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MEDICAL.

**DR. S. E. BICKFORD,**
PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Office over W. A. Redd's store, Waverly, Missouri. apr7y1

**DR. P. H. CHAMBERS,**
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, office opposite courthouse, over Graham & Morrison's store. Residence: Southeast corner Main and College streets. jan17-1y.

**DR. G. W. YOUNG,**
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON; office and residence on Oak (College) and South streets, Lexington, Missouri. febl7

DENTIST.

**J. F. RASSELL, D. D. S.—OFFICE OVER** J. Kriehn & Meyer's Boot and Shoe store, Lexington, Missouri. july19

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PACIFIC RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

LEAVE LEXINGTON.
Accommodation for St. Louis and the East ..... 5:20 A. M.
Express and Mail for St. Louis, East. 7.55 P. M.
ARRIVE.
Express and Mail from St. Louis, East and South ..... 7:30 A. M.
Accommodation from St. Louis, East and South ..... 9:30 P. M.

MO. P. R. R.—K. C. & E. DIVISION.
LEAVE LEXINGTON FOR KANSAS CITY.
Passenger ..... 7:30 A. M.
Freight and accommodation ..... 12:45 P. M.
ARRIVE AT LEXINGTON.
Passenger ..... 7:45 P. M.
Freight and accommodation ..... 11:00 A. M.

WABASH, ST. LOUIS AND PACIFIC.
LEAVE LEXINGTON
Trains for St. Louis, K. C. and St. Joe 4.40 A. M.
ARRIVE AT LEXINGTON
From St. Louis and all points East.... 8:35 A. M.
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CHICAGO & ALTON R. R.—AT HIGGINSVILLE.
GOING WEST.
No. 6, Denver Express ..... 5:40 A. M.
No. 50, Kansas City Express ..... 6:50 A. M.
No. 48, Kansas City mail ..... 7:32 P. M.
No. 102, Way Freight ..... 10:05 A. M.
GOING EAST.
No. 47, Kansas City Mail ..... 8:45 A. M.
No. 49, Kansas City Night Express.. 8:43 P. M.
No. 5, Denver Express ..... 9:10 P. M.
No 101, Way Freight ..... 11:40 A. M.
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**The Parting Kiss.**
BY WILLIAM COLLINS.

One kind wish before we part,
Drop a tear, and bid adieu;
Though we never, my fond heart,
Till we meet, shall part for you.

Yet, yet weep not so, my love,
Let me kiss that falling tear;
Though my body must remove,
All my soul will still be here.

All my soul and all my heart,
And every wish shall part for you;
One kind kiss, then, ere we part,
Drop a tear, and bid adieu.

**Eight Years' Difference.**

IN 1864.

I wish I was a pirate
A-sailin' on the sea,
And this here Davis baby
Were hung up on a tree.
To mind a squallin' young 'un
Ain't my idea of fun;
For I am nine this summer,
While Gracie's only one.

IN 1876.

Oh, bother take that Gracie!
What made her stay so late?
I wish you wouldn't ask me
To see her to the gate.
Why should those plagued children
Expect escort from men?
What can there be in common
Between eighteen and ten!

IN 1879.

A sweet, delightful creature,
Heart-whole and fancy free,
I wonder why fair Gracie
Has grown so dear to me?
A gulf of years divides us
Just as in days of yore;
For "sweet sixteen" is Gracie,
While I am twenty-four.

IN 1883.

Married. On the morning
Of June 8, '83,
By Rev. Dr. Little,
Fred H. to Gracie D.
May heaven bless their union
And guard their future fate;
The blushing bride is twenty,
The bridegroom twenty-eight.

**Wet Weather Talk.**
BY J. W. RILEY.

It ain't no use to grumble and complain;
It's just as cheap and easy to rejoice;
When God sorts out the weather and sends rain,
W'y, rain's my choice.

Men gener'ly, to all intents—
Although they're apt to grumble some—
Puts most their trust in Providence,
And takes things as they come—
That is, the commonality
O' men that's lived as long as me
Has watched the world enough to learn
They're not the boss of this concern.

With some, of course, it's different—
I've seen young men that knowed it all,
And didn't like the way things went
On this terrestrial ball.
But, all the same, the rain some way
Rained just as hard on picnic day;
Or when they really wanted it
It maybe wouldn't rain a bit!

