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DEATH OF MOTHER HAND

Brings Grief to the Home of the Editor's Family.

Last Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the following telegram from our nephew, Arthur Sanford, was received here:

"Covington, Ky., July 19, 1904.
D. W. CLARK,
Barbourville, Ky.
Grandma died at 6:30 p. m.
A. SANFORD."

Mrs. Matilda Hand was born in Kenton county, Ky., where she spent her entire life, and sank peacefully to rest in the eightieth year of her life on the evening of July 19, 1904.

How appropriate that with the closing of a long and bright summer day the closing of a long and bright, cheerful light should be.

"Grandma Hand," as she was called by her large circle of friends and acquaintances in Covington, lived a life of perpetual sunshine, and was in some respects a most peculiar character.

Although her locks were as white as the drifting snow and the finger of time had left its trace upon her brow, yet she was not old in her ways. She would not sit down and robe herself in black and confine herself to her room, but on the contrary, she would don a white dress, walk out in town and go through the markets, attend to her own shopping and look after her own affairs with more vim than many who were thirty years younger.

To know her was to love her, and her custom of going out and mixing through the throng in the crowded streets of Covington and Cincinnati made her one of the best known women in the city of Covington.

During the life-time of her husband, Col. Linus Hand, her life was spent mostly upon the old plantation on the Madison pike. After the loss of her husband she decided to rent the farm and locate in Covington, where most of her children were located. This she did, and for the past eighteen years she has enjoyed the change from country life to that of the busy city life.

Her death removes one of the old landmarks of Kenton county and wide a circle of friends, beside a large family of children and grandchildren are left to mourn their loss. Interment at Highland cemetery.

Dr. Hunter's Reception by Soldiers.

The old soldiers of Clinton county assembled in the Masonic Hall here last Saturday and gave Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter a reception. F. A. Tabor was elected permanent chairman and J. M. Reneau Secretary. Rev. R. F. Mills, J. R. Hopkins, S. J. Thrasher, and T. A. Carr, was appointed a committee to escort the Dr. to the hall. The reception address was made by F. A. Tabor, who assured the Dr. that the old soldier's had confidence in his ability, integrity, love and fidelity, to the old soldier and the people of Kentucky as well. They denounced in thunder tones the unfairness of his opponents and avowed that efforts to rob him of the laurels so heroically won on the fields of the Potomac should meet the contempt of every true comrade in the 11th. district. The Doctor's response was well received and appreciated. The affair was a pleasant one.—Albany Journal.



DAN. H. WILLIAMS,
Candidate for Sheriff of Knox County.

Mr. Dan H. Williams was born April 26, 1865, on Lynn Camp Creek. His great-father, Isaiah Williams, moved to this county from Virginia nearly one hundred years ago. His grandfather was born and raised on Fighting Creek near where Lawson Rasnick now lives. His father, I. T. Williams, was born and raised on Turkey Creek.

Hunter Doesn't Loose.

Edwards will be badly fooled if he thinks that White will turn over his forces to him, or if he expects that Parker can deliver over his vote against Dr. Hunter.

The men who were for White were so because of their liking him and not because of a dislike for Hunter; the men who were for Parker were so by reason of personal friendship and because of their sympathy for him, and not because of dislike of Hunter.

The Edwards gang proper is made up of remnants of a ring of disappointed pie hunters and others who hope to have him in Congress where he can hold them in office or to help put them in. There is where all of the energy of the Edwards men come from.

And we want to assert with some emphasis that, if Parker had been given the track, with Edwards off, he would have gotten all of the Edwards vote and still held his own and divided the vote that had been for White, and really would have been a stronger candidate than Edwards.

As it is, Dr. Hunter has the best showing to get the biggest share of both White's and Parker's vote, and of course will be nominated by a big majority.

In other words, White's men are not prejudiced against Hunter and neither are Parker's, and they have no good reason to fall in and vote with Edwards's office-seeking crowd, for they can hope for better opportunities and a fairer treatment from Dr. Hunter.—Somerset Republican.

Best One-Ringer.

The W. H. Harris' World Famous Nickel Plate Shows arrived early this morning, and erected their tents on the show grounds near the Stanton house.

They gave a very creditable street parade this morning along the principle streets which attracted large crowds.

The afternoon performance was largely attended and every one who went came away well pleased and satisfied.

It was demonstrated to-day that the good old-time one-ring show was still a favorite, and the Nickel Plate is the pioneer one-ring show of the country, giving performances that have never been excelled, and seldom equaled.

The features given by the Harris

people this season are exceedingly clever. Among some of the features that proved applause winners this afternoon were: The two Jennier children, upon the aerial bars; the Millettes, double trapeze artists, LaSage, upon the bounding rope; Melrose, the somersault bareback rider upon a fine steed; Master Ira Millette, the youngest Roman standing rider in the world was good; Hezekiah, the kicking mule, and the real old funny clown afforded unlimited roars of hearty laughter. The show in its entirety was of a high degree, giving the best of satisfaction, there being nothing left undone to afford the amusement seekers two hours of real meritorious amusement. They give another performance to-night at 8 o'clock, and those who want to see a good show should not miss this one.—The News, Chattanooga, (Tenn.)

