

PUBLIC SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

Everybody's Little Folks Had a Beautiful Time—All their Parents Pleased.

TEMPLE THEATRE WAS CROWDED TO THE DOORS.

Teachers Congratulated Generally Upon the Success of Undertaking.

The May Carnival, given by teachers of the public school at Temple Theater Friday night, was a most delightful entertainment witnessed by a crowded house of parents and friends of the children, who were highly entertained from beginning to finish. Only three weeks preparation was given to the 200 children who took part in the drills and the teachers may feel proud of their efforts which proved such a success on this occasion.

These young people did their best, which was most gratifying to their teachers and parents. Mrs. W. K. Nisbet was the pianist and to her skillful touch the drills kept time.

The first on the program was the flag drill, composed of thirteen Uncle Sams and Miss Columbias. The costumes were most effective and the many beautiful figures they went through with, showed careful training. The names of those who took part were:

Miss Columbias.
Bessie Coyle, Arva Rhea, Ruby Peyton, Carrie Baldwin, Goldie Salmon, Bessie Cobb, Kathleen Cory, Fannie Ezell, Margaret Kemp, Vada Brown, Mollie Henify, Noka Burdick, Mary Parker.

Uncle Sams.
James Draper, Raymond Larmotuh, George Arnold, Kirby O'Bannon, John Moore, Bradley Stone, Ben Evans, Edgar Arnold, Robert Featherston, Ernest Oldham, John Hodge, Wallace Clark, Ruby Croft.

The motion song next captivated the audience, nine little lots as follows, took part:

Sarah Featherston, Violet Goldsmith, Dorothy Corbett, Sarah Crutchfield, May Warren, Lily Craig, Janie Blackwell, Marvene Cunningham, Mamie Owen.

Dorothy Corbett and Clyde Griffin were as cunning as could be in their recitation. The little favorites, Sarah and Tommy Featherston's song, brought forth much applause.

Ten little Indians came next, and one would have thought they had just stepped out of their wig-wams in the far West. They were:

Willie Browder, C. P. Tilford, Omega Crenshaw, Percy Lane, John H. Hatcher, Paul Clark, Marvin Curtis, Guthbert Vinson, Otis Thomas, Douglas Brady.

The May pole dance and crowning the Queen was a most beautiful scene and well performed. The Queen and flower girls wore dainty white costumes and carried flowers.

The may pole girls were dressed in pretty pink and blue dresses, the colors of the May pole ribbons. After singing and marching the May Queen, Miss Cornelia Fenwick, came and was crowned by a dainty little maiden, Violet Goldsmith.

This was a scene of fairyland. A list of those who took part were:

May Pole Girls.
Ethel Oldham, Marie Vincent, Dollie Johnson, Nellie McManus, Elizabeth Long, Ida Lee Stek, Susan M. Crutchfield, Willie Baldwin, Margaret Atkinson, Corlene

Ashby, Willie Craig, Agnes Lynn, Willie Ezell.

FLOWERS—Violets.

Opal Warren, Mabel Brown, Lily Craig, Marvene Cunningham, Gladys Walker, Ada Moore, Bertha Adams, Annie Pyle.

Cowslips.

Rex Hamby, Tiny McKinney, Edith Patterson, Mary Herndon, Ethel Peyton, Rena May Davender.

Arbutus.

Paul Moore, Mary Martin, Annie Clark, Thelma King, Edward Brown, Thelma Browder, Charlie Ezell, Ida Lamb.

Butter Cups.

Cora Lee Byrum, Ona Brady, Lucille Thomas, Bessie Blackwell, Tommie Featherston, Gerene Herndon, Anna Brooken Corey, Euzza Brown-ing.

Bisets.

Charlie Barnett, Goldie Brown, Haywood Blackwell, Sarah Featherston, Aileen Fox, Daphne McCord, Flera Lipacomb.

Lilies.

Ethel Sharp, Mamie Owen, Bessie Davis, Ruth Owen, Anna West, Fannie Fugate, Grace Martin, Lella Todd, Ruby Hardy.