In this existence, dry and wet
Will overtake the best of men—
Some little skift o' cloud will shet
The sun off now and then.
But maybe, as you're wonderin' who
You're fool-like lent your umbrell' to,
And want it—out'll pop the sun,
And you'll be glad you ain't got none.

It aggervates the farmers, too—
S' there's too much wet, or too much sun,
Or work, or wishin' round to do
Before the plowin's done.
And maybe, like as not, the wheat,
Just as it's lookin' hard to beat
Will fetch the storm—and jest about
The time the corn's a-jintin' out

These cyclones come a-foolin' round—
And back'ard crops—and wind and rain—
And git the corn that's wallered down
May elbow up again!
They ain't no use, as I can see,
For mortals, sich as you and me,
A-fussin' Nature's wise intents
And lockin' horns with Providence!

It ain't no use to grumble and complain;
It's just as cheap and easy to rejoice;
When God sorts out the weather and sends rain,
W'y rain's my choice.

**The Western Schoolma'am.**

[Eugene J. Hall, in Chicago Tribune.]

Not bashful, nor yet overbold,
And only twenty-two;
With hair like the threads of gleaming gold,
With eyes of azure-blue;
With little hands, with pretty face,
Just tanned a healthful brown—
She is the daisy of the place;
The flower of all the town.

With kindly words, with friendship warm,
In aprons white and clean,
The children swarm about her form
Like bees about their queen.
By love she moves and sways their hearts;
They think her wondrous wise,
And all her gracious acts and arts
Seem perfect in their eyes.

No smiles to them seem half so sweet,
No frowns so hard to bear,
No looks of pity so complete,
As those her features wear;
No voice more dear than hers to hear,
In poetry or prose;
No praise more pleasant to the ear
Than that which she bestows.

The village-boys, when she goes by,
Can scarcely speak or stir;
She is the object of each eye;
They fairly worship her.
Like some sweet fairy-sprite she seems,
A breath might blow away—
The spirit of their midnight-dreams,
Their idol all the day.

She draws them to the village-church
Far more than sermon strong;
With anxious eyes the choir they search;
They look at her and long
And, when with splendid voice she sings,
They lose their heads in love;
Their fervrian fancies float on wings
Beyond the clouds above.

The grave old fathers of the town
Gaze with admiring eyes,
When like an angel she comes down,
They cannot hide their sighs.
The buxom wives, with glances sour,
Soon lead them from the place;
For they are jealous of her power,
And envious of her face.

Her soul is like a sparkling brook
That babbles on its way
Through sunny fields, through shady nooks,
By banks with blossoms gay.
All day, at school, with patient grace
She rules the noisy crowd;
Then homeward wends, with happy face,
And soul without a cloud,

In simple hat of plaited straw,
In tasteful muslin gown,
Her handsome face and form I saw
While passing through the town
I watched her, while she sweetly smiled,
When children were dismissed;
I wished I were once more a child,
A cherub to be kissed.

Henry Gans, St. Louis, Mo., says:—"Two bottles of Brown's Iron Bitters cured me of general debility and nervousness."

## GREENTON.

Mrs. Sallie Duvall is better.

Miss Lizzie Garvin is quite ill.

Roads very bad, especially from here to Lexington.

Dr. D. K. Murphy is improving his house on Main street.

Mr. Jas. Hannah was visiting friends near Waverly last week.

Mr. Jos. Christy and several others attended the Bates stock sales last week.

Mr. Arthur Slaughter, of Chicago, has been visiting friends in the community for the past week.

Rev. A. A. Moore will commence a series of meetings here on the third Sunday in November.

Mr. Frank Schofield, formerly of this community, now of Syracuse, New York, is visiting friends in the county. TOM.

## SLATER.

SLATER, Oct. 25, 1883.

Miss Belle Vaughan is expected home on a visit.

Born, recently, to the wife of E. G. Stewart, a boy.

Miss Belle Green, of Lexington, has a class in painting in our city.

Mr. Zahl's new brick on the corner of Main and Emma streets, is being rapidly built.

A donation was given recently at the residence of Mr. Jos. Peabody. Father Ryan being the recipient of many useful and pretty articles.

