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BANKRUPTCY CASE

THAT OF WHITWELL MERCANTILE SOCIETY IN PROGRESS.

The creditors of the Whitwell Mercantile society, a bankrupt concern of Marion county, had their first meeting before Referee Grayson this morning and elected A. L. Roberson, clerk and master of Marion county, trustee. The bankrupt firm's creditors are from Nashville, Marion county and Chattanooga.

The Magill Hardware company of this city is a creditor of the Whitwell Mercantile society. The company's assets are between \$6,000 and \$7,000, while its liabilities are about \$8,500. The Whitwell Mercantile society is represented by Attorneys C. H. Carpenter, of Dunlap, and P. H. Thatch, of Jasper, while Joe Brown and John T. Raulston represent the various creditors.

Dr. J. A. Walker is president of the company. When the firm was thrown into bankruptcy over a month ago, Attorney Thatch was made receiver and was allowed \$300 for his services by Referee Grayson. His claim was for \$300, but Attorney Joe Brown made a motion to cut it down and the referee allowed him \$200.

It is said the company may be able to pay about 75 per cent. of its liabilities. Dr. Walker, president of the company, is one of the best known men in that section of the country. He was a candidate for congress against the late John R. Neal some years ago and is a strong admirer of Bryan. He is also a personal friend of Governor Patterson, and one of his election commissioners for Marion county.—Chattanooga News.

CHATTANOOGA.

While the city of Chattanooga has many nice, well behaved gentlemen and many good and charitable acts are performed, yet many lawless men are here to annoy those that are law-abiding citizens.

Last week a white boy on Market St., who keeps a small stand, shot and killed a negro. The negro had purchased some articles from the boy and some dispute arose over the payment, when the negro made a rush on the boy. The boy grabbed a pistol and shot the negro, who ran to the middle of the street and fell dead. The boy was arrested and tried and was acquitted.

Then on Saturday night following a white man and a negro were playing pool on Whiteside St., and some trouble came up over the game and the white man shot the negro, inflicting a severe wound. The negro was taken to Erlanger Hospital and the physicians say that it is doubtful if he recovers. The man who shot the negro escaped and his name is not known.

Shooting and cutting affrays are reported nearly every day in some part of the city. Ten men so far this month have been convicted of crime in the criminal court for various crimes, larceny, burglary and murder, and sent to the penitentiary at Brushy Mountain for terms ranging from two to twelve years. Of the ten that were taken to the prison last Monday, nine were negroes and one white man.

W. H. Bellis, who was convicted of murder in the second degree, and sentenced to the penitentiary for fifteen years, was granted a new trial.

Ed Turner, charged with the killing of his wife, Lillie Turner, on Lookout mountain last April, is now on trial. It looks rather gloomy for Turner at this time.

All the preachers and lay delegates to the Annual Conferences of the M. E. Church, south, and the M. E. Church, north, from the city and adjacent circuits, left Monday night for Conference at Bluefield, West Virginia and Knoxville, Tenn., respectively.

Miss Cora Alley, who has been visiting relatives in the city for the last two weeks, returned to her home in Tracy City last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mulkey returned from a visit to Mr. Mulkey's mother, Mrs. Jones, at Saddy last Sunday evening.

Buffalo Bill's great western show was here last week. It was a huge affair. There were 350 men and women from about 17 nationalities and three hundred and fifty horses. We did not see it ourselves, but some that did pronounce it a tame affair compared to the blow and advertising that preceded it.

You never have any trouble to get children to take Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. They like it because it tastes nearly like maple sugar. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is a safe, sure and prompt remedy for coughs and colds and is good for every member of the family. Sold by Jno. W. Simpson, Jasper, Tenn.

CASITORIA.
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CEMENT PLANT IN JASPER

Georgians Have Practically Decided on a Location.

