

Mrs. Brewer has moved to the B. C. Scott place.

Warren county issued 170 marriage licenses during the year 1880.

George Randolph came up from Shelbyville a few days ago.

Hon. D. L. Snodgrass, of Sparta, passed down to Nashville Tuesday last.

Maj. Austin, the Sewing-machine machinist is in town again.

Business is lively with Smartt & Cummings at Smartt's Station, in their new store.

Lightning Relief is a sure cure for sick and nervous headache. For sale by J. B. Ritchey.

Please return to Mrs. Hill Vol. I. Yokum's History of Texas, borrowed from the Library of Gen. B. J. Hill.

We understand that Col. Munford has purchased the New Pickett Building for a residence.

The Winter and Spring session of Mrs. Clement's school will commence on Monday, the 17th inst.

If you want something to cure toothache and earache, use Lightning Relief. J. B. Ritchey.

W. E. B. Jones, W. T. Murray and R. R. Womack went to Nashville this week.

Judge J. P. Smith is in Nashville canvassing for state Superintendency with fair prospects of success.

A. J. Curl circuit court clerk has moved to town and located on Chancery street in F. M. Smartt's residence.

The Organette, for sale by Brewer & Northcutt. It is now becoming a universal favorite. And all other kinds of musical instruments.

G. W. Parks Tax collector has moved to town with headquarters in the court house.

A. J. Gribble has returned to town to live and will occupy the Vanpelt house on Spring street.

Dr. Ragland's celebrated Lightning Relief is the greatest discovery of the age for the relief of pain. J. B. Ritchey.

Mr. H. L. Hayes of Irving College desires to say to the farmers that he has a Clover Huller and is prepared to thresh and clean clover seed to order.

Farmers will find the long desired Hand Corn-Shell at Clement's. We have seen it work, and can say it is just the thing for every farmer.

H. P. Newton, an attache of the STANDARD office made a Christmas visit to Ky., his friends can conjecture his object. He is now sick.

If you want to see what kind of meat Maddux handles call at his headquarters at the Mountain City Hotel and you will then know what you are getting.

Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment is unique as a Patent Medicine, in that it is recommended for nothing but Piles. It is, perhaps, the only patent medicine extant which does not propose to cure from a dozen to one hundred diseases. But it will effectually cure Piles, and is only 50 cts. For sale by J. B. Ritchey.

Masonic.

The Masonic Lodge has decided to have a meeting of the members, their wives and daughters on the night of Feb. 7th, at which Rev. Caleb Davis will deliver an address on masonry.

For Rent.

A neatly painted and furnished store house, with new counters and shelves, has been fitted up in the north wing of the Mountain City Hotel by Mrs. Abbie Turner, which she will rent at reasonable rates. For particulars call at the Mountain City Hotel. The location is an eligible one.

If you have a cough or cold, or disease of the throat and lungs, use Cousens' Honey of Tar, the best and purest compound ever offered the public. There are a few worthless imitations of this valuable remedy, but it has no rival as a ready relief for diseases of the throat and lungs, bad colds, and severe coughs of long standing. Use Cousens' Honey of Tar and get rid of your cough or hoarseness and difficulty of breathing. Price 50 cts. For sale by J. B. Ritchey, McMinnville, June 18, 80-lyaltern.

White County Item.

Rev. Jas. Williams was elected Superintendent of public instruction for White county by the County Court last Monday.

Coffee County Item.

Messrs. L. D. Hickerson & Co. have purchased the extensive spoke and handle factory at Manchester, lately operated by Ohlemacher Bros., and will at once resume business.

What is it that never fails to cure rheumatism and neuralgia? Dr. Ragland's Lightning Relief. J. B. Ritchey.

OVER THE COUNTY.

VIOLA.

Our reporter represents the people in fine spirits and good financial condition, and very hopeful of better times. Messrs. Smartt, Winton & Co. have sold out to Messrs. Chidsey, Bonner & Co., who have opened up with new goods and bright auspices.

The former firm are contemplating a new business in the way of large woolen mills at Viola, or an extensive timber and lumber trade. May success attend their energy and business tact.