Married, on Oct. 17, at the Central Hotel, in this city, by Rev. W. I. Carpenter, Mr. Wm. Conrad, of Louisiana, Mo., and Miss Mollie Blackwell, daughter of the proprietor of the hotel.

The Slater people are happy over the prospect of the merry-hearted Capt. Conner assisting in a concert for the benefit of the Catholic church, together with Misses Julia and Alice Smith. S. R. S.

## CORDER.

Mrs. Garner is improving.

Mrs. Wilson is still quite ill.

Mrs. E. A. Hawks is sick with malarial fever.

Judge Harrison spent last week in St. Louis.

Weather wet and gloomy; altogether disagreeable.

Miss Fannie Burton is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Geo. Sydnor.

Mr. Frank Burton, of Fayette, was in town a few days ago.

Messrs. Lotten White and Taylor Alkire were in Chicago last week.

Rev. Jas. Greer, of Lexington, preached here last Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. McCanna, of Montana, daughter of Mrs. Hawks, is here on a visit to friends.

Thirteen cars of hogs and cattle have been shipped from here during the last week.

Mr. O'Kane, of Leavenworth, Kansas, is stationed here buying and shipping apples.

Dr. Ed. Garner of New York city, was visiting his brother of this place last week.

Miss Babington, of St. Louis, is visiting her relatives, Dr. Carthrae's family and Mrs. Hawks.

Mrs. Geo. Morris and Mrs. Ready, of St. Louis, passed through here on their return from a visit to their brother, Capt. Mark Belt of Dover vicinity. EUGENIA.

## FAIRVIEW.

News scarce.

Rain, rain, rain.

Mr. George Osborn has sweet potatoes that weigh six pounds.

Our debate still flourishes and will meet next Thursday night.

Mr. W. Campbell sold to Judson Armstrong, 102 head of sheep, at $2 75 per head.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Campbell were absent the first of the week attending the C. P. synod at Warrensburg.

Mr. P. W. Osborn bought in Kansas City, Tuesday, 21 head of cattle, which he will feed for the spring market.

Mr. Phil. Williams is selling lumber in Levisay, where he will be glad to see his many friends and sell them a bill of lumber.

Mr. Thomas Campbell missed one of his horses last Wednesday morning; Mr. H. D. Kite a saddle and bridle; it is supposed that they were stolen.

We would say to Chris that we are glad that she has confessed a partiality for us, and shall endeavor to present ourselves, as we are, in the near and sugar-coated future.

Dr. Joseph Ragsdale and niece, of Chapel Hill, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Young and daughter, of Corning, Holt county, were the guests of Messrs. William and Charles Thomas last week. CAPITOLA.

## WELLINGTON.

Weather cold and cloudy.

Very muddy and raining every day.

A slight snow fell for a few minutes on Wednesday morning but melted as it fell.

Miss Bessie McDonald, of Independence, spent several days of this week visiting friends of "Auld Lang Syne" here.

Mrs. Annie Bailey has a neat and fashionable stock of millinery goods over Carpenter's store, and invites the patronage of all.

Mr. Lee Nichols and family, who have been visiting relatives in this place for a month or so, started for their home in Colorado on Monday.

Carpenter and Woestemyer have dissolved partnership. Carpenter will continue to do business in his old stand, while Woestemyer will occupy his new store which will soon be completed.

The people of our town were much mystified last Sunday evening at the conduct of Judge Lockhart. He was seen very much dressed up, with boots that would excel the work of any common boot black, get in his buggy and start to the "country," as he said. Nothing further was told until his return when it was found out that he went to marry a couple! Of course that was astonishing news to all and many regretted they did not get to hear the ceremony. CHRIS.

## AULLVILLE.

Mrs. White is much better; she has been sick for about five weeks.

Mr. William Ridge, of Kansas City, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Sarah J. Major.

The framework of the new mill is completed, and the workmen are beginning to cover and side it in.

Uncle A. O. Major, who has been quite sick for about four weeks, is able to be up and around again.

Mr. John B. Major, who has been quite sick for six or eight weeks, is able to be around again.

Messrs. Samuel and Thomas Swearingen, left on Friday night for a short visit to their old home, Pilot Grove.

The contract for building the new Methodist church is let, but your correspondent has not learned who are the contractors.

Messrs. Wiley and Taggart are in their new building, and are prepared to sell groceries as cheap as any house in the county. Give them a call.

