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OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER.

## SHORTS.

Books covered free at J. A. Quarles & Co's. au31tf

Cash paid for old boot legs. J. H. Marquart. s|p7

Bargains in jeans and flannels at Kriehn & Wilker's. o8tf

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Everybody buy school books of J. A. Quarles & Co. aug17tf

If you want your clothes repaired, cleaned, go to J. R. NEWBOLD. au24tf

Choice Mocha, Java, Rio and Mexican coffee at Smith & Maitland's. s17tf

Dress goods in endless variety, from 15c to $1 per yard. W. G. McCausland. oct26tf

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A pure article of cider vinegar—our own make, on hand. Smith & Maitland. s17tf

Just think of it—Davis & Allstadt are selling men's kip boots way down at $1 75 per pair. s|p2tf

The nobblest suits and the cheapest prices are found at M. Gratz's. Call and examine. oct19tf

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Don't miss the opportunity. Ladies' sewed coat shoes at Davis & Allstadt's, only $1 00 per pair. s|p2tf

Don't you forget it—that you can buy stoves of KING & GRAHAM as cheap as any house in the state. aug3tf.

School rulers, the nobbiest things out, free with every purchase of school books at J. A. Quarles & Co's. au31tf

One dollar and twenty-five cents will buy a good boot for boys, at the cheap boot and shoe house of Davis & Allstadt. s|p2tf

Mr. Joseph L. Thomas has not yet publicly proclaimed the manner in which he shifted from his gold to his greenback leg.

Every boy in town wants one of our new school rulers, and get one, free, by buying his books of J. A. Quarles & Co. a31tf

King & Graham have the largest, finest, best and the cheapest assortment of stoves ever brought to Lexington. Call and see them. aug3tf

Messrs. Bonnell & Lee are in receipt of a large invoice of the celebrated "Holden" book covers. Books covered without extra charge. s24tf

Our stock of ribbons, ties, corsets, gloves, etc., is very complete and our prices are guaranteed the lowest. Respectfully, Kriehn & Wilker. oct5

Call at King & Graham's and see the "Faultless," the best Todd stove ever made. We also have the boss parlor cooking stove, "Emma." aug3tf

Royle & New and C. H. Royle will remove about November 1st, to the new and handsome stores in the John Kriehn building on Main street. oct12

Go and see Davis & Allstadt's fall stock of boots and shoes, hats and caps, before you buy; they will save you ten per cent. over any other house. s|p2tf

We certainly have bought this fall the nicest, prettiest and neatest stock of prints to be found anywhere. Call and see them Kriehn & Wilker. s5tf

"Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious summer" by getting as much groceries at Smith & Maitland's for $1 00 as we used to get for two. s17tf

Don't buy your winter's overcoat until you have examined those at Gratz'. He has the largest assortment and will sell cheaper than the cheapest. oct26

You can get more groceries for $1 00 of Smith & Maitland's than at any other place in town. We know of, we have tried it. Call and examine prices. s17tf

The best boots made are the standard screw boots. They are equal to sewed boots and easy on the foot. Standard sewed boots. Sold only by Davis & Allstadt. s|p2tf

I take pleasure in calling the attention of the trade to our immense stock of Linseys, Cassimeres, Jeans, Flannels, Blankets and Wool Yarns, at lowest prices. H. & L. Ahrens.

We have wheeled into line with the largest stock of school books ever exhibited in Lexington, which we propose to dispose of at prices that will defy competition. Bonnell & Lee. s24tf

Royle & New and C. H. Royle having rented the new and handsome stores built by Mr. John Kriehn, on Main street, will occupy them as soon as completed, about November 1st. oct12

Ladies please examine our stock of dress goods, and trimming silks before purchasing elsewhere. Our line of black alapacas and cashmeres are the cheapest in the city. Kriehn & Wilker.

