

—T. F. Brannon and Garrett Kenney left for a hunt in Montgomery county yesterday.

—Miss Jessie Kriener left yesterday for Frankfort to attend the inauguration of Gov. Beckham.

—Miss "Pink" Shropshire returned from a visit to Cincinnati yesterday morning.

—Wm. Jones, of North Middletown, formerly jailer of Bourbon County, was in the city Saturday.

—Prof. Leslie C. Bosley, of Centre College was here Saturday visiting his brother John L. Bosley.

—Editor G. R. Keller of the Carlisle Mercury, passed through yesterday for Frankfort to attend the inauguration.

—Messrs. E. F. Clay and Catesby Woodford attended the thoroughbred sales at Lexington yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Exon and children leave to-day for a visit to relatives in Kansas and South Dakota.

—Conductor C. S. Grove, of the Richmond and Maysville train is ill, and Capt. Frank Webb is working the run.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander have arrived home from a two weeks trip to Buffalo, Rochester and New York City.

—Carter Schultz, formerly of this county, after a residence of a year at Sedalia, O. has moved near North Middletown.

—Miss Judith Carpenter returned yesterday from Mason County, where she has been on a visit to relatives and friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ament after a visit of several weeks to their daughter Mrs. B. B. Marsh, left yesterday for their home in Oklahoma.

—Dr. H. H. Roberts of this city, was in Newark, N. J. Saturday on business. He will probably return home Wednesday.

—Mr. Geo. Eastin, the undertaker of Mt Sterling, and an old friend of Mr. Stout Leer, was here yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. Leer's little son.

—Miss Francis Butler is ill at her home in this city, and her school is being conducted by Miss Mamie Neale, who graduated at Lexington State College last June.

—Messrs. Frank and Garrard Daugherty, Robt. Hunt Jr., Thomas Roche, Martin Doyle, Jr., Warren Reubel and Walter Dempsey attended the funeral of their schoolmate, Henry Laird at Millersburg yesterday.

Who is it that lives in the county that would not like one of those foot warmers that J. T. Hinton is selling?

LEWIS TAYLOR, son of Mrs. Hannah Taylor, of Duncan Avenue, was seriously burned last Tuesday. In some way a chair in which he was sitting was tipped over and he was thrown upon a red hot poker burning his face considerably.

THE Frankfort-Cincinnati R.R. will sell round trip tickets from Paris to Frankfort to-day, good to return until December 15th, at one fare for the round trip, on account of the inauguration of Gov. Beckham.

SEE those fancy baskets at J. T. Hinton's.

THE property of Mrs. Johannah Hannon, deceased, on Tenth street, was sold at public auction Saturday by Auctioneer A. T. Forsyth to J. T. Hinton for \$2,500.

You can make no mistake on anything you buy at J. T. Hinton's. He sells no trash.

Daughters of the Confederacy.
THE Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet with Mrs. A. T. Forsyth, Thursday afternoon Dec. 13th at 2:30 o'clock.

THERE is furniture and furniture and J. T. Hinton sells furniture. The price is not everything but his prices are the lowest and his goods the best. No second hand stuff.

Failed to Indict.
HENRY LAWSON, white, who stabbed and killed Henry Thompson, colored, about ten days since, was released from jail Saturday, the grand jury having exonerated him. All the testimony showed that the negro was the aggressor, and that he had knocked Lawson down and was on top of him when the stabbing occurred.

THE handsomest line of lamps and toilet sets in Paris can be found at J. T. Hinton's.

ANY member of your family or servant can settle for your laundry when delivered by using the laundry coupon book furnished by the Bourbon Laundry Co.

A Surprise.
FROM 7 till 10 o'clock every morning to close out this week. Our whole stock of elegant ribbons, your choice for 19c cash.
MRS. NANNIE BROWN.

OBITUARY.

The sympathy of the entire community go out to Mr. and Mrs. Stout Leer in the death of their little son Wallace Henry, which occurred on Saturday morning. The little fellow was aged six years and was an unusually bright and pretty child. His funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the residence, services being conducted by Eld. Lloyd Darsie and Rev. F. J. Cheek. Burial at Paris Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Ollie Carter, James O'Brien, Charley James and Desha Lucas. The floral tributes from friends were profuse and handsome. Fifteen friends of Mr. Keer in Lexington sent a magnificent "gates ajar."

[Contributed.]
Little Wallace Leer left his earthly home Dec. 8th 1900, to live with the dear Savior who said "suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of God. He was a member of the Sunday school, and a little Light Bearer in the Mission Band. The flower has faded only to blossom in richer hues in the world to come.

Ex-U. S. Senator John M. Irby, of S. C. died Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Myers, stepmother of Mrs. Wm. Hukill, Jr., died at Lexington Sunday morning.

Mrs. Fannie Milton, aged ninety-eight, and probably the oldest lady in Madison county, died in Richmond Thursday.