JASPER, Tenn., Oct. 7.—Last week a party of cement men were in Jasper, and were looking over the lands owned by S. H. Alexander and W. T. Dunwoody, which lie along the foot of the mountain at the Blue Spring, with the purpose of locating a large cement plant here. They represented the Southern State Cement company, of Rockmart, Ga.

There is a million dollar cement plant located at Copenhagen, which is only nine miles below here, and it is said by those who claim to know that the shale, of which cement is made, is in greater quantities here than it is there, and it is much easier reached.

The company had two men at work testing the depth and quality of the shale and they were apparently satisfied with the result of their investigations, for afterward they tried to purchase the land outright. This is an ideal place for a cement plant, as there is an almost inexhaustible supply of the shale of which cement is made, it being in places fifty feet thick, is easily reached, close to the railroad and the Blue Spring will furnish an abundant water supply. It is regarded as a settled fact that the company will locate here and the people of Jasper are ready to do their part towards getting them to come.

Coalmont.

Special to the News.
Mrs. John E. Patton was at Tracy City last week.

Mrs. Lovelace and daughter, Mrs. Harlin Griswold, were at Tracy last week.

Chas. Morgan, Geo. Barfield and Will Hollman, of Nashville, are in the city.

John Harris, of Tracy, spent Monday night here.

Mr. Macafee has returned to his home in Georgia, after spending several days in our city.

G. W. Morton is at Altamont.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shelton, of Altamont, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Griswold.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Gattis have moved to Tracy City into the house formerly occupied by Dr. Douglas Haynes.

Floyd Tate was at Tracy Tuesday.

Miss Mollie Moran, of Tracy City, is in the city.

Alex Patton has returned from a few days' stay at Jasper.

Dr. Thatch was at Tracy this week.

Miss Rosa Boss has returned to her home at Tarlton after visiting the family of John W. Dykes for several days.

J. C. Gross has returned from a business trip East.

Miss Elizabeth Robbins, of Tracy, was visiting her sister, Mrs. John E. Patton Sunday.

Miss Dolly O'Neal, of Beersheba, spent Monday night with her cousin, Mrs. Lon Campbell, at this place.

Claude Roughton was at Tullahoma a few days' last week.

Miss Florence Brown has returned to her home at Tracy, after visiting Miss Rosa Dykes for a few days.

Misses Emma and Hester Nunley have returned to Altamont after visiting Miss Creighton.

Mark Lenahan is again at the store of the Sewanee Coke, Coal and Land Co., after being away several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McGovern were at Tracy Thursday.

Jay Harris, of Roddy Springs, was here Tuesday.

Lillard Conry spent Sunday at Tracy City with friends.

The Rev. Brown, of Sewanee, delivered an interesting sermon at St. Alban's Chapel Sunday.

The series of meetings of the Methodist Episcopal church, conducted by Lewis G. Long, evangelist from Colorado, closed Tuesday night. The visible results were meagre because of the short duration of the meeting, it being necessary for Rev. Long to attend Conference at Knoxville.

LOONEY'S CREEK.

Special to the News.
Getting postcards is the order of the day.

Bob Pickett and Jim Williams were down at Looney's Creek Saturday.

Henry Pickett said he was hunting a dough beater.

Tom Defur visited Henry and Bob Pickett Sunday.

There was a party given at W. H. Powell's Saturday night. Those present were Robert and Evan Pickett, Jim Williams, Leonard Van Hoosier, Ben Morrison, Lum Thomas, Lewis Skiles, Tom Defur, Henry Pickett, Bob Pickett, Bob Griffith and Misses Josie Vanhoosier, Mandy Powell, Lottie and Mary Defur and Lillie Powell. Peaches and cream once a week. Kiss your girl on the right side of her cheek.

Apples dried and apples fried, Kiss her on the other side.

Honeysuckle.

FACTORY TO MAKE CONCRETE BLOCKS

COMPANY WITH AMPLE CAPITAL FORMED AT SO. PITTSBURG.