We want it distinctly understood that we are in the market with a large and full stock of heating stoves, which we are going to sell cheap for cash. Call and see for yourself. KING & GRAHAM. aug3tf

The immense stock of clothing at the "old reliable" store of Morris Gratz, is to be closed out at bed-rock prices. Call around and take a look through the store. No trouble to show goods. oct19tf

Morris Gratz, the "old reliable" clothier, has an immense stock of clothing, suitable for the fall and winter trade. He proposes to give his customers the full benefit of the late decline in prices of clothing. oct19tf

Read this—Two reasons why Davis & Allstadt can sell boots and shoes, hats and caps cheaper than any other house—First, they buy direct from the manufacturers; second, they pay cash for goods, and get a large discount. s|p2tf

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Just received—the most extensive line of Waterproof, Ladies' Cloth, Ladies' Shawls and Cloaks, together with a beautiful collection of elegant styles in Dress Prints, to be sold at prices to suit the closest buyer, at H. J. E. Ahrens'. oct12-tf

Gentlemen, we invite you to examine our samples of Suitings, Trowserings and Overcoatings. We will take your measure and will furnish you garments made by one of the best Merchant Tailoring Houses in the United States at a trifle above ready-made clothing. Every garment warranted to fit at W. G. McCausland's. oct26tf

Bargains in Cloaks, bargains in Kid Gloves, bargains in Dress Goods, bargains in Shawls, bargains in Table Linens, bargains in Corsets, bargains in Neckties. The biggest bargains ever before offered in this town in Waterproofs, Jeans, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Kerseys. Call, examine and be convinced that the half has not been told you. No 66 Main street in the place. Wm G McCausland.

You can buy a spool of 3 cotton at Grove for one dollar at McCausland's. oct26tf

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend a concert given in a half mile east of Lexington, at Mason Dorsey's school house, this evening, November 2. The concert will consist of vocal and instrumental music, recitations and tableaux, and is given for the purpose of raising means with which to purchase a few articles for the school room. Admission, 25 cents. It should be well attended, especially by the patrons of the school.

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Marshall, Saline County Progress, October 31:—Our latest information is that the tracklayers on the Kansas City extension of the C. & A. are fourteen miles west of Marshall, and pushing the work with commendable energy. Mr. Cornell, who has charge of the track laying party, is a gentleman of large experience in that particular line of business, and works his men with such method that everything goes like clockwork. He is now laying track at the rate of a mile and a quarter to a mile and a half a day, and it is safe to say that if the weather continues favorable, and the grader's keep out of way, the cars will be running into Kansas City over the new line by the first of next January.

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Hog killing has commenced.

Stamp out bribery for office.

The rag man is around again.

A merchant wise doth advertise.

Look out for bogus tickets next Tuesday.

Thermometer 22 degrees Sunday morning.

Possum and sweet potatoes! Yum, yum!

Coon and 'possum hunts are now fashionable.

Dan Rice now travels with Forepaugh's show.

About two inches of snow fell here last Saturday.

Our hunters say that quail are plentiful this year.

Judge Wm. Walker will speak at Concordia to-day.

The trade dollar just balances with eleven ten-cent pieces.

Paint is said to be most enduring when applied in autumn.

Street corner loafing is not so popular as it was a few days ago.

Old sol cuts the day short at both ends every time he goes round.

Water loafing seems to occupy our city teamsters about half their time.

The Episcopal church yard steps will now get a rest until the weather gets warmer.

One of the greenbackers the other day refused to have his teeth plugged with gold.

Read the communication on the outside of this issue headed, "The Duty of Democrats."

John Walker cannot be elected. A vote for him is a vote for the radical opponent of Mr. Sevier.

A pleasantly written letter, regarding the "Baptist Girls," in this city, will be found upon our first page.

Vote for all the democratic nominees for township offices. Notice your tickets to see that you are not deceived.

Mr. Henry Macey has had the sell of his house newly shingled, preparatory for the snows and storms of winter.

What democrat is willing to concede that the opposition candidates are equal to those nominated by the democracy?

The vote this fall will be an index to the vote in 1880. Democrats, turn out in force, and make a good record for the party.

We again request that any failure of our carriers to leave subscribers' papers be promptly reported to our business manager.

One of our acquaintances says he put up his stove pipe this fall, and did not swear once during the time. Possible, but not probable.

Mr. Alexander Graves has removed his office from his old stand to the east room, up stairs, in the Kriehn building, opposite the courthouse.

Severe penalties attach to illegal voting, or even for attempting to vote illegally. See the qualifications elsewhere, and beware of a violation of the law.