New Coal Company Begins Work.

The latest coal company to begin operations in this county is known as the Barbourville Blue Gem Coal Company, and is composed of business men of this city. Mr. William Jones is president and manager. The tippie is finished and coal is being mined on the William Lock farm, not far from the L. & N. depot. The switch leading to the mine will be finished soon.

Kind Words.

D. Will Clark publisher of the Mountain Advocate at Barbourville is making a splendid paper, the best we have seen come out of that town. He is a republican to the core and proved it by having published a red-hot, uncompromising republican paper in that hole of Bourbonism, Georgetown. His republicanism has been thoroughly tested.—Somerset Republican.

Pleasantly Entertained.

The Round Dozen Club was entertained by Mrs. A. W. Hopper Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. John H. Cutton, of Chattanooga. Those present were:

Misses	Messes.
Gertrude Black,	V. V. Anderson,
Georgie Black,	T. D. Tinsley,
Annie Culton,	G. F. Tinsley,
Jessie Dickinson,	John Culton,
Kate England,	P. D. Black,
Roxye Wilson,	Wm. Dishman.
	Mayo Tinsley.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

Improvements.

There have been several improvements made about the Court-house recently preparatory to the opening of Circuit Court next week.

The railing that separates the bar from the audience room has been repaired and some change made. The stoves have been removed and the jury box has been arranged with the rear row of chairs mounted upon a platform. All the chairs have been fastened to the floor so that they will not be removed. New window cords have been put in the windows and the broken glass replaced with new ones. This helps the appearance considerably and does about as well as is possible with the old building.

We hope that the time is not far distant when we will see a new house erected to take the place of this old time-worn building that has served out its time as a temple of justice.

There seems to be a strong feeling forming throughout the county that Knox county deserves a better and safer place to keep her records and hold her courts to transact the business of the county.

A REPLY.

I desire to say in reply to the writer from Hammond, Ky., who did not have the manhood to sign his own name to his statement, but signed a fictitious name instead, that his statements, as far as they refer to myself, are absolutely false, almost from start to finish. I do not know as to the others.

Respectfully,
J. S. MILLER.

Death of John Lewallen.

Last Tuesday at his home on Poplar creek, Mr. John Lewallen, aged 21 years, succumbed to that fatal disease—consumption—after an illness of some months.

Mr. Lewallen went west a few years ago to seek his fortune, but failing health caused him to return to his native land, and just one year to the day from the time he reached his home his spirit took its departure from the tenement of clay and returned to the God who gave it.

The funeral was in charge of A. W. Hopper, the popular undertaker of this city.

CORRESPONDENCE. HAMMOND.

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Farmers are about through laying by their corn.

John Mills has bought Archie Clark's store out and is putting both stores together. We believe John will be one of our leading merchants in the near future.

Flem D. Sampson was with us last week, and he was all smiles to find all the boys for him, and they extended to him their welcome hands and promised him their hearty support, which we will stand by on the 12th day of November, for we believe he is the right kind of stuff we need for County Judge.

Sawyer Smith's many friends of this precinct, and in fact, that is, all the precinct, regret very much that Mr. Smith is no longer a candidate. Mr. Smith is a nice young gentleman and is beloved by all of this precinct; also beloved in general by the young ladies; so this is enough for Mr. Smith. But, Mr. Editor, I can say Mr. Smith's many friends of this precinct are Parker men now. Tell Mr. Parker to come up and see us; we are for him heart and hand, soul and body, head and tail. Tell Mr. Parker while some of us do not know him, we are for him just the same. Tell him we love him, for we think he will be our next Superintendent; and, in fact, we know it, that if the rest of the county is like this precinct. Tell Mr. Parker our prayers are for God to be with him, for we are the only issue up here on the 12th day of November will be for every Republican to go to the polls and vote or get his head skinned or skin somebody's head. STRAIGHT RIDER.

Flat Lick.

T. J. Slusher, formerly of Flat Lick, but now of Mills, Ky., was with us Saturday and Sunday. It seems that there was an attraction that held him over very late.

A big picnic at Ely mines next Saturday, July 23. Everybody invited.

Hon. J. D. Tuggle and Wm. Davis were in our town Monday.

We are sorry to state that Wm. Bargo's nice residence was destroyed by fire last Tuesday night. Loss, \$1500 or more; partly covered by insurance.

Nearly all the Flat Lick people attended the picnic at Four Mile Saturday. The Flat Lick baseball team, with a part of the Four Mile team, defeated the Pineville team 9 to 1.

Flat Lick and Four Mile claim to be able to defeat any one team this side of Lexington.

S. C. Early, our candidate for Sheriff, was in Gray's this week looking for some one who was opposed to him collecting taxes for the next four years. Mr. Early reports no one found.