Miss Julia Littlejohn is lying very low with cancer, at 'Squire Barnes'. There is not much hope of her recovery. Miss Julia is one of our most popular young ladies, and the whole community sympathizes with the family.

The literary society held its third meeting last Friday night; there was a large crowd present; the exercises consisted of recitations, declamations, essays and select readings. The question for discussion was, Resolved, That justice demands for woman the right of suffrage. The speakers were, affirmative, A. A. Lowe and S. W. Swearingen; negative, H. A. Chinn and Henry A. Major. After the question was well handled by both sides, the judges decided in favor of the affirmative. The next question for debate is, Resolved, That the Veto power should be taken from the president. Affirmative, Jesse Osborn and Eugene Williams; negative, Henry A. Major and Samuel Swearingen. OBSERVER.

## MAYVIEW.

Col. Charles Tracy has moved to Odessa with his little folks.

All who want farm or town property can buy of J. H. McHatton.

Our coal shaft still moves on, Mr. Lyon having added to his force.

Lovell hotel about completed, which adds much to the appearance of our town.

Our Bank delayed to make telephone arrangements, but will soon be in shape.

Mr. A. P. Logan is back with us and can be found at the C. & A. depot prepared to feed the hungry.

Mr. Wintwrede occupies the former office of J. H. McHatton, Esq., as an oyster saloon and confectionery.

Mr. Parker, our gentlemanly postmaster, is out and at his post again, but is looking somewhat feeble as yet.

Mr. H. Waterhouse has built a neat, new house in Waterhouse & Riding's ad., as also did Mr. Mose Syra.

The talk about the mill seems to be sleeping; hope some wide-awake man will take hold and wake it up.

The Mayview brass band can now be heard discoursing fine music in the melody of "Long May they Wave."

Messrs. R. Puckett & Son are still selling dry goods and notions at cost, having closed out their entire stock of groceries.

There are three more business houses in town now than last year as shown by the town assessment, with Puckett & Son going out.

Dr. Bradley moved to his new house, sold his former residence to Uncle Billey Bradley, and he has torn down the old house and is erecting a tasty new one in its stead.

Mr. A. B. Barr, a nephew of Mrs. Fred Ridings, of this place, has bought out the shoe and boot shop of J. T. Maw, along with his good will, and can be found at the old stand, ready to accommodate all who may favor him with a call. DENOVO.

## BLACKBURN.

Mrs. Rine visited Corder Tuesday evening.

Mr. C. Douglass spent Sunday in Malta Bend.

Mr. Sam'l. Martin has left and gone to Higginsville.

Mr. N. Taylor, of the Bulletin, spent Saturday in Waverly.

Messrs. Oliver and Hill, of Waverly, were in town Monday.

Mr. H. C. Spencer spent Sunday visiting his brother near Malta Bend.

Rev. Painter filled the pulpit at the Baptist church on Sunday morning.

These cool autumn days are bringing stoves and overcoats into requisition.

Mrs. January, of Waverly, visited her sister, Mrs. Barr, Saturday and Sunday.

On last Saturday Mrs. Howard moved into the house lately vacated by Dr. McGee.

Mr. A. Brassfield left Tuesday morning for Springfield, from thence to Denison, Texas.

The members of the Christian church will put a bell on their church house this week.

Mr. Geo. R. Simpson, the popular salesman for Roll, Thayer & Williams, of Kansas City, is in our town on business.

Mr. Chas. Knipmeyer, of Corder, traveling salesman for S. B. Lale & Co., St. Louis, was in our city last week on commercial business.

Quite a crowd of young people met at the residence of Mr. D. W. Small, last Thursday evening, and had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. J. A. Peacock and wife, who have been visiting friends in Waverly, took the train here last Friday evening for their home in Texas.

Miss Kittie Corder, of Waverly, passed through town, Monday, on her way home from Marshall, where she has been visiting friends.

The Episcopal Sunday school has gone into winter quarters; the other Sunday schools still continue services and are in a flourishing condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Cooper and Mrs. Geo. Smith, spent Sunday night in our town, on their way home from Kentucky where they had been visiting friends. MENTOR.

## PROBATE COURT DOCKET.

**November Term, A. D., 1883. Commencing Monday, November 12th, 1883.**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH, 1883.