Table covers are now made of white paper. No washing necessary. When one becomes soiled a new one takes its place. Cheaper and easier than washing.

Uncle Strod, Rantek says hunters must keep off his premises if they do not wish to get themselves into trouble. He is tired of putting up fences after them.

Will our city marshal please stir up property holders whose pavements need repairing? If not attended to at once, it will be too late to have them repaired.

Wonder if a law suit wouldn't keep you warm this winter. It is easier to get into such a suit than any other, and those having them on hand seem to be holding over.

It may be that St. Louis printers will do printing for this county at prices which will not cover the cost of the white paper used; but Mr. Thomas is the first man to find them.

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Next Tuesday is a legal holiday.

Sausage will be fully ripe next week.

The banks and saloons will all be closed next Tuesday.

Vote for Prather, a judicial candidate who does not electioneer for the office.

Is Mr. Joseph L. Thomas a greenbacker? He has received their nomination, but has never publicly said that he had renounced the gold platform, upon which he stood a few months ago.

John Saunders, of Pleasant Prairie, met with quite a serious accident lately. He was driving a nail, when it broke, and a portion struck him in the eye, entirely destroying the sight.

Philadelphia Press:—With a few notable exceptions, the large advertisers of four years ago are large advertisers to-day. Amid the business wrecks of the past four years, only those who understood the value of printers' ink have safely withstood the storm.

There is a cry raised against the "court house ring" to blind the people of the county to the fact that an opposition ring desires to secure control of the county for its own purposes—prominent among which is a reversal of the present policy concerning our bonded indebtedness. Watch them.

Tim. Howard, although not a granger, always succeeds in raising big corn, potatoes and pumpkins. He has left at this office a specimen of his corn crop for the present year. It is huge, and shows what hard work will do, even with the thermometer in the nineties, and no rain since the flood.

It is scarcely necessary to say that the statement that Mr. Steele, in his former canvass, made to the voters of Washington township a proposition to do the work of the office for one thousand dollars, or any other sum except that allowed by law, is a falsehood manufactured out of whole cloth.

The radical paper's attacks on this paper and its editor are of course false. The editor never received one cent for compromising bonds, and the paper has never, in a single instance, charged the county more than its contract price for printing. Mr. Thomas can't ride into office on such pretexts as these.

The greenback movement in this county has become almost completely disintegrated. Many of the members of the party declare their intention to vote for the democratic nominees, and the republicans have generally refused to be handed over to an organization which advocates absurdities which they cannot indorse.

Under the election laws of this state no election ticket can be counted which is so printed as to deceive the voter. For instance, if an independent candidate has his name printed among democratic names, under a heading indicating that it is a democratic ticket, such ticket is fraudulent, and must not be counted.

There is not a vacant house in Lexington. On the contrary, more than one family have gone through Lexington, to other points, because they could not rent residences here. Will not some capitalist build a few small residences, of three or four rooms each? It would be a paying investment, and would greatly benefit the city.

The residence of our old friend, John H. Fulkerson, in Higginsville, a portion of which was also used as a school room by Rev. J. W. Dunn, took fire from a defective flue, last Monday night, and was entirely destroyed. Loss about $500; insured for $350 in the Farmers' Insurance Company of Pennsylvania, E. Winsor & Son, agents.

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## WOODEN WEDDING.

### A Crowd of Friends—Fine Supper—The Presents, &c.

Monday night, October 28th, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Allstadt celebrated their wooden wedding. About two hundred cards, neatly printed on wood, had been sent out, and the recipients almost unanimously determined to attend. For several days before the event, there was much interest manifested by all to secure suitable presents—something useful or ornamental, and not likely to be selected by any one else. The various stocks of wooden ware were overhauled, the book and toy stores were ransacked, and finally, after much deliberation and mental anxiety, the presents were bought, each one being satisfied that his or her shrewdness had solved the problem, and that the present would not be duplicated by any one else. The list below will show how well the guesses turned out. Of course all were wooden ware.

