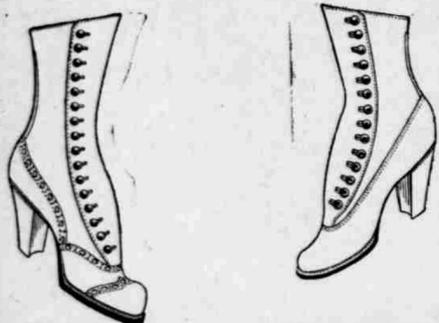


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ing your favorite a winner. What you do now will mean a lot to your favorite on December 7. Drop everything else if need be, to make your favorite a winner. Don't let anyone wrest the honor and prizes away. Don't let vain regrets possess you after the judges have finished their work, but make sure that if your favorite should lose you will at least have the satisfaction of knowing that you have done all you possibly could do. Get your friends to subscribe—hand your favorite your subscription or if you are now taking the paper increase your subscription. You certainly would feel mighty mean if your favorite lost just for lack of the votes your subscription would bring. Don't let this happen but hand in your subscription at once.

BIG TIME SATURDAY.

Everything is being made ready for the close, and we want all the people of this city and surrounding territory to come and help us celebrate the conclusion of this big contest. A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to join in the celebration of "Contest Day" in Paris on next Saturday afternoon and evening, December 7. There will be band concerts, both afternoon and evening in front of the News office. The Paris High School Band has been engaged for this occasion and a rare musical treat is promised. Scores of people have already told us that they have made arrangements to attend, so be sure and come and meet your friends. Bring pa and ma, brother and sister, aunts and uncles and all the friends and relatives who are interested in this big race.

CLOSES AT 9:30 P M SATURDAY

The contest will come to a formal close next Saturday night, at 9:30 o'clock and no subscriptions will be taken from anyone who is not in the office at the closing hour. If you are present at 9:30 o'clock, your report will be received but if you come after the closing hour you will be the loser. Immediately after the last settlement has been received and the vote ballots have been deposited, the ballot box will be turned over to the judges and the work of counting the votes will be started. This task will be no small one and must not be unnecessarily delayed. If you have friends who are holding voting certificates in behalf of your favorite get into communication with them at once and warn them that the vote ballots must be deposited next Saturday, or they will be of no use to your favorite.

Don't leave any voting certificates at home; gather them up, tie them together and bring or send them to the News office to be deposited in the ballot box before 9:30 p. m. Saturday, December 7.

LAST COUNT.

The campaign manager will make his last count for the Friday paper. The ballot box will then be sealed and the keys turned over to the judges. All votes deposited in the ballot box after the campaign manager makes his final count will be counted by the judges, who are several well known gentlemen of this city. This plan makes it fair to all contestants as no one can tell how many votes they have in reserve until the contest is over and the judges make their final count.

NOTICE.

If there is any mistake in the printing of any contestant's vote as published in today's issue, it must be brought to the attention of the campaign manager before next Thursday noon, when the count is made for Friday's issue. Otherwise the standing as published today must be taken as correct.

The Contest Manager issues a warning that no checks will be accepted on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 6th and 7th. If you take checks for subscriptions, have them made payable to yourself, and then convert into cash before making your final settlement.

NOT TRANSFERABLE.

A rule of the contest which has been vigorously enforced and which will be enforced until the contest is over is that the votes are absolutely not transferable. Votes which are issued to one contestant and have the name thereon cannot be transferred to another contestant. All ballots which are scratched, torn or altered in any way will be promptly discarded. Every ballot issued on subscriptions must bear the name of some candidate. No blank votes will be issued on subscriptions under any consideration.

The contest manager has one request to make of the contestants, bring in your subscriptions as early as possible in the week. Votes will then be issued and mailed to you, or, if desired, will be held until you come in Saturday. Any subscriptions which you secure Saturday can then be brought in before 9:30 o'clock that night. It will be to your advantage to do this or you may lose several subscriptions in the hurry of the closing hour.

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS.

| DISTRICT NO. 1 | |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Miss Ida Paynter..... | 448,650 |
| Miss Frances Kenney..... | 448,650 |
| Miss Hazel Duvall..... | 441,425 |
| Robt. A. Rose..... | 429,100 |
| O. P. Carter, Jr..... | 371,825 |
| Miss Flora Hill..... | 205,325 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Burke..... | 140,225 |
| Wm. Cooper..... | 104,225 |
| Miss Matilda James..... | 58,200 |
| Miss Mary Brown..... | 51,450 |
| Miss Bob Morris..... | 49,875 |
| Carley B. Scott..... | 31,375 |
| Mrs. Leer Stout..... | 7,950 |
| Miss Elsie Thomas..... | 5,600 |
| Charlie Grinnan..... | 5,125 |
| DISTRICT NO. 2 | |
| Miss Lillie Martin..... | 440,325 |
| Mrs. Wm. Faris..... | 197,350 |
| Miss Shady Shanks..... | 180,425 |
| Miss Sallie K. Peterson..... | 118,500 |
| Miss Laura Bell Faulconer..... | 163,750 |
| Mrs. Clark Leer..... | 59,275 |
| Mrs. Willie McNamara..... | 51,950 |
| Mrs. Bern Rash..... | 48,325 |
| Miss Ida Bell Tate..... | 29,650 |
| Miss Will Davis, Judy..... | 7,550 |
| Mrs. Louis Mussinon..... | 5,325 |