Mrs. Wm. Bargo has been quite ill this week but is improving. Mrs. Robert Wyatt, of Barbourville, is with her.

Mrs. James Taylor, of Himyar, near this place, died Tuesday of consumption. She leaves a husband and several children to mourn their loss.

Wm. Bargo was in Barbourville Monday on business.

H. C. Mills, who represents H. T. Hackney & Co., left Tuesday for Jellico.

Don't forget the picnic at Ely mines Saturday, July 23.

D. W. Slusher and James Woollum report an average of 100 scholars this week. MARK.

WANTED.

Cook and housekeeper; good wages to the right party.

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MRS. M. E. FAULKNER.

NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Kentucky in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of GIDEON HOGG, Bankrupt. } In Bankruptcy

To the creditors of Gideon Hogg, of Indian Bottom in the County of Letcher, in District aforesaid; a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12 day of July A. D. 1904, the said Gideon Hogg was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Barbourville, Kentucky, on the 25 day of July A. D. 1904, at 1 o'clock, in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the Bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

W. W. TINSLEY,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
This 15th day of July, A. D., 1904.

Commissioner's Sale.

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT.

J. R. Bailey, Adm'r.
vs. Notice of Sale.
Amanda Hammons, &c., Deft's.

Under judgment herein the undersigned will on

MONDAY, JULY 25, 1904,
Between the hours of 10 o'clock a.

m., and 4 o'clock p. m., sell at the door of the Court-house in Barbourville, Ky., on a credit of six months, the equity of redemption in and to the following tract of land, situated in Knox county, Ky., on Hammons Fork of Goose creek, and is described as follows:

Beginning on top of the rocky point at the head of the Fish Trap hollow; thence down said hollow as it meanders N 24 1-2 E 15 poles, N 9 1-2 E 9 poles, N 10 1-2 E 6 poles N 17 E 3 poles, N 3 poles N 8 1-2 W 5 N 15 W 15 poles, N 11 1-2 W 10 poles, S 85 W 1 pole to the mouth of the Fish Trap branch; thence up said Hammons Fork as it meanders N 10 E 12 poles, N 23 E 14 poles to the mouth of the Jarvis branch; thence up said branch as it meanders N 18 W 14 poles N 10 1-2 W 9 poles to the county road; thence with said road S 44 E 14 poles, S 52 E 8 poles, S 79 1-2 E 18 poles to a black walnut on the north side of said road to James Hammons' corner; thence with Jas. Hammons' line S 12 W 76 poles to the top of the spur; thence up said spur to the beginning, and containing about sixteen acres. The purchaser will give bond with good security, bearing interest from date until paid, conditioned as directed in said judgment.

W. F. WESTEREIELD,
Commissioner.
This July 1, 1904. jy 8-t.

Sheriff Sale for Taxes.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, } ss.
County of Knox. }

I will on
MONDAY, JULY 24, 1904,

At the Court-house door in Barbourville, Knox county, Ky., between the hours of 10 a. m., and 4 p. m. sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following property:

Beginning at two sourwoods, a corner of Chris Turner's land; thence a southwest direction with the fence to the top of the point on the side of the mountain to a small chestnut tree; thence with said point to the line between James W. Dozier and J. D. Dozier's to three small black oaks; thence south 36 E 20 poles to a chestnut oak; thence N E S poles to a white oak; thence S 35 E 10 poles to two chestnut oaks; thence S 40 E 20 poles to a rock in a small branch near the road; thence N 86 E 60 poles to a white oak and hickory on said Dozier's land; thence with said line to a chestnut oak and hickory on the old Wm. Dizney south line; thence with said line 37 1-2 poles to said Dizney's west corner; thence north to a black gum, the corner of the said Dozier's land; thence with said line to the beginning, containing 80 acres, more or less. Levied on as the property of Jerry M. Gibson for his State Revenue and County levy taxes due by said Jerry M. Gibson for the year 1903. Tax and cost \$6.03.
W. W. BYRLEY, S. K. C.
CHARLES C. BYRLEY, D. S.
This June 11, 1904. jy 8-t.

BIG SALE

Household and Kitchen Furniture.

Also RESIDENCE with LOT 60 x 331.

As I have located in the West, and expect to leave for my new home at once. I will sell all my furniture consisting of: Two nice Oak Suits of Furniture, Two Fine Folding beds, Chairs, Rockers, Rugs, Druget, Folding Couch, Sewing machine, Safe, Stove, all kinds of Dishes and cooking utensils, Lawn Swing, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

These Goods must be sold to the highest bidder for CASH IN HAND, and if you miss this sale, you will miss several Bargains.

Sale Will be from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m., July 25, 1904,

At my Residence on High street, between L. H. Jarvis and the Judge Clark's Residence. I have located in the west, and expect for everything to go to the highest bidder, nothing held back. DON'T MISS IT.

Anyone desiring to examine furniture before date is welcome to do so.

Respectfully,

I M COLE.