SOUTH PITTSBURG, Tenn., Oct. 7.—A company headed by W. H. Wilson has been formed for the purpose of manufacturing concrete blocks, brick mouldings, ornamental and monolithic work.

Land has been purchased for the site of the concern just east of the N. C. and St. L. R'y. between Farris' Planing Mill and the Central Foundry. Work of constructing the necessary buildings and installing machinery will begin just as soon as the plans have been finished by the architect. The buildings will be the largest of their kind in the South and the machinery of the most improved pattern. The plant will give employment to a large force of laborers and skilled artisans. We understand that the management have already orders for a large share of their output.

Had Collision of Ships.

W. B. Holloway sends the following brief, but interesting account of a collision between the U. S. war vessels "Glazier" and "Des Moines," during a severe storm in Cape Cod Bay near Provincetown, Mass., from which his letter is dated. Holloway is on the "Des Moines" as marine.

"Will try to write some news of the recent storm just off Cape Cod Bay, where several of the battleships are assembled for target practice. All the fleet have been here, but some of them are gone now, having finished their practice."

"On Sept. 29th the wind and sea began to rise and by 5 o'clock, p. m., the wind was high and the sea was furious. We were anchored about 350 yards from the U. S. S. "Glazier." She began to drag her anchor and drift down on us. We were all at supper at the time, so the crew did not know anything about it, till an officer shouted to close all water tight doors. About the same time the collision signal went off, so everybody ran on deck just in time to see the ships come together. The "Glazier" ran into our bow and drifted away again, but next time came broadside to us. It was a sight to see our boats smashed up. Iron was bent in every shape. We lost two boats by getting them smashed by the "Glazier," lost our fore top mast, but otherwise was not much damaged. No lives were lost."

"This morning we thought we were going to have another storm, but it did not amount to much."

Thomas A. Edison, the great American inventor, says, "Fully eighty per cent. of the illness of mankind comes from eating improper food or too much food; people are inclined to over-indulge themselves." This is where indulgence finds its beginning in nearly every case. The stomach can do just so much work and no more, and when you overload it, or when you eat the wrong kind of food, the digestive organs cannot possibly do the work demanded of them. It is at such times that the stomach needs help; it demands help, and warns you by headaches, belching, sour stomach, nausea and indigestion. You should attend to this at once by taking something that will actually do the work for the stomach. Kodol will do this. It is a combination of natural digestants and vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is pleasant to take. It digests what you eat. Sold by Jno. W. Simpson, Jasper, Tenn.

Big Acorn Crop.

The acorn crop is reported extra good this year, and farmers in the mountain coxes are rejoicing. Owing to the late frosts, which nipped nearly everything, it was thought the acorn crop would suffer also, but the oaks are reported loaded with acorns. Mast fed meat is much better than the corned article, besides being much cheaper on the farmer, and mountain farmers are jubilant.

DELPHI.

Special to the News.
Grover Mosley died Oct. 5, and was buried Oct. 6. His interment took place at the Pickett graveyard and services were held by Bro. Wilson. There was a large attendance at the burial.

The Deakins graveyard will be cleaned up Saturday Oct. 1. All are asked to fetch baskets full of dinner and also hoes and spades, etc., to work with. Everybody is invited. Come.

N. P. T.

FOR CATARRH of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels and more delicate organs, take Hood's Sarsaparilla—it is **A RADICAL CURE.**

NOTICE.

I will be at Jasper on Monday of each week. All parties desiring dental work will please call at the Hughes House. I will be in Sequachee on the Friday nearest to 30th of the month.

N. B. MOORE, Dentist.

Take the News—only 50c for 52 copies.

RESIST ADVANCES.