"Mr. Bob" Will Be Grand Event.

"Mr. Bob," the pretty little musical comedy, which will be presented at the Paris Grand on Thursday evening, Nov. 5, promises to be one of the best shows produced in this city, composed of local talent. Nothing is being left undone by the promoters and daily rehearsals are improving the cast to a point of excellency.

The play will be presented under the auspices of Richard Hawes Chapter, U. D. C., and the proceeds will be used to furnish a room in the W. W. Massie Memorial Hospital.

Tickets have been placed on sale and from the number of advance sales that have been made, there is evidence that the house will be crowded to overflowing on the night of the performance. The cast which is made up entirely of local talent is as follows:

- Phillip Koysen, fond of yachting—J. T. Adams.
 - Robert Brown, a much abused law clerk—Reuben Hutchcraft.
 - Jenkins, who objects to cats—Harvy Saloshin.
 - Rebecca Luke, fond of cats—Miss Mary Tomilson.
 - Katherine Rogers, Miss Luke's friend—Miss Belle Horton.
 - "Mr. Bob," Katherine's friend—Miss Corlune Collins.
 - Patty, who loves dramatic wit—Miss Jerome Chapman.
- PERSONNEL OF CHORUS**
- Miss Catharine Thompson, Miss Matilda James, Miss Elizabeth Steele, Miss Rena Crowdale, Miss Marie Talbott, Mrs. Joseph Mitchell, Miss Corinne Collins, Miss Jerome Chapman and Messrs. Wallace Clark, Harry Horton, Ireland Davis, Fay Ardery, J. T. Adams, Ernest Ebelher.
 - Opening Chorus—"Hello, Mr. Moon Man."
 - Minuet—"The Kiddies."
 - Pianist—Miss Elizabeth Crutcher.

Aged Colored Man Dead.

William Steuban, aged 89 years, one of the best known and most highly respected colored men in Bourbon county, died at his home in this city Sunday morning at 3 o'clock from infirmities due to his advanced age. Steuban was born in Lexington and in his youth he lived in New Orleans, but the most of his life was spent in this city, where he conducted a barber shop for a number of years, giving up the business because he was too old to follow it successfully.

For many years he was a familiar figure on the race courses of Kentucky and in other states, and when open betting was practiced at the courses his bets were taken readily. He was a recognized authority on racers and his judgment in many cases were backed by the best known sportsmen throughout the country.

Though born a slave he obtained his freedom long before the emancipation proclamation was issued. He was a man of strong common sense and intelligence and was perhaps as well educated as any other man of his race in this section of the country. During his early life in the South he learned the French language, which he could speak fluently and although during his late years his vision was somewhat impaired he kept posted on current events and was able to discuss the most important happenings of the day.

At one time he had considerable property but owned at his death only the home where he lived at the foot of Main street, which he has occupied for almost half a century.

Rain Relieves Drought.

The rain of Sunday night served to relieve the drought that has prevailed in this section for the past two months. Owing to the fact that no rain has fallen in that length of time there was a scarcity of water, many of the streams of the county being almost dry and ponds in various sections which furnish stock water being without any water to speak of.

In a number of instances farmers have been known to drive their cattle for some distance to water them. The extremely dry weather has had the effect of retarding the growers of tobacco in preparing their crops for the market.

Not all of the tobacco in the county has been stripped and that which is now ready for the market could not be handled owing to the need of a rain to bring it in case. Unless there is a considerable drop in the temperature and with a continuation of damp, moist atmosphere, tobacco will be ready for the market in the next few days.

Tobacco Market Opens Saturday

The opening of the tobacco warehouse of the Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Co., in this city, which it was announced would take place today has been postponed until Saturday when the sales will begin. The great need of a tobacco season has been the cause of postponing the sales in a number of cities, and such conditions existing here has made it necessary to postpone the opening.

The large tobacco warehouse in Barns addition, which for the past three or four months has been under construction, has been completed, practically all the work being finished with the exception of hanging a few doors and clearing the premises of all the waste material.