Bread Bowl—Miss Fannie Porter.
Rolling Bowl, Rolling Pin—Mrs. J. W. Meng.
Lamp Bracket—Mrs. M. Happersett.
Corner Bracket—Dr. J. W. Meng.
Bracket—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stramcke.
Bracket—Mrs. Fishback and Mrs. Dr. Russell.
Wall Bracket—Mr. Kent Chambers.
Bracket for Writing Material—Miss Annie Ewing.
Wall Bracket—Miss Fannie Bayliss.
Pair Brackets—Miss Ollie Graves.
Comb Case and Glass—Miss Annette Winsor.
Hat Rack—Mr. and Mrs. E. Winsor.
Letter Rack—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wallace.
Combined Towel Rack and Bracket—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Macey.
Towel Rack—Mrs. N. C. Ewing.
Basket, Steak Beater, Potato Masher—Mr. and Mrs. Claggett.
Lunch Basket—Mr. C. E. Ballard.
Basket of Kindling Wood, Shavings, &c.—Miss Jennie Finley.
Basket Bracket—Rev. M. G. Williams and family.
Basket of Fresh Cut Flowers—Mrs. Joseph A. Wilson.
Card Basket—Mrs. Mary Green.
Fancy Basket—Mr. Hute Violette, of Columbus, Johnson county.
Basket Dried Grasses—Miss Minnie Reinhard.
Marble Top Round Table—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conner.
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Bonquet Table—Mr. Thos. J. Green.
Fancy Table—Mrs. A. V. Robinson.
Fancy Bronzed Table—Mr. A. C. Graham and sister.
Fancy Marble Top Table—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith, of St. Louis.
Checker Table—Mrs. John Reid.
Fancy Marble Top Table—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas, of Sedalia.
Bible Stand—Mr. Mrs. and G. S. Rathbun.
Checker Table and Men—Mr. J. R. Anderson.
Motto, Framed—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison.
Framed Motto—Mrs. M. F. Royle.
Child's Cane Seat Rocking Chair—Mr. Frank Trigg.
Pair Cane Seat Chairs—Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Mountjoy.
Pair Cane Seat Chairs—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Metcrew.
Cane Rocking Chair—Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Ireland.
Sewing Chair—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Chiles.
Child's Rocking Chair—Mr. and Mrs. D. Russell.
Hair Cloth Rocking Chair—Mrs. James Hays and family, and R. F. Norfolk and wife.
Pair Pictures "My Home," and "Hagar's Prayer,"—Mr. F. K. Tutt, wife and sisters.
Panel Picture, Framed—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zeller.
Picture, "Night Fishing"—Mr. A. Hays and sister.
Panel Picture, Framed—Mr. W. G. Eggleston.
Framed Pair Pictures—Mrs. H. L. Barksdale.
Wash Tub, Wash Board, Bucket, Sifter, Scrub Brush, Blacking Brush and Broom—Mr. J. D. Davis and family.
Small Tub—Mr. E. B. McKee.
Wall Pocket—Col. John Reid.
Wall Pocket—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Silver.
Wall Pocket—Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Picken.
Wall Pocket, Toy Bucket—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mizgrove.
Book Shelf—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kerdolff, Jr.
Butter Mould—Miss Lillie Graham.
Butter Paddle—Aunt Phoebe, (colored.)
Butter Mould—Martha Perry, (colored.)
Rolling Pin—Rice Anderson, (colored.)
Pipe—Mr. W. B. Wallace.
Spatter Cloth—Miss Lucy Warden, of Washington City, D. C.
Fancy Fan—Miss Sue Finley.
Bread Machine—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kerdolff, sr.
Fancy Work Cross—Miss Belle L. Green.
Set of Mats—Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Venable.
Set Table Mats—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballard.
Barrel Canteen—Mr. and Mrs. Wm Young.
Pair Vases—Miss Nettie B. Wallace.
Jewelry Stand—Mrs. Mary Gresham.
Box Tooth Picks—Mr. H. W. Winsor.
Water Bucket—Mr. John E. Ryland.
Sets—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis.
Toy Churns, Jumping Jacks, and perhaps other small presents, to which no cards were attached.

Mr. Allstadt also presented his wife an elegant bedroom set, consisting of bedstead, marble top dressing-case and marble top washstand, for which he paid $70.