To the News:

It is very gratifying to note the improvement of the News correspondents. The recent issues have been splendid and calculated to inspire. "Uncle Joe," "J. G.," "Watchman" and others have given tone to recent issues that will be appreciated. "Your Friend, L." has read their productions with pleasure. Then again, I notice the girls have left off nearly every particle of silly, senseless stuff. We can't afford to deal in such and expect to maintain the high standard our male friends want us to occupy. An error or mistake in a girl is hard to live down or to overcome. We have beautiful female lives to copy after, the Sarahs, Rebecas and Marys of the Bible being samples for us. Even our Saviour spoke in loving words to the Galilean woman, who followed him up to Jerusalem and witnessed his trial and crucifixion and followed his body to the tomb, and when he arose appeared first unto Mary and commissioned her to go and tell his disciples of his resurrection. All heaven seems to have been interested in the daughters of Jerusalem and is no less interested in them in this day and generation.

We occupy a place in the world no other being occupies. We are the queens of the human family and the glory of man. Shall we exercise our queenly scepter for the improvement of our race or shall we bring shame and sorrow to the world? Our Saviour knew the many evils that would beset us and how the Evil One would seek to destroy us and have our name cast out as evil, hence he said, "Daughters of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves and your children." He knew the dagger of the enemy would pierce our hearts and we would be the prey of the sensualist in all ages and the war upon woman would be cruel and unremitting through all time. Her overthrow and destruction means the overthrow of the human family. If her honor is maintained, then the honor of the human family will be more glorious.

Girls, we are living in an age and at the dawn of the grandest era the world has ever known. Long have the old soldiers cast their trophies at the feet of the daughters of this fair land. They have sung their praise of us from every hill top. Not a reunion has ever been held but what we have come in for our share of compliments, and, oh, girls! in the face of all this let us be good and true women, striving to maintain the purity of our sex, though it cost life itself. The enemy has sworn vengeance against woman and the war is severe and bitter and the man who would lend his aid to ensnare a woman is an enemy to his race and not fit to live. Who can a woman trust? None but a good man, such as father, brother or husband. No girl can be safe from betrayal at the hands of the sensualist. Give no occasion for any undue overtures. Don't be deceived as our mother, Eve, was. Keep all men at arms length, allow no liberties, taboo all kissing and resent all improprieties.

Now, girls, as the future women of a great and proud people, our duties are many and varied, but God, in His love and mercy, will help us to overcome every temptation. He has not left us helpless, if ruin befalls us we will be to blame. Lay aside all silly, foolish twaddle, which is unbecoming a girl. Be plain, warm-hearted and genial, keeping well in the bounds of your womanly dignity.

I thank all those who have read and complimented my letters. Some things I've hinted are too delicate to discuss, but one I can say, no girl can be too particular in her words and conduct.

Your Friend, L.

Simple Home Recipe.

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime. The above is considered by an eminent authority, who writes in a New York daily paper, as the finest prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with these afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs. Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

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Special to the News.

Good evening, Mr. Editor, and correspondents, one and all. I certainly do enjoy the News. It has improved wonderfully of late. I just think "Our Friend L." is doing a good work. If all of our young correspondents would imitate her writing and take her advice, we older people would not worry about our children so much and then all would enjoy reading the News so much more. We are taking some half dozen papers but when the mail comes on Monday, you ought to see the children and "Uncle Tom" bustle for the News. It is like so many letters from as many friends.

I was glad that "Uncle Gid" had come News-ward again. Also "Uncle Joe" and "Coperas Breaches." Cotton crops are the sorriest that have been in this section for twenty years, so old people say. No writer has three bales out and five more ready to pick.

On the 28th of August we had a small shower of rain, the first in eight weeks. The 29th the hot winds struck here and, oh my, how things did wilt for five days! Cotton was cut short sixty per cent, and in some instances more. Corn is good and will make from 25 to 60 bushels per acre. Health is generally good.

Kelly Cagle, of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bracken. He stayed one week, then went on to Ft. Worth and Dallas, spending a day in each town, and then back home. He was favorably impressed with Texas and made a host of friends—I mean with the fairer sex.

About fifteen young ladies and gentlemen took dinner Sunday with Misses Emma and Della Bracken to spend the evening with Mr. Cagle. All report a nice time.