Manager Kenney Nichols with a large force of men will begin receiving tobacco Wednesday in preparation for the sales Saturday, and with the proper season a good supply should be on hand for the opening day.

Several weeks ago Mr. Nichols received the assurance that there would be a large number of buyers representing the various tobacco firms throughout the country on hand at the opening of the sales. The firms of R. J. Reynolds & Co., G. T. Patterson, W. L. Petty & Co., J. P. Taylor & Co., and Silas Shelbourne & Co., will be represented.

FOR SALE

About 1,200 barrels of corn for sale in field, with good field lot of 200 acre boundary to feed on. Apply to E. R. ALLEN, 127 Lexington St., Winchester, Ky.

DEATHS.

RENICK.

—Mr. Wm. Howard Renick, scion of one of Bourbon county's pioneer families, and one of the most prominent men of Paris, died at his home on High street Friday morning about eleven o'clock after an illness of only a few days of heart trouble.

Mr. Renick was born near Clintonville, this county in 1836 and was seventy-six years of age. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Renick, the former being a large landowner in this county. His father was a veteran of the war of 1812. He was an extensive farmer and stock raiser.

After death of his father Mr. Renick continued to reside in the old Renick homestead. He met with much success as a farmer and attained a national reputation as a stock raiser, being a producer of high class short-horn cattle.

Mr. Renick was interested in the Paris Milling Co., in East Paris. Together with his sons, B. M. Renick, Scott Renick and Abram Renick, he purchased the stock in the company and the plant was placed under the management of B. M. Renick. It has been converted into one of the most prosperous milling concerns in Kentucky.

The excellent business ability of Mr. Renick was recognized throughout the state and he was interested in other business ventures, among them being the Agricultural Bank of Paris, of which he was a director.

Prior to moving to town Mr. Renick owned seven hundred acres of blue grass land. This he sold and purchased the palatial residence of the late J. W. Ferguson on High street.

Mr. Renick is survived by his widow, who was formerly Miss Mattie Morris, of Scott county, and six children—two daughters, Mrs. Duncan Bell, of Paris, and Mrs. Curtis P. Smith, of Dallas, Texas, and four sons, Messrs. B. M. Renick, of Paris; Morris Renick, of Middletown, O.; Abram Renick and Scott Renick, of Clark county.

The funeral services were held at the grave in the Clintonville cemetery Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. B. M. Shive, pastor of the Paris Presbyterian church.

Following were the pall bearers: Honorary—The members of the Agricultural Bank directory, who served with Mr. Renick; Messrs. J. T. Hinton, N. Kriener, W. H. Anderson, J. W. Bedford, John Marston, W. W. Hall, J. D. McClintock, J. W. Davis and J. J. McClintock.

Active—George R. Bell, J. F. Young, S. L. Westberry, Geo. Hunt, R. B. Hutchcraft, J. M. Hall, J. W. Allison and Henry Quisenberry.

WILLIAMS.

—Mr. W. S. Williams, a former resident of Bourbon county, aged 69 years, died suddenly at Glade Springs, Va., Saturday night. Death was due to an attack of heart trouble.

Mr. Williams is survived by his wife and six daughters, Misses Pearl, Nora Belle and Tillie Williams, of Lexington; Mrs. C. H. Estes, Abingdon, Va.; Mrs. Ike Chilton, Salt Lake City, Utah; Mrs. W. W. Swartz, of Ewing, and Mrs. G. W. Estes, of Bourbon county. One brother, Thomas H. Williams, of this city, and two sons, W. E. Williams, president of the First National Bank of Jackson, Ky., and C. G. Williams, cashier of the Bank of Rapine, Va., also survives.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his brother, Thomas H. Williams, on South Main street this morning at 11 o'clock, the body arriving here from Knoxville, Tenn., last night. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. W. E. Ellis, of the Christian church, and the burial will take place in the Paris cemetery.

Shoes For Gentlemen.

See the Bostonian shoes for men at \$4 and \$5 at Feld's Shoe Store. tf

Rockers.

Many up to date leather rockers for the Christmas trade. A. F. WHEELER & CO. tf

Don't Forget.

Don't forget "Mr. Bob" at the Opera House November 5, for the benefit of the Richard Hawes Chapter, U. D. C. Be sure to attend.

Brass Beds.

Just received our shipment of brass beds. Come in and see them. Just the thing for Christmas presents. A. F. WHEELER & CO. tf

Is This a New Cure for Rheumatism.

Whether it is a mental influence of the presence of the strip of silken ribbon of the Emerald hue, encircling his waist, Mike Murphy, the prompt collecting transfer man, is free from rheumatic pains that have made his life a misery for the past few months, and folks in whom he has confided his secret are wondering if the wily Irishman has succeeded in unearthing a cure for the most dreaded disease.

