

RAIL-ROAD TIME-TABLE.

NORTH. 5:11 p. m.
SOUTH. 8:22 a. m.

MEETINGS

Owen Church preaching 2nd. Sunday in each month. Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a. m.

Post 53, G. A. R., meets regularly the 2nd Saturday in each month, at 12:00 p. m.

M. E. Church, colored, meetings every Sunday.

Camp No. 7, Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., meets 2nd Saturday at 1 p. m.

Sequachee Valley News.
Published every Thursday.

OUR DEVIL'S CORNER.

SWEARING OFF.

With many a sigh
I bid good bye
To this old jug which once held rye.
Old pipe, farewell,
No tongue can tell
How much I'll miss thy witching spell.
From words profane
I will abstain;
To "cuss" is wicked quite and vain.
Thus from these three
Bad habits free
Next year a model man I'll be.

RETRIBUTION.

SATAN.—"What is that new arrival howling so for?"
BEELZEBUB.—"Oh, he's an editor who used to make a practice of copying short stories and poems without giving proper credit. Half a dozen authors recognized him when he came in and they are having fun with him. Just now they are pouring melted brass into his ear."

WINTER PLEASANTRY.

SMITH.—"Anything on foot to-day, old man?"
JONES.—"Well I should say there was."
SMITH.—"What?"
JONES.—"Chilblains."

DOBBS.—"Made any New Year pledges?"
HOBBS.—"Yes, I pledged my summer clothing to raise money to buy winter flannels."

We learn that a very valuable coal vein was found on the farm of P. J. Swafford in the 3rd district on Cumberland Mountain. Experts from Dayton says it is a regular cliff vein and will prove very valuable.—Pikeville Banner.

A Truthful Statement.

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"Mr. Bob."

The presentation of the charming comedy, "Mr. Bob," by the Sequachee Dramatic Club was the beginning of the Christmas observance in Sequachee.

A fair audience was present and thoroughly enjoyed the performance. Unlike many plays written for amateur performances, "Mr. Bob" has the distinction of all the characters being strong and distinct and admitting of thorough development. The plot is a young lady has a friend whom she dubs "Bob," who pays her a visit and who is supposed by the other members of the family to be a gentleman and a good many absurdities occur in consequence. A housemaid with predilection for the sage and the butler have a strong line of low comedy. The cast was as follows:

Philip.....Chas. Curtis.
Mr. Brown.....J. W. Graham
Jenkins.....W. C. Hill
Miss Luke.....Miss M. Graham
Katharine.....Mrs. Graham
Marion.....Mrs. Davidson
Patty.....Miss Gustafson

It is only fair to say that for a first presentation all did well, although much that could have made it more effective was obliged to be eliminated on account of the surroundings.

Charles Curtis played his part very intelligently. Mrs. Graham made a good effect in the second act. W. C. Hill as Jenkins both in make-up and action was accorded hearty applause which he deserved and J. W. Graham took his part well. Mrs. Davidson did well for a first appearance and looked well. Miss Gustafson as Patty handled her part splendidly and in an entire change from her previous efforts showed her versatility, and Miss Graham did well considering it was her first appearance. "Mr. Bob" can be made a stunner and we want the Club to play it again with many additions and we think they ought to.

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Non-Resident Notice.
In Chancery Court at Jasper, Tennessee,

MINNIE B. STEVENSON
vs.
JAMES STEVENSON.

In this cause it appears from the allegation in complainant's bill which is sworn to that James Stevenson is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on him.

It is therefore ordered by the Clerk & Master that publication be made in THE SEQUACHEE VALLEY NEWS, a newspaper published in Marion County, Tenn., for four consecutive weeks, notifying said defendant to appear on or before the next term of Chancery Court for said County (4th Monday, February, 1897) and make defense to said bill or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte.

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This Dec. 11, 1896. Dec 17, 4t.

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"That settles it, Bill," said he. "We won't crack this crib. **WHEN A MAN SELLS AT THOSE PRICES, IT DOES N'T PAY TO STEAL.**"

And abandoning their task, they disappeared in the darkness.

Here is a List of the Prices that Saved them from Becoming Thieves.

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| Laws per y'd 3 3/4c | Ladies' fine Dongola button shoes @ \$1.40 to \$1.85. | Mason's Blacking, 4c and 8c |
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| Good Calico 4 1/2c | Children's and Misses shoes sizes ranging from 5 to 8, 90; 9 to 12, \$1.00-1.25, \$1.15. | Merry Nettle Lye 5c a box |
| Cotton Checks 4c to 6c | Mens' full-stock shoes at only \$1. | Sulphur 5c 1/2 lb; 10lbs 40c. |
| Yard wide Domestic 4c to 6c | Kip Ties, \$1.15 and 1.25. | Salts, 6c 1/2 lb. |
| Ginghams 4c | Best Kip Ties, \$1.50. | Quinine 5c 1/2 bottle. |
| Best Oil Table Cloth 18c | Mens' Gilt hand-sewed shoes @ \$1.50, 1.65, and 1.85. | School Crayons 3 boxes for 25c |
| Ladies' Hose 4c | Regular \$3 shoes @ 2.25 | Sure 4c |
| Large Bos. Ball Thread 10c a d z. | Boys' plow shoes @ \$1.15, | Sand paper, 6 sheets for 5c. |
| Full line Men's Underwear from 25c to 90c. | Boys' calf, sewed shoes 1.25, 1.50. | Lead pencils 10c per dozen. |
| | | Wash boards 17c to 35c. |
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| | | Axle grease 5c a box |
| A wool shirt worth \$1 00 only..... 75c. | | A new Mason's 2 quart jars @ 90c 1/2 doz. |
| | | Go d Broom 18c |
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| Best fine Neglige shirts only 80c | | Fine lot of harness leather @ 29c by the side. |
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- 2 bars of good soap for 5c.
3 large packages oatmeal 25c
Soda, 4c per package.
1 pound can baking powder 10c
Sardines only 5c a box.
3 lb cans Tomatoes 10c
Salmon only 15c.
Corn beef, 15c; 2 for 25c.
Raisins 6c 1/2 lb.

Sequachee, Tenn., Oct. 29, '96.

Twice-a-Week Courier-Journal.

Beginning the first of the new year, the Weekly Courier-Journal, of Louisville, Ky., will be changed to the Twice-a-Week Courier-Journal. It will be published Wednesday and Saturday mornings. The paper will be six pages, or twelve pages a week, instead of ten pages weekly, as at present, an increase of 832 columns of matter during the year. The Wednesday issue will be devoted exclusively to news and politics, while the Saturday issue will be strictly a family paper—filled with stories, miscellany, pictures, poetry, sketches, etc. The politics of the paper will not be changed, and the battle for pure Democracy and true Democratic principles will be continued successfully in the future as in the past. In spite of the expense involved in the improvements noted, the price of the Twice-a-Week Courier-Journal will remain the same, one dollar a year, with liberal inducement to agents or old subscribers who send in new ones. A feature during the coming year will be the editorials of Mr. Henry Watson on political and other topics of the day.

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