Dandelion.

Florence Brown, Gussie Fresch, Sarah Crutchfield, Isabel Wilson, Jane Foard, Howard Arnold, Gertrude Pyles, Clarissa Dennis.

Daisies.

Mabel Clark, Carl Umstead, Hazel Ashby, Henry Clark, Irene Hatcher, Mildred Shaver, Mamie Brown, Bessie Barnett.

The sixty little coons were irresistible in their striking likeness and actions of the genuine article during their performances the audience was in an uproar of laughter. They were:

Harold Oldham, Dewey Swann, Clyde Martin, Dayton Wilkins, Clarence Fox, Fannie Sharp, Ruby Baldwin, Sam Grace, Eddie Smith, Matthew Murphy, Myers Clark, Jack Shaver, Robert Nourse, Gilbert Peyton, Earle Hamby, Whitson Coyle, Claude Armstrong, Albert Baldwin, Morton Logan, Albert Rogers, Paul Curtis, Earl O'Bannon, Carl Rayborn, Audrey Wyatt, Charles Crenshaw, Givens Fugate, Fannie Griffin, Carl Davenport, Bernard Harrison, Shelby McCulley, Chester Hosse, Paul Stone, Theoroland Stone, Willie Durham, Edwin McGary, Eddie Almon, Clifford Adeock, Lona Deshon, Bennett Higdon, Creel Wyatt, Dixon Harrison, Rupert Hardy, George Blalock, Clyde Bennett, Tommie Wilson, Ernest Lee Sisk, Bryan Adeock, Roy Swann, Iley Sharp, Otto Smily, Leslie Vick, Dorris Shaver, Manon Oldham, Charlie Hodge, Clyde Draper, Mac Grace, Herbert Higdon, Delbert Wilkins, Roy Carna.

Principal R. Y. Maxey and the grade teachers are grateful for the patronage and appreciation shown them by the friends of the school. The school is one of which Earlington is justly proud and with the cooperation of the teachers and parents there is no reason why there should be one better in the state.

BRIGADIER GENERAL WILLIAMS WRITES OF TRIGG COUNTY.

Many Fires And Whippings Have Never Been Reported.

Frankfort, Ky., May 4.—Adj. Gen. Johnston today received a letter from Brigadier Williams, who is in Trigg county, setting forth in detail the condition in that county, which Gen. Williams says could hardly be worse.

He said that the intimidation was so strong there that numerous fires and whippings had occurred that had not been reported.

He also stated that the report sent out that the arrests in Trigg county made by his soldiers were the result of the feud between the negroes and whites were erroneous, for some of the men arrested were taken in custody on the charge of night riding.

A much more elaborate campaign is now being planned against the night riders than the one that resulted in the arrests of the men in Calloway and Trigg counties.

EPOCH IN HISTORY

Marked by Meeting of Governors and Learned Men of the Nations.

EARLINGTON MAN SELECTED BY GOVERNOR WILLSON

As One of Kentucky's Representatives in this Important Conference.

Frankfort, Ky., April 30.—Gov. Willson last night announced the appointment of three men to represent Kentucky at the conference of governors of the various states to be held in Washington in May. Each state is allowed to send three men in addition to the governor. The three men who will represent Kentucky are: John B. Atkinson, of Earlington, Ky., Col. Andrew Cowan, of Louisville, and J. W. Porter, of Lexington. Mr. Porter is president of the Kentucky State Development Association.

(From the Courier-Journal.)

The three men named by Gov. Willson yesterday are among the most prominent citizens of Kentucky, and will add much to the gathering. The conference will be held on May 15th, next, by special invitation of President Theodore Roosevelt, and is for the purpose of considering what can be done toward the conservation of the natural resources of the country. The conference is expected to be the most important of its kind ever held in this country, and those who attend from the various other states of the Union will have a great responsibility. It was for this reason that the president asked the governors of the various states to select men of influence and prominence in their respective states.