The presents were placed in the hall, and the guests seemed to never tire in examining them. It was generally agreed that while some articles were many times duplicated, the collection, as a whole, was very good. Most of them were useful, and many were quite valuable.

We could scarcely estimate the number of persons present. The house was overflowing, and each one seemed well pleased. Among those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith, of Kansas City; Miss Lottie Smith, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas, of Sedalia, and Mr. Hute Violette, of Columbus. The popular and handsome couple received the congratulations and sincere good wishes of all, and seemed as happy as they were five years ago, when just entering the life which they have found so congenial.

About ten o'clock came the invitation, to supper, which was not necessary to repeat the summons, as every one expected to see a nice and tempting display. Although anticipation was high, every one was surprised at the beauty and elegance of the table. There were a dozen large and handsomely ornamented cakes, which must have exhausted the skill and patience of a culinary corps. But we cannot undertake a full description. Everything was served in its most appetizing form—even such common-place things as pickles and ham having a better flavor than usual, on account of the manner of service. We have never seen a nicer supper, nor one more thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated.

After supper an hour was spent in conversation, and in a re-examination of the new supply of wooden-ware. The time passed so pleasantly that twelve o'clock came before anyone was aware of it. Then farewells were spoken, everyone wishing a continuation of health and happiness to the host and hostess. May their hearts be as young, their friends be as numerous and sincere, and their love for each other as strong and bright when they celebrate their golden wedding, and—may we be there to see.

## Conflicting Opinions.

[From the Lexington Register, October 31, 1878.]

"Mr. R. Taubman made the best collector Lafayette county ever had."

[From the Lexington Register, January 3, 1878.]

"Ten years of unsettled business in the collector's office, was by an act of the last legislature in this manner concentrated into one, entailing greatly increased labor upon the incumbent. We remember no precedent to the commotion in this office which has just terminated, and we are pleased to state, harrassing as it was to all concerned, the occasion engendered no harshness of feeling, which has not already subsided, or will have entirely passed away before the new year registers its second moon."

"For this result so pleasantly achieved, the community is mainly indebted to the collector, Dr. P. S. Fulkerson. His unvarying politeness to all, and the patient endurance with which he placidly met the vexed multitude, for a month, amounted to heroism."

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"The sentiment of influential citizens has already begun to manifest itself in favor of an endorsement of the doctor by a re-election."

"As no republican can expect to obtain office with the consent of the dominant party in Lafayette county, 'there is no use kicking against the pricks.' We must therefore quietly acquiesce in what apparently is inevitable."

## Religious.

There will be regular services at the Episcopal church in this city to-morrow.

Rev. M. G. Williams will preach at the Methodist church, in this city, to morrow morning and night.

Services at the Christian church to-morrow morning and evening at the usual hours by Elder Hughes.

Elder McDaniel is holding a very interesting meeting at Mayview. There had been three additions up to Tuesday night.

Elder Franklin, the editor of the Christian Review, and well known in this city, died at Anderson, Indiana, one day last week.

The German Methodists will have a meeting in the upper room of the courthouse to-morrow evening, at 7 o'clock, when Rev. Mr. Asling will preach.

Communion services at the Baptist church, in this city, to-morrow morning at usual hours. Subject of discourse—"Love of God in Redemption." Usual services at night.

There was no service at the Christian church last Sunday, as the furnaces were out of repair. New furnaces have been bought, and will arrive and be put up to-day, and services will be held to-morrow as usual.

Preaching at the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and night as usual. Installation services in the morning. Sermon and charge to the pastor by Rev. J. E. Wheeler; charge to the people by Rev. J. A. Quarles. Preaching at night by Rev. Mr. Wheeler of Independence.

## Always Ahead.

Kriehn & Wilker have opened a choice lot of new fall prints, and will open a splendid line of new fall dress goods to-day. Our prices are always the lowest. s31tf

## MAYVIEW.

Health very good.

Weather bracing and fine.

Winter apples are few and of poor quality.

Railroad work is now being pushed rapidly.

The festive 'possum regaleth himself among the branches of the classical persimmons.

Some of our farmers are becoming alarmed at the appearance of weevil in their granaries.

Elder McDaniel is conducting a protracted meeting at this place. It will be continued indefinitely.