BLUE SPRING COVE.

Our correspondent, R. P. H., reports a "booming Christmas" along the mountain range that environs our view east—a real feast of fat things, such as a big ball at Joe McGee's, with fruits, cakes, candies, and the "consoling kiss."

A beautiful Christmas tree was regaled at Union Church to the delight of a large crowd.

Esquire Harrison gave one of those "culminating" Christmas parties, of which he is the pioneer in that community.

The Blue Spring school has closed for the winter, and the teacher, who is our correspondent, closes his sojourn there, and will soon bid farewell to these snow clad mountains for Florida, the land of flowers.

DIBBLE.

Our regular correspondent, P. G. P., represents his people in good spirits after a Christmas feast of good things, including the anniversary goblet and some of the extracts doubtless of the native products of Warren.

Mr. B. F. Womack, of the firm of Potter & Womack, is doing a lively business in the mule trade for the South.

The excessive cold weather is hailed as prognostic of good crops for 1881, and the good wishes of that community are expressed for a wide circulation of the STANDARD as the paper that represents every class and interest of the county.

TOWLES' MILLS.

Mr. Ervine Gribble represents his community in good condition and in good hopes of a fine wheat crop, with some fears of a "cold kill" of the tender plant.

IRVING COLLEGE.

President Meadows reports an increasing interest in the Irving College enterprise, the pride of that community. The people in good spirits and ready for the onward movement in the progress of the South, which now is plainly dawning everywhere.

Irving College.

The next session of this deservedly popular institution will open on Monday, Jan. 31, 1881. It is the aim of its friends to make the college what it was in the ante-bellum days of 1850, when Irving College was known throughout the South as one of the choice schools at which an education could be obtained at less expense, and less exposure to vices and temptations than at any other similar institution in Tennessee. The location and surroundings are the same now as then, and the faculty are known and approved teachers, well fitted for their respective positions by experience and success as instructors. Each male student will be required to set the part of a cadet in military drill daily as a means of exercise and improvement in the physical training and development of the body. See their announcement in another column.

Events and Incidents.

C. C. Smith, Superintendent of public instruction for Warren county, was re-elected to that office on last Monday by the County Court.

Hon. John W. Towles, Chairman of the County Court of Warren county, was re-elected to that position without opposition last Monday.

Prof. J. J. Meadows, President of Irving College, was in town attending County Court last Monday and Tuesday. He is active in pressing the claims of that school upon the public.

The oyster supper at the Methodist church on the 31st ult. was a pleasant and enjoyable affair, and to some extent profitable to the missionary cause. Dr. Fleming "paid for what he called for and called for what he pleased." He is a whole scholar on such occasions.

For the Public Good.

There were three women in Tennessee, reported in the American of the 1st inst. who were burned to death in one day by their clothes coming in contact with the fire in the grate, one in each of the cities of Knoxville, Chattanooga and Jackson. A teaspoonful of powdered borax in half a pint of starch will render clothing non-inflammable and will not injure the fabric or prove disagreeable in any way. It is simple and cheap, and is worth a trial to save life in cold weather.

County Court.

The Chairman's report of County officers was confirmed.

Hon. John W. Towles was re-elected chairman.

S. J. Walling re-elected Chairman pro tem.

C. C. Smith re-elected County Supt. of Public Schools.

John G. Brown gave bond and qualified as guardian of Wm. C. Brown.

Sheriff required to keep the court room locked, and not to allow any shows or concerts therein.

The last will of Isaac Wilson, dec'd, was admitted to probate.

D. L. Mitchell appointed back tax collector for 1878-9.

Jail funds of \$80.45 appropriated for county purposes.

The voting place in the 13th civil district changed to the Ball Knob school house.

S. H. Sadley received bond as guardian of E. L. Bouldin's heirs.

R. H. Mason, J. M. Castleman and W. D. Smartt were appointed a committee to rent the rooms in the court house now occupied by D. F. Wallace and Dr. J. M. Burgher.