The conference will be furnished with complete information on all phases of the question by the Forestry Bureau, which is considered one of the best managed branches of the governmental service. This insures that the gathering will have much food for thought and study of the perils of axe and fire.

Col. Andrew Cowan, of Louisville, one of the men selected by Gov. Willson to represent Kentucky, said last night that he would attend the conference and give his time and study to the question, which he regards as one of great importance to the country.

Washington—When President Roosevelt calls to order the opening session of the great White House conference on May 13, there will be gathered in the East Room of the Executive Mansion one of the most notable assemblages of men in the history of the United States.

The governors of all the states have signified their intention of being present at this conference, and each will bring with him three men, carefully chosen from among the learned of his state, to act as advisers in the convention.

Looking at the convention purely from its historical side, it properly may be said that never before in the country's history have the governors of all states assembled in convention for any purpose whatsoever. Considered simply as an epoch-marking

event, the conference will easily take rank with any assembly of public men ever held in the civilized world, for at this meeting the entire government of the United States in the persons of the government's heads will be assembled at one time. If for no other reason the public will be interested in the conference because of this fact.

The range of subjects to be discussed will cover the entire program of national conversation.

Mr. Atkinson says he expects to attend the conference, which will begin on May 13 and continue through three days of meetings and social gatherings.

TAFT NOW HAS 456 DELEGATES

The Number Shown in his Favor by Summary to May 1st.

SIX STATES GOT IN LINE FOR HIM LAST WEEK

Columbus, O., May 4.—The following statement was given out at Taft national headquarters here, covering the selection of delegates to the national convention up to and including Friday, May 1st:

"Since last week's statement was issued six state conventions have endorsed Secretary Taft for president, and out of 152 delegates chosen, 70 were instructed for Ohio's candidate, and at least 50 or 68 uninstructed are known supporters of Taft. Fourteen were instructed for other candidates.

"In all 744 delegates have now been elected to the Chicago convention. Of this number 359 have been instructed for Secretary Taft. 160 are uninstructed and 225 are instructed for other candidates. The seats of 74 delegates are contested. At least 97 of the 160 uninstructed delegates are known Taft supporters and Ohio's candidate now has at least 456 delegates. Two hundred and thirty-six delegates are yet to be selected. Four hundred and ninety-one votes are required to nominate.

"Arkansas, Colorado, Maine, Maryland, North Carolina and West Virginia were the States to swing into the Taft column this week by the adoption of strong resolutions in their respective State convention."

ITALIAN REGIE SUES FOR NIGHT RIDER FIRE LOSSES.

Declare Riot Clause Does Not Protect Insurance Companies.

Hopkinsville, Ky., May 2.—Declaring that seven insurance companies owe risks to the Regie warehouse, suit for from \$8,000 to \$20,000 was filed here today by the Italian Regie.

In the name of W. G. Dunnington & Co., the suits were filed, and they declare that the riot clause in the policies do not protect the companies from their risks.

Barton McEuen is Now a Dentist.

Barton O. McEuen, of St. Charles, received his diploma Monday from the Louisville college of Dentistry, graduating in a class of forty nine young men from a number of States. Most of the graduates, however, are Kentuckians. The new doctor of Dental Surgery is a son of J. V. McEuen, of St. Charles, and brother of popular Rex. McEuen of Earlington.

The Bee office for Job Work.

KLUB KENTUCK MINSTRELS

Show to a Good Crowd at Mortons Theatre at Madisonville Monday Night.

FOR BENEFIT OF SOLDIER BOYS OF COMPANY E.

The Performance Was Better, if Anything, Than the One at Earlington.

(Daily Hustler.)

Perhaps one of the largest and most enthusiastic audiences that has ever attended any performance in Madisonville greeted the "Klub Kentuck" minstrels at the Morton Theatre Monday night and everyone present thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment furnished by the home talent of our neighboring city. Encores and applause were frequent throughout the performance. Good local hits were made during the evening at the expense of some of Madisonville's prominent men, which were as much enjoyed by the victims as the audience. Capt. Frank D. Rash made a decided hit with the song, "I'm a Dangerous Man," which was composed by Miss Ida Speed, of Madisonville. This was the first time that the people of this city had an opportunity to hear the musical selection arranged by Miss Speed and it was received with great favor.