We recently met with Prof. Flournoy Barton, who says he is elevating the masses of Johnson county by teaching them how to sing. A school at Salem is to culminate in a grand concert on the 16th inst.

As the cows destroy the cattail and swamp grass, a city is to be ours looming up in the valley at the western part of this beautiful hill. The warbling of the frog and the shrill trill of the crawfish will blend sweetly with the toot of the locomotive's horn.

Monday Logan's boarding house was destroyed by fire. The building, formerly occupied by Lewis New, Herr, and others as a store, was the property of H. Waterhouse, who has recently made extensive changes to suit it for a dwelling. The loss sustained by the occupant, Mr. Logan, was heavy, though probably half of his goods were saved. They had recently been to much expense outfitting for boarders. The family are at the house of Mr. John P. Herr. JEEMS

## WARRENSBURG ITEMS.

At a sale on a farm near town corn in crib sold for $1 50 per barrel.

On Thursday the grange lecturer of Missouri lectured in this place.

Warrensburg has two dailies. One is the Daily News and the other the Daily Standard, both republican.

Col. Vest delivered a rousing speech at Empire Hall, in this city, on Tuesday afternoon. The hall was crowded to overflowing.

Warrensburg has presented quite a busy appearance this week. The public speaking attracted a large number of people to our town.

It is now fashionable for the Normal boys to employ their Saturday afternoons in rambling through the "pathless woods" in search of hickory nuts, walnuts, &c.

Upward of 240 students are enrolled at the Normal. Nine of this number are from Lafayette county. The average number entering school per week is about ten.

During the last week political ardor and discussions have greatly abated. The excitement occasioned by the closing of the First National Bank laid an effectual damper upon political gossip for a brief period. The first excitement caused extravagant and some conflicting rumors to be circulated concerning the final result of the bank's closing. Now the town seems to have resumed the "even tenor of its way," and it is quite probable that all the depositors will receive their money, but the stockholders will likely lose. At first some citizens feared that the Normal School would be injured by this affair. However, there was such a small sum of the Normal fund deposited that the closing of the bank will not retard the school's progress. Some of the students had money deposited, but it seems that the number of these was not great. O. U. C.

## A GRANGER ON THE WALKER RESOLUTIONS.

EDITOR INTELLIGENCER:—The extraordinary emanation from the Lafayette County Grange, in your paper of October 26, is my apology for asking a small space in your columns for a few reflections.

I have been informed that this supersorviceable document received the sanction of a majority of the fourteen or fifteen members who were present, but I cannot believe that the few members of the county grange who passed the following resolution, spoke the sentiments of the patrons, who are democratic in politics:

"Resolved, That, as all the freights done by the railroads is caused by what farmers produce, fully one-half, and as they have a personal interest in the affairs pertaining to the oversight of said road;

"Now we will give our support at the November election to John Walker, of Howard county, for railroad commissioner, *not asking him whether he will accept or not.*"

It is with the latter part of the resolution that I shall take issue. The members of the Lafayette county grange who were instrumental in passing the resolution quoted above, should remember that the Hon. John Walker is a politician, as well as a granger.

He was a democratic candidate before the Jefferson City convention in July last for railroad commissioner, and pledged himself to abide its results and support its nominees. He was defeated, as many a candidate has been before, has been since and will be again.

Mr. Sevier, of Newton county, was nominated in his stead. He is the editor of a democratic newspaper—a man of good character and of good intelligence. His nomination was understood to be a tribute to the editorial profession, as but few of them seek or obtain political preferment. Personally the writer greatly regretted the defeat of Mr. Walker, and knowing him as I do, and desiring his political preferment in the future, I would not, under the circumstances, vote for him at the November election if I knew to a certainty that my vote would elect him. He himself would not, in my opinion, accept the office if it was thrust upon him in the manner indicated by the resolution of the Lafayette County Grange, and if the members of the grange who voted for the resolution are true friends of Mr. Walker (and I have no doubt but what they really mean to be), they will seek to undo what I think their inconsiderate zeal has hastily done, the results of which, if carried to any considerable extent, inure to the permanent injury of the man whose political prospects they have sought to promote.