Corder, Ida M., minor, A. S. VanAnglen, curator.

Hurt, William, minor, A. S. VanAnglen, curator.

Hurt, James C., minor, A. S. VanAnglen, curator.

Hurt, Sallie, minor, A. S. VanAnglen, curator.

Schofield, Frank C., minor, George S. Rathbun, guardian.

Schofield, Charles E., minor, George S. Rathbun, guardian.

Mahnken, Claus, minor, Herman Mahnken, guardian.

Mahnken, Louisa, minor, Herman Mahnken, guardian.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH, 1883.

Wolfenbarger, John, minor, Alexander Wilkerson, guardian.

Bartels, Edward, minor, Charles Bartels, guardian.

Hirschhoff, Carl, minor, George F. Brackman, guardian.

Smith, Thomas G., deceased, L. B. Gordon, trustee.

Jenkins, Benjamin F., deceased, Thomas J. Middleton, administrator.

Fitzgerel, William J., minor, William C. Beattie, guardian.

Fitzgerel, John H., minor, William C. Beattie, guardian.

Warren, Samuel H., deceased, Sarah H. Warren, executrix.

Mulkey, Colonel, minor, James R. Hickman, curator.

Kemmerling, John, deceased, Henry Winkler, executor.

Bates, William H., minor, John J. Barker, guardian.

Armentrout, George W., minor, James M. Armentrout, guardian.

Weedin, John W., minor, William Hickam, guardian.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST, 1883.

Whitsett, James H., minor, Thomas J. Whitsett, guardian.

Borgstadt, William, deceased, Anna Borgstadt, administratrix.

Mitchell, N. C., deceased, David Mitchell, administrator.

Younger, James, deceased, W. E. Younger and Edward Downs, administrators.

Blankin and Beal, partnership, Frank Thornton, administrator.

Blankin, Frederick, deceased, Frank Thornton, administrator.

Rothwell, Frank, minor, Louisa Whitehouse, guardian.

Moran, Bettie, minor, James R. Green, guardian. $600.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND, 1883.

Radford, Emmet, minor, M. M. Robinson, guardian.

Emison, Mary, minor, Anna E. Emison, guardian.

Emison, Elizabeth, minor, Anna E. Emison, guardian.

Gibbons, Mary A., deceased, Frank K. Tutt, administrator.

Creel, Alexander H., deceased, Alex. M. Creel, executor.

Creel, Wiley F., minor, Alex. M. Creel, trustee.

Laflin, Mary L., minor, Alex. M. Creel, trustee.

XENOPHON RYLAND,
Judge of Probate.
ISAAC P. RYLAND, Probate Clerk.

## THE GREAT BATES SALE.

[From the Intelligencer of October 27.]

The great thoroughbred short-horn sale of Mr. Theodore Bates, of this county, the greatest stock sale that has ever taken place in this county, and one of the greatest sales that ever occured in the west, took place at the fair grounds, near Higginsville, last Wednesday and Thursday, Mr. L. P. Muir being the auctioneer. The attendance was large notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, and the bidding was spirited in most instances as the prices obtained will show, the average being very high. The press was represented by Messrs. J. E. Tansey, of the Chicago Live Stock Journal; C. T. Hickman, of the Kansas City Indicator; T. Butterworth, of the Western Agriculturist, Quincy, Illinois; H. C. Eastman, of the Chicago Breeders' Gazette; C. G. Foster, of the St. Louis Journal of Agriculture, and the Intelligencer. Below are the sales in detail which will be found correct in every particular:—

THEODORE BATES.

Hilpa Duchess 2d, calved March 9th, 1875; not sold on account of an accident.

Hilpa Duchess of Willow Branch, calved Oct 30th, 1881; sold to Geo ge Hawkins, Fairville, Saline county, Mo., $510.

Lucretia Barmer 9th, calved March 25th, 1879; sold to Thomas Nickol, Abilene, Kansas, $450.

Lucille 8th, calved May 11th, 1873; sold to E. Richart, Napton, Saline county, Mo., $105.

Lucille 10th, calved May 28th, 1876; sold to R. E. Richart, Napton, Saline county, Missouri, $140.

Lucille 21st and bull calf, calved July 15, 1879; sold to S. L. Cheatham, Bates City, Mo., $265.

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