John W. Towles allowed for his services as Chairman for 1880, \$125.

Miss Mattie Norwood allowed \$25, J. C. Martin trustee of the fund.

Sam Vanhooser, constable in 12th dist., resigned.

John Trammell and wife allowed \$40 for 1881, Jonathan Mullican trustee.

Aaron Fletcher, adm'r ex. Whaley Bethel's heirs. Complainant is allowed until next court to give bond for cost.

Sam Green, Eli McGregor and W. H. Smith appointed overseers on their respective roads.

JURORS FOR JANUARY TERM, 1881.

1. A. Randolph, J. B. Blair, J. T. Camp.
2. John Crim, David Mayo.
3. Marion Sadley, John T. Rowland.
4. Wm. Martin, J. C. Johnson.
5. J. E. McGee, John Henneasee.
6. J. P. Hill, N. L. Hill.
7. John C. Hughes.
8. J. A. Biles.
9. J. M. Castleman.
10. I. D. Jefferys.
11. B. R. Bates.
12. J. K. P. Webb.
13. Jos. Pennington, T. L. Hopkins.
14. John R. Grizzle, E. H. Green Sr.
15. John D. Mullican, D. B. Smith.
16. Duncan was appointed to wait on the court, and Jas. Barnes to wait on the Grand Jury.

APPROPRIATIONS.

- W. L. Steakley, Sheriff, on account, \$31.95
- J. L. Miller, pauper account, 3.07
- J. H. Robertson, Deputy Clerk, 7.90
- Gilbert & Doty, coal account, 6.25
- W. L. Swann, Deputy Clerk, 9.75
- Morford & Biles's account, 11.65
- W. A. Calder, for pauper coffin, 3.00
- Potter & Womack, shroding, 3.50
- Morford, Thurman, Davis, Smith, Commissioners to investigate Trustee's settlement, allowed, 75.00

total, \$152.07

Miss Matilda Cunningham, a pauper, was allowed \$45 for 1881, and L. D. Mercer trustee.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF COUNTY.

Assets for County purposes.

Due from Sam Brown, former Trustee, for the year 1879, \$1185.63

Due from G. W. Parks, present Trustee, for the year 1880, 3651.61

Due from Dr. J. M. Burgher, rent, 40.00

Total assets, \$4877.24

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding and unpaid warrants against County for 1880, \$3936.85

Balance in favor of the county, \$40.39

Less Trustee's commissions, delinquents and releases on the \$2651.61 due from G. W. Parks, the present Trustee, for 1880, 2651.61

FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

Due from Sam Brown, former Trustee, for the year 1879, \$3706.07

Due from G. W. Parks, present Trustee for the year 1880, 6703.35

Total School fund, \$10,409.42

Less the Trustee's commission and delinquents and releases on the \$6703.35 due from the present Trustee.

Supt. Smith's Report.

We give below a synopsis of the report of C. C. Smith, county superintendent of public instruction for the year ending Aug. 31, 1880:

Total scholastic population of Warren county, white, 4,114

Colored, 840

Grand total, 4,954

Teachers, white, 58

Colored, 11

SCHOOLS.

White, 56

Colored, 11

NO. ENROLLED IN SCHOOL.

White, 3,564

Colored, 528

Total, 4,092

AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE.

White, 2,496

Colored, 402

Total, 2,897

Average days taught in the year, 45

(This is 254 months in 12 months.)

Average pay of teachers, \$25.00

Average cost of tuition per scholar per month, 66

School houses, brick, 4

Frame, 25

Log, 43

Total, 72

Amount of money received from all sources, \$6,690.25

Amount paid teachers, 5,238.30

Am't paid for building, repairs and furniture, 5.95

Salary paid Supt., 100.00

Am't paid district clerks, 105.00

All other expenses, 350.35

Total am't expended, \$8,303.50

Balance on hand Aug. 31, 1880, 1,854.30

Indebtedness, 627.60

No. teachers examined, 73

No. teachers licensed, 69

School houses erected, 3

Estimated value of school property, \$9,426.85

PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

Whole number taught, 25

No. teachers, 29

No. pupils enrolled, 725

County institutes held, 3

TAXATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

On polls, 50

On property, 10

On privileges, same as State, \$2,964.60

Am't due the county for schools in 1879, 3,764.89

Balance in favor of schools for that year, 790.29

Aggregate tax for 1880 amounts to \$6,513.86

Total balance in favor of schools for the year 1880, including uncollected taxes, \$780.15

