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Church Directory.

BAPTIST.

Services on first Saturday afternoon, and Sunday following; Rev. G. W. McIntosh, pastor pro tem. Powell's Valley Second Saturday and Sunday; Rev. J. Parsons, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Services on the third Saturday night and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. S. M. Carrier, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.

Services at Kimbrell's Chapel on the first Sunday; Rev. Thos. Stinnett, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services at Hardwick's creek on the third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. E. Frank Wright, pastor pro tem. Log Lick—Services on Second Sunday; Rev. E. W. Marcum, pastor.

OLD BAPTIST.

Services at Log Lick on the first Saturday, and Sunday following; Eld. W. W. Caudill, pastor.

Estill Court Directory.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge - D. B. Redwine
Com'w'lt'h's Att'y A. H. Howard
Clerk - James A. Wallace
Deputy Clerk Vernon L. Vaughn
Commissioner - John D. Winn

Circuit Court is held on the fourth Monday in March, June and November.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge - W. H. Lilly
Clerk - Vernon L. Vaughn
County Attorney Grant E. Lilly
Deputy Clerk James A. Wallace
Deputy Sheriff - James F. West
Deputy Jailor - J. H. Powell
Deputy Coroner - A. Underwood
Superint'd't of schools C. Marum

County court is held on the third Monday of each month.

Quarterly terms of the county court are held the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

County court of claims meet in April and October.

LOCAL MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

Justice - David N. Witt.
Constable - J. J. McIntosh
Court is held on the 16th of March, June, September and December.

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(Clinton Banner.)

Under the shade of the tree they sat.
He held her hand, she held his hat;
He held that kissing was no crime.
She held her head up every time.
I held my peace and wrote this rhyme.

—THE TATTLER.

Tammany Hall has been mortgaged for \$143,000.

Immigrants from Europe for the year ending July 1, was 230,832, against 348,267 the year before.

"An Illinois man wants a divorce because his wife spits on the frying pan to see if it's hot enough;" and he ought to have it.

Mr. G. T. Pitney has just gathered 34 pounds of Concord grapes from a vine planted in April, 1894. At two cents per pound this would be 68 cents per vine. On one acre of ground at 8 by twelve feet we would have 430 vines, which at 68 cents per vine would be \$292.40.—Lexington

CORRESPONDENCE.

SAMS SAYINGS.

News is scarce this week—

Mary Holder has pneumonia fever.

Squirrel hunters are plentiful in this locality.

Bettie Larison is quite low with typhoid fever.

W. F. McIntosh is on the sick list with hay fever.

There are several cases of typhoid fever in this vicinity.

"Hurrah" for the Times, it gets better with every issue.

Magistrate's Court at Dry Ridge Wednesday, Sept. 15th.

Joe Hamilton and Robt. Masters went to Richmond Monday.

Thos. Williams, of Irvine, was in this neighborhood Tuesday.

D. N. Witt, our candidate for county Judge, went to Red Lick Sunday.

Farmers are preparing for sorghum making in this neck "o' the woods."

William Witt, our young horse jockey, attended Richmond court Monday.

The association at Sand Hill was well attended Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

J. J. McIntosh and wife were visiting W. F. McIntosh and family Sunday. "Robin Hood."

Richmond Court.

Yesterday was the biggest court day Richmond has seen for many a day—free turnpikes and the return of prosperity uniting in bringing a tremendous crowd to town. There was a good feeling among all classes, merchants, farmers and traders seeming to sniff the return of good times in the very air. At Norris Bros.' stock yards there were between 2,500 and 3,000 cattle, and buyers from a half dozen counties. Prices were stiff, ranging from 2 to 4½ cents, with a steady demand, the bulk going at 3 to 4 cts. A big lot of mules were offered, but few sold, owing to the fact that farmers expected boom prices, while traders were cautious, Jewell & Patterson and Carithers & Beard bought a number at \$40 to \$100. There was a number of horse sales at \$25 to \$40, a few good ones bringing a better figure. The merchants had a big trade, and the banks were kept busy handling cash and checks.—Register.

Raised A Crop of Coffee.

Mr. J. C. Hoffman, one of Barren county's enterprising farmers, has just harvested and roasted his present year's crop of coffee, which was grown on his farm. He secured the seed from a farmer in Garrard county and he told the Glasgow News that he could raise it as easily as anything else that grows on his farm, and that the cost of production does not exceed two cents a pound. He will put in a large crop next year, and have coffee on the market.—Hodgenville Herald.

A stock exchange has been opened at Glasgow.

Oil has been found in Crittenden county at a depth of 175 ft.

A young man named Banks was mysteriously killed in Wolf county, near Campton.

C. H. Hatchett and his deputies collected \$7,000 in taxes in Barren county in four days last week.

There were made by the Lexington police during the month of August three hundred and twenty-two arrests.

The Lexington canning factory has resumed operations, giving employment to about seventy-five people.

The Commissioner of Agriculture of Kentucky says that the estimate of the yield of wheat in the State is 11,376,288 bushels.

Daniel Boone's Kettle.

A special from Bristol Tenn. says: A farmer brought to Bristol Friday an old battered brass kettle, which was dug up on a farm near Bluff City, Tenn. On the side of the kettle, near the rim, appeared these letters: "D. Boon, 1780." The kettle is supposed to have been used by Daniel Boone, the noted pioneer-hunter, whose name is carved on a historic beech in this section.

How to Improve Your town.

Talk about it.

Write about it.

Buy your goods only from the local merchants.

Beautify the streets as well as your own premises.

Patronize the business of your town at all times.

Speak well of its public spirited, enterprising citizens.

If you can't think of any good word, don't say anything bad about it.

Be courteous to strangers, so that when they go away they will be favorably impressed.

Don't advertise to help the printer, but to help your own interest and the interest of your town.

Don't let politics get mixed up with your business, if you are a business man, stick to your vocation. There will be plenty of men to run the political machine.

Always cheer on the men who go in for improvement. Don't kick at any good improvement because it is not at your own door for fear of your taxes being raised fifty cents.

The Madison county bridegroom who was married last week at Richmond in his shirt sleeves, had a parallel over in Indiana last Friday. Alice Litchen was doing a big family washing when her lover, Frank Holmes, came in from New Albany and found her at work. Without any preliminary remarks he asked her to marry him. She drew her hands out of the suds dried them and got into his buggy without further preparations. They went to the nearest squire's, where the knot was tied, and she then returned and completed her washing.—Winchester Democrat.

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