James D. Wilson, aged 28, son of Mr. J. A. Wilson, died Saturday at the residence of Mr. Andrew Wright near this city, of consumption. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at the Christian church, services being conducted by Eld. Lloyd Darsie and Rev. Dr. Rutherford.

CARLEY WILMOTH and Rodney Quinby are clerking at the post office.

We are showing a great variety of presents in China lamps and cut glass. Call and see.
7-4t FORD & CO.

The "As You Like It" Club, which was to have been entertained on Thursday evening by Miss Eddie Spears, has been indefinitely postponed out of respect to the memory of Walter Champ, one of their members.

WHY throw your money away on trash when you can get something useful and ornamental at J. T. Hinton's.

PRESENT your friend with a Premo Camera for Christmas. Sold by Daugherty Bros.

PREMOS CAMERAS \$10 to \$35. Sold by Daugherty Bros.

Our ten and twenty-five-cent tables now ready. Great bargains.
7-4t FORD & CO.

Grocery Sold.
Carley Wilmoth has sold his stock of groceries in the Ficklin building to Will Sauer.

Will Await A Verdict.
It is said that all applicants for the position of postmaster at Paris will rest on their oars until after the decision in the case of Mr. Bosley, which is now before the Federal court and will shortly be tried. This is both a wise and sensible move. If Mr. Bosley is acquitted of any wrongdoing in his connection with the postoffice, (which a large majority of the people of Paris think he will be), he is entitled to still retain the office.

SEE those Morris chairs and leather couches and easy chairs at J. T. Hinton's.

See the "Cameo Goods." Newest and latest thing out.
7-4t FORD & CO.

You will never have decayed teeth if you use Antiseptaleine.

Brood Sow For Sale!
An extra fine Brood Sow. Will farrow soon. Inquire at this office.

BEFORE BUYING YOUR XMAS GOODS, GO TO.....

PARIS PRINTING & STATIONERY COMPANY'S STORE
And see their stock of Books, Stationery, Art Calendars, Pictures, Frames, Indian Novelties, Leather Goods, Prayer Books, &c.

"What to Cook and How to Cook It," Mrs. Johnson's Cook Book," makes a nice present and is having a good sale. Fresh Home-Made Candy always on sale. Orders taken for Xmas boxes.

Introducing Fall Shoes.
We've had Summer enough, and we should not complain if the prediction of the weather man prove correct, "Rain Followed by Cold Weather." Now is the time to prepare for this change—and our store is filled with the newest creations in Fall Shoes. Such Shoes you never saw as to beauty, fit and comfort. Every pair fully guaranteed, and yet we sell them cheap. Call on us; call quickly; the quicker the better. You'll be glad you come; so will we.
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Friday, December 14, Daniel and Chas. Frohman
Will Present the Most Successful Comedy.....

AT THE WHITE HORSE TAVERN,
(From the German, by Sidney Rosenfeld.)

With FREDERIC BOND, As the Irascible Berliner, And a Carefully Selected Company of 30 People. The Comedy Event of Two Seasons.

G. Tucker.

IMPORTED CUT GLASS.

Largest Stock of Cut Glass in the City. Just the Proper Gift for Christmas.

We Can Show You
Eton Celery Trays, Rockford Saucers, Venice Sugar & Cream Bowls, Shreve Vachs.

Tumbiers, Venice Water Bottles, Clady's Oil Bottles, Olover Eeaf Bonbons, Vajestic Vaces

The above goods we offer at special low prices.

We also show a nice line of
Comb and Brush Sets, Mirrors, Hedallions, Picture Frames, Umbrellas, Fancy China, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, &c.

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Holiday Trade.

It's our time now to do some big business—not in big prices, but in low prices and lots of sales—not to make much, but to sell much. We aim to make it extraordinarily profitable to buy right now for the Holidays. Value talks.

PARKER & JAMES,
FOURTH & MAIN STS., - - PARIS, KY.

DIAMOND OPENING!

We invite the public to visit our store Wednesday, December 12, to inspect the largest line of Diamond Jewelry ever shown by the largest Diamond importer of the United States.

A. J. Winters & Co.

Introducing Fall Shoes.
We've had Summer enough, and we should not complain if the prediction of the weather man prove correct, "Rain Followed by Cold Weather." Now is the time to prepare for this change—and our store is filled with the newest creations in Fall Shoes. Such Shoes you never saw as to beauty, fit and comfort. Every pair fully guaranteed, and yet we sell them cheap. Call on us; call quickly; the quicker the better. You'll be glad you come; so will we.
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TOP OVERCOATS...

FOR Boys, 10 to 15 years, AT \$4, worth \$5 and \$6.

Blue Kersey" and Oxfords, cut in the latest styles, well made and trimmed, same style as Men's Overcoats, at \$6, worth \$7.50. Sizes 10 to 15 years.

Boys' Storm Overcoats at \$2.50. Reduction in Boys' Knee Pants Suits, cheap at \$1 per Suit.

PRICE & CO. CLOTHIERS.