The superintendent states that the schools are in a better financial condition than they have been for years, and that the "amount on hand" will be sufficient to operate most of the schools for five months during the year; that the adoption of a uniform series of books is a decided improvement, and alike beneficial to scholars and parents.

Population of Tennessee.

The population of Tennessee in 1870 was 1,258,520. In 1880, 1,542,468. Increase 283,948 in ten years. Under the former census Tennessee stood as the ninth State in the union; under the latter it stands as the twelfth.

FARMER'S HEADQUARTERS!

Whoever can make two ears of corn, or two blades of grass grow upon a spot of ground where only one grew before, deserves better of mankind, than the whole race of politicians put together.—Swift.

WM. F. LEIPER & CO.,

M'MINNVILLE,

TENNESSEE,

DEALERS IN

WHEAT, RYE, CORN, OATS, STOCK PEAS, DRIED FRUIT AND SEEDS,

ALSO

BACON, BULK MEAT AND LARD.

Will buy any amount of Surghum Syrup, Paying the Highest Price in CASH ON DELIVERY.

WANTED!

BULK MEAT, 100,000 Pounds, Well Cured, 30 Days in Salt; 25,000 Shoulders, 25,000 Hams, 25,000 Clear Sides, for which we will pay Cash at Highest Market Price. WM. F. LEIPER & CO.

LARD! LARD!

50,000 Pounds Choice Lard Wanted, for which the Cash will be paid, and Cans furnished to put it in, at WM. F. LEIPER & CO'S.

STOCK PEAS.

Wanted, 500 Bushels, for which we will pay Cash, at the Farmer's Depot.

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BURNT BONE FERTILIZER,

The greatest thing out for the RECOVERY OF WORN-OUT LANDS, and for increasing the strength of rich lands. No humbug, as we can show 100 certificates at our office, bearing testimony to its Wonderful Fertilizing Qualities. Among the number we append the certificate of Mr. Jackson Gribble, one of the best and most reliable farmers in Warren County:

Certificate of Mr. Gribble.

This is to certify that I bought of Messrs. WM. F. LEIPER & Co., 3 barrels of their Bone Fertilizer, and used only 2 barrels on about 8 acres of Corn, planted about —————. I cultivated about — acres, leaving off the Fertilizer, and the result was that the ground fertilized made double the amount of Corn of the piece not fertilized. I found also that the Corn was about two weeks earlier than any of my neighbors; besides, one barrel of 200 lbs is equal to at least 60 wagon loads of the best stable manure spread upon the land, as the Burnt Bone Dust is a land food, and remains in the soil till exhausted by successive crops. I only used one table-spoonful to each mill of corn. I cheerfully recommend the Fertilizer as everything claimed for it for Cotton, Tobacco, Wheat and Corn.

We most respectfully solicit the Farmers of Warren, White, DeKalb and the surrounding counties to call on us and get Pamphlets giving full directions how to use this Wonderful Fertilizer.

SEED OATS.

We will have a Car Load of the Celebrated WHITE BARLEY OATS, from Missouri, in McMinnville about 1st of February. These Oats produce finely and weigh about 33 pounds to the measured bushel.

SURE AND RELIABLE.

Always in the Market to buy any amount of Wheat, Corn, Rye, Barley and Oats at ALL SEASONS.

"CHANGE OF BASE."

For more capacious quarters we have moved and opened our general business for Farmers at Brick Store House recently occupied by T. F. Burroughs & Son, East Main Street, Where we will be glad to see all Farmers & Planters.

WM. F. LEIPER & CO.,

McMinnville, Tenn., Jan. 8th, 1881.