There certainly is not the slightest chance to elect Mr. Walker at this time (for so desired it, and every vote cast for Mr. Walker is a vote for the republican opponent of Mr. Sevier, when it is generally known that the republican party opposes, not only the railroad commission, but the railroad law as well.

I do not desire to wound the feelings of the gentlemen who have advised the grangers of this county, both republican and democratic, to forego their choice in voting for railroad commissioner, but I say unhesitatingly, that in view of the obligations of the individual members of the order they have given upon their advice, and if it was carried out it would place Mr. Walker, who is a granger of the most approved pattern, in a false position that might do him infinite damage in the future stock of

Very respectfully,

A MEMBER OF THE COUNTY GRANGE.

## THE ALTAR.

Married—In Higginsville, Oct. 27th, 1878, by P. B. Hudson, Mr. CHARLES M. HUMPHRIES, of Illinois, to Miss ALICE COUCH, of Higginsville, Lafayette county Missouri.

—At the Presbyterian church in Carrollton, Mo., Tuesday, October 22nd, by Rev. M. C. McKinley, Mr. H. E. SMITH, editor of the Miami Index, to Miss KATIE KERBY, daughter of O. J. Kerby, Esq., a prominent citizen of Carroll county, at one time editor of the Carrollton Journal.

—At the residence of W. P. Martin, in Sni-a-Bar township, Wednesday, Oct 30th, by Rev. I. P. Cobb, Rev. FRANK WAGGONER to Miss ELLA BIPPERT, all of Lafayette county.

—At the residence of the bride's father, William Waggoner, on Thursday, Oct. 24th, by Rev. I. P. Cobb, Mr. L. SHARP CAMPBELL to Miss JENNIE WAGGONER, all of Lafayette county.

—In Lexington township, Thursday, Oct. 31st, by Rev. H. Talbird, D. D., Mr. JOSEPH R. WILLIAMS and Miss MARGARET A. TROTTER, all of Lafayette county.

## THE CRADLE.

Born—In Washington township, recently, to the wife of Mr. Gosewich—a boy.

—Monday, 21st inst., to the wife of —— Washington township—a boy.

—In South Washington township, Lafayette county, Mo., October 25th, to the wife of Mr. John Keith—a girl.

—In Washington township, Lafayette county, Mo., October 15, to the wife of Esquire J. J. Browning—a girl.

—Sunday, October 27th, in Lexington township, Lafayette county, Mo., to the wife of Mr. Franks—a boy.

## THE TOMB.

Died—In Cole county, Mo., Thursday, October 24th, of diphtheria, ANNA, eldest daughter of John and Mattie Stokes and grand-daughter of B. F. Simmons, of this city—aged 5 years.

—In this city, October 27, THOMAS HASTINGS, aged 85 years.

—In Philadelphia, recently, Mrs. MIRIAM CROSBY, wife of Commodore Crosby of the navy, and sister of Gen. Jo O. Shelby.

—At the residence of her daughter, near this city, Mrs. Fannie R. Rolston, on Sunday evening, Oct. 27th, Mrs. ELIZABETH BEAR, aged nearly 85 years.

—In Washington township, Lafayette county, Mo., at the residence of his step-father, Mr. Albert Robinson, October 24th, of typhoid fever, JOHN LANDON—aged 19 years.

## TO DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

All the democratic nominees for offices throughout the county, are requested to meet me at my office in Lexington, on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH,

at 2 o'clock p. m. It is imperatively necessary that this request be complied with, as matters of vital importance to their interest will then be discussed. WM. YOUNG,

Chairman Dem. Co. Committee.

## New Millinery.

Miss Sue Riffe has returned from the east with a full stock of Artificial Flowers, Neck Ties, Ribbons, Jabots, Hair and Hat Ornaments, Fans, Beads, &c., and also a large number of the latest style Hats and Bonnets, for ladies' and misses' wear. Among the favorite styles of hats will be found the Princess, Opera, Croquet, Arabian, Regent, Sailor, all just suited to this market, and selected with especial care by Miss Riffe in person. The ladies are respectfully requested to call at her room, over Quarles & Co.'s Drug Store, second floor. Bonnets and Hats trimmed to order on shortest notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. sp|30tf

## RE-OPENING A THOROUGHFARE.

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