According to Mr. Murphy the remedy was given him by an old friend, a druggist of this city, whose abnormal abdominal proportions prevented him from using it for some time, owing to the fact that a strip of ribbon of sufficient length could not be secured in this city and an order was placed with the factory; in the meantime he was compelled to go to Martinsville.

Mr. Murphy avers that he suffered with rheumatism to such an extent that he was driven to desperation and when the secret of the remedy was given him he procured a piece of green ribbon which he placed around his waist. Since that day, he says, his rheumatic pains have not made their appearance. "Why," he said, "I'd just as soon think of leaving off my trousers in the morning when I get up as leaving off the ribbon."

A month ago another friend of Mr. Murphy, a Louisville and Nashville employe, who also sports a huge section of the silken material, had the misfortune to burst his ribbon, and while awaiting the arrival of the order placed with the factory suffered the most excruciating pains, and was also compelled to make a trip to Martinsville to secure temporary relief.

Revenue Assignments.

Following are the revenue assignments made by Collector T. A. Fields for Bourbon county for the month of December:

Julius Kessler & Co., Paris; J. M. Russell, day; J. A. Rowland, bottling; J. D. Shy and E. J. Martyn, additional; J. P. Hutchcraft, gauger. W. P. Thomas, Kiserston; W. W. Cherry, day; W. N. Henderson, additional and bottling; J. P. Hutchcraft, gauger. G. G. White Co., Paris; C. L. Hough, day; W. S. Lyne, additional and bottling; J. A. Breslin, additional; J. P. Hutchcraft, gauger.

Morris Chairs.

Many Morris chairs to pick from, in oak, early English and mahogany. Very acceptable for Christmas presents. A. F. WHEELER & CO. tf

Resolutions.

RESOLUTIONS IN RESPECT TO THE MEMORY OF JOHN A. LARUE ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, NOVEMBER 27TH, 1912.

John A. LaRue passed from this life at his residence in Bourbon County, Tuesday evening at five o'clock. He was a charter member, and from its beginning, a Director in this institution. His death creates the first vacancy in this Board of Directors—a vacancy, so far as we are now able to foresee, impossible to fill. His standing in this community as a Christian, his unerring judgment in the solution of business problems, and his faithful, unflinching adherence to these principles of life that characterize an ideal manhood, we treasure and relied upon as part of the beginning and development of this institution, to which he so abundantly and willingly gave his energy and time.

John A. LaRue was one of the up-builders of Bourbon County. No citizen ever resided within her borders who more willingly subscribed to and became a part of any undertaking having in view the public good. He was an absolutely honest man. There was no deceit, nor indirection, in the make up of his character. He lived a blameless life, and at its close, after this long and intimate association, we recall no single act but that was characteristic of the noblest and best of manhood.

Therefore, Be it resolved by the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Paris, Kentucky—

That by his death this institution is deprived of one whose advice, and earnest and sincere interest, during all its existence, have been invaluable; this Board of directors of an honorable and loyal friend and associate; our stockholders of one who placed their welfare first and above all in every situation that has confronted the Bank, and this community one whose life in every relationship, measured by any standard, was an example and an inspiration.

Resolved, further, That these resolutions be spread upon the minute book, and that a copy thereof, under the seal of the Bank, be forwarded to the family of our deceased friend and associate.

Public Sale!

—OF—
Stock, Crop, &c

Having sold my farm on the Maysville and Lexington pike five and one-half miles from Paris and two and one-half miles from Millersburg and will move to another state, I will sell at public auction on

Wednesday, Dec. 18th, 1912,

- 16 head of cattle, including 4 choice milk cows;
 - 6 coming 2 year old heifers;
 - 2 heifer calves;
 - 2 red steer calves, extra good;
 - Yearling Polled Durham bull;
 - 2 polled Durham heifers, registered, and probably the only cattle of this breed in Bourbon county;
 - 13 head of Southdown sheep, as good as there are in the State;
 - 4 work mules, good ones;
 - Carriage, runabout, covered spring wagon, pony rigs, carts, sleigh, harness, farming implements;
 - Household and kitchen furniture;
 - Corn, oats, fodder and straw;
 - Turkeys, chickens, ducks, white guineas, and Homer pigeons.
- Sale will begin at ten o'clock. TERMS—Liberal and made known on day of sale.

J. F. BARBEE, Auctioneer.

THE U. D. C.
 Present

"Mr. Bob"

A Comedy With Music

Opera House

Thursday

Dec. 5

Benefit of Hospital

Superb Local Talent—Personal Direction Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adams.

Reserved Seats 50c and 75c.