

UP THEY GO!

MADISONVILLE IS ENJOYING SOME SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENT.

The City Arouned from Its Stupor... Hotel Belmont—Business Blocks—New Court House—Creamery—Other Enterprises.

Madisonville is "awakening from its stupor. Its citizens have at last come to realize that some of its business houses are a disgrace to the city.

New Hotel Belmont will be a handsome edifice, to be constructed at a cost of \$70,000, by Messrs. Hendricks & Ray.

This beautiful little hotel will be two-stories in height, with commodious corridors, attractive dining-room, spacious halls, large sample rooms, convenient chambers, and the building throughout lighted by electricity.

The hotel will be conveniently located for commercial men, being near the railroad station, and to add to the pleasure of the boarders a large yard and flower garden will be in connection for the use of its patrons.

Oldham & Lunford will erect a three-story block on W. Center street, comprising three store rooms, two stories high, iron, plate-glass, plain and pressed brick will be used largely in construction.

On E. Center street is another decided improvement. This will also be a two-story structure, with pressed-brick front, containing two store-rooms. Work will be pushed and the building shortly be ready for occupancy.

Has been frequently mentioned and described; however, affairs have about reached a point of reality and hope to have before many months the most beautiful and modern structure of its kind in Kentucky at a cost of \$30,000.

Mr. W. A. Nisbet promises a new livery stable and business block with large public hall above.

It is reported that Mr. J. F. Dempsey has purchased the three No. 100 houses on Main street, and will supplant them with an imposing structure.

Mr. Lunford contemplates building a block opposite Nisbet's livery stable that will be the handsomest structure in the city.

The necessary stock to establish the Creamery has been subscribed. It is no "bubble in the air," but a fixed enterprise and will soon be in operation.

Verily, the outlook for Madisonville is encouraging. With its immense court house with auditoriums, opera house and hotel facilities it can handle conventions without the slightest embarrassment.

Jack Webb, of Empire, is very sick—typhoid fever.

Tom Bax, an enlarged, is a perfect daisy, and is appreciated by all.

Luke Crick made a business trip to Hopkinsville last Wednesday.

Sam Patten, of White Plains, was visiting friends here last week.

Several of our people attended the circus at Hopkinsville last Sunday.

Our children are taking advantage of the fine weather to plant their gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Burkholder, of this place, left Friday to visit friends in Ohio.

Colored People's Column.

All communications and matters of news pertaining to this column should be addressed to T. H. MERRIWETHER, Earlington, Ky.

James Offutt is improving slowly. Miss Caroline Lowe was in Madisonville last Friday.

James T. Gilchrist was in Providence last Sunday.

The club meets to-night at the A. M. E. Zion church.

Fletcher Wardus, of Hopkinsville, paid his brother a visit last Sunday.

Prof. W. A. Roberson and family were the guests of Prof. Ed Todd last Saturday.

Rev. L. B. Ratcliff was in Nebo last Sunday, assisting in the grand rally at that place.

The second ninny: "Hold the fort for we are coming" prepared to meet all opponents.

Thomas Clark departed for Central City to visit his daughter and his host of friends.

Mrs. Albert Graham left last Sunday for Chattanooga, Tenn., to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Diggs and Will Noel were married Wednesday night of last week, in Madisonville.

The Misses Maimies were visiting their sister here this week, and will also visit Miss Annie Hall.

Will Hines and George Alexander spent last Sunday at Sebree. "Fair Maid of Athens" sang My Prayer.

Miss Lula Terry is suffering from rheumatism, which prevents her attending to household affairs at present.

Rev. Harrison Amos is complaining, owing to a very bad sprained foot. The accident happened while at work in the mines.

Rev. Foster Thomas, who has been assisting Rev. Hurbert in a series of meetings, preached in Hecla last Sunday for R. Brown.

Mr. Will Brown was summoned to the bedside of his sister in Paducah, Ky., last week and returned Monday. He found his sister improved.

Misses Lizette and Georgia Manton, of Providence, paid the many friends a pleasant visit last week and return on Friday.

Girls, do not make this your last visit. The delectable and inviting breeze of the lake is to have its desired-affect on our young men and our incomparable, well, you know, "the fairest among the fair."

Mr. Tilman Shelton had a very severe attack of pneumonia on Sunday. At that time his friends thought he would breathe his last, no dangerous was his condition.

L. A. McInlyre arrived here from Hopkinsville last Sunday, and will remain for some time, as he is expected to run the engine connected with the "merry-go-round," which will be set up in our town soon.

Girls, your smiles and insinuations are to no purpose. The young men have decided not to favor you with an entertainment—no, they are busy. Our young men are perfectly versed in the science of leaf year.

Rev. W. G. Anderson, pastor in charge of the church at Mortons Gap, has commenced a protracted meeting in that town.

Rev. G. A. Barnett will conduct the meeting, with the assistance of the good people of Forest Baptist church.

R. C. Crabtree has in his possession a dime piece which was coined in England in the year 1788, while King George III was on the throne. It may be that the piece of money in question is not a dime, as the only thing we have to go by is its size.

There will be a baptizing at the lake at 10:15 o'clock, a. m., Sunday. There are several converts that are candidates for baptism, and a large assembly is expected.

Rev. W. F. Foster, pastor of the Baptist church will officiate. The revival at the Baptist church is still a success.

The great exposition building, in course of erection at the World's Fair, Chicago, attracts from 1,000 to 1,500 visitors daily, who willingly pay 25c admission fee. Over 5,000 men are employed daily. So wonderful was the interest manifested before the fee was charged that 12,000 to 20,000 people were within the limited daily.

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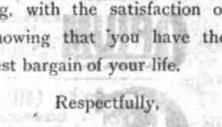
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