Ed Cunningham and Harry Marphey were among the favorites of the evening and were heartily applauded whenever they appeared in the parts assigned them. All of those who took part in the entertainment did creditable work, and the theatre-going public of Madisonville will long remember the evening's entertainment with pleasure.

Jno. Long, Leonard Goodloe, Geo. Robinson, J. R. Henry, J. W. Wand, Eugene Foster, Richard Taylor, Edward Trahern, the Featherstone children, Dr. A. O. Sisk and Jim Harlan and his banjo solo, did some good work and acted their parts with a grace and ease that was surprising in amateurs. Madisonville people hope to see another minstrel by Earlington talent at the Morton Theatre in the near future, and the warm welcome awaits them. The attendance was not as good as it should have been on account of the threatening weather conditions, but the enthusiasm of those present made up for the loss. The receipts of the box office showed \$130, which will be used for the benefit of Company E while they are on their annual encampment.

CENTER FURNACE WHITECAPERS HELD TO GRAND JURY

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Cadiz, Ky., May 2.—All the defendants in the Center Furnace cases were held to the grand jury here today in \$500 bond. All gave bond and were released. They were Willie Sherbert, Rause and Henry Forsythe, James and Jack Aldridge, Jim Bruce, Weck Meredith, Mode Etheridge, Ebb and Ben Wood, Jim Sackley and Jim Haston.

Gen. Roger Williams was in

court all morning listening to the testimony of Walter Goodwin, who was chief witness against the men. Trial will be May 14 or 18.

He testified that that they had all met in a field and discussed whipping an old negro named Zeb Miller, and that the whipping of white men was next considered. The men were held to the jury on their evidence.

Gen. Williams and the forces will remain in the county until the cases are decided. They are all in Cadiz tonight.

Coming to the Front.

The following clipped from the Madisonville Hustler, shows that one of our home boys is coming to the front:

"Dr. Eldred Davis, of Earlington, who has been attending the University at Nashville, Tenn., for several years, has completed his course with that institution and graduated at the head of his class with high honors.

As a mark of appreciation of the splendid record he made during his course of study at the university the faculty has selected him as a lecturer and he will serve in this capacity, giving lectures to the students of the college on the diseases of women and children. This is an unusual honor and it is the first time that it has been done in the history of the institution which is a high honor for the Earlington man.

A remarkable coincidence with the graduation of Dr. Davis is that his father and grandfather graduated from the same school with equal high honors, being at the head of their classes when they completed their studies at this school.

Dr. Davis left Monday for Philadelphia and other Eastern cities, where he will take a post-graduate course and upon his return he will assume his duties at the institution of which he has been chosen as a member of the faculty.

The many friends of this young man have watched his career with much interest during his course at college, and are pleased that he has gained such a reputation in the medical world. They trust that even better things and more honors are awaiting him in the future."

East End Club.

Mrs. Geo. Atkinson was the hostess of the East End Club on last Thursday afternoon. Most of the members were present and a most interesting meeting resulted. Mesdames J. B. Atkinson and M. Cain were guests of the club. Miss Carrie Crenshaw made the highest score. The refreshments consisted of a dainty salad course which was enjoyed by all.

Bay View Reading Club.

The Bay View Reading Club met with Mrs. W. H. Kline on Thursday evening from eight to ten. The course of study pursued by this circle is most interesting, and has been largely enjoyed this past winter by about a dozen persons of congenial tastes. At the completion of the Readings the members adjourned to the dining room where a delicious little lunch was served. Each guest found at his place a note addressed to him which on being opened was found to contain some appropriate quotation. These were read aloud.

The English Bible.

The English Bible—a book which if everything else in our language should perish, would alone suffice to show the whole extent of its beauty and power.—Thomas B. Macaulay.