Brother Riddell preached a fine sermon at White's Chapel to a large crowd Sunday.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely.

Will say to "M. C. W." that I am glad to find that you have your bridge across Sequachee river. It will be so much better for the coons and opposoms to get across the river when they want to leave Mr. Harris' bottoms and go to the ridge to get away from the back waters. I am sorry to know that you have no road to the bridge. Come to Texas where if you get a bridge it is no trouble to get a road.

Will say to R. F. Rogers that I am well satisfied and can make a living easier here than I can back there. I never have seen the day that I would have gone back there if some one would have paid my way there and back. The land is better, schools and churches are better, and as good society as you will find anywhere, or that is the way I see it.

Come on "J. G." I am always glad to see your pieces. Will write you if you will answer our last one.

The wedding cards are out for Tom Blevins and Miss Myrtle Keeton, one of our most attractive and accomplished young ladies. They will be at home to their many friends at Keller after Oct. 6.

Uncle Jim Austin and Jonathan Blevins, two of our oldest men, are very poorly. Hope they will soon recover.

Sorry to hear of Cousin Harriet Girdley being so feeble.

John Dykes, how are you lock and dam folks getting along. Give us the news of that place and how the work is progressing.

Tell "J. E. K." to come and see me.

Uncle Tom.

Talley Arrested.

Sheriff Westmoreland accomplished an important arrest while attending the Fair at Nashville last week in effecting the capture of C. W. Talley, who had been arrested when in business with the firm of Talley & Garner, in this county on charge of liquor selling, but had mysteriously disappeared. Westmoreland spied his man seated in a buggy, and having a warrant in his pocket for his apprehension, promptly collared him, and released him after a \$1,000 bond had been secured. Westmoreland is proving himself a very efficient officer, and receiving the approbation of the people.

Does your back ache? Do you feel tired and drowsy and lacking in ambition? If so, there is something wrong with your kidneys. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills relieve backache, weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by Jno. W. Simpson, Jasper, Tenn.

CASITORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hatcher*

Guild.

Special to the News.

Business is progressing nicely here now.

We are having a new postoffice built, which will be ready for use in a few days.

Bill Hale is having a well dug in his front yard, and we are all rejoicing for it is one half mile to the nearest water. So you see we have a dry town.

Joe Daffron made a flying trip to Chattanooga Saturday night, returning Sunday morning.

George Christian came down from Whitesides Sunday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Lizzie Cunningham.

Mrs. Robert Daffron is visiting her mother in Stevenson this week.

Come on, ye writers of Empire. Say something about everybody. I like to read your pieces, as I have not been away from there long. Would like to know how the good friends of mine are getting along.

We are glad to say that little Velma Cunningham is improving after a long spell of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christain were guests of Sam Hale Sunday.

White Daffron, the section foreman of Whitesides, was looking over the lock and dam Sunday.

Olive Leaf.

Stanly.

Special to the News.

Communion services were held here Sunday by the Primitive Baptists. Elder G. M. Sharp conducted the services, the pastor, G. M. Levi who was sick, being unable to attend.

R. H. Harlin, of Dunlap, was a visitor in this section during the meeting. His many friends in this section were glad to see him. He resided here about 12 years ago and was a member of this church.

Several Hamilton county people attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Richie visited Miss Polly Davis on the mountain Saturday afternoon.

Andy Richie cut a severe gash in his left foot Saturday of last week. He is improving some now. We hope to see him out again in a few days.

Our postmaster has been very busy for several days with stomach trouble. He has been afflicted for several years, but not severely until a week or more ago.

Mrs. Nancy Richie is very ill with something like tonsillitis.

T. H. Richie is preparing to erect a concrete chimney to his new dwelling.

Bon Bon.

A Most Worthy Article.

When an article has been on the market for years and gains friends every year, it is safe to call that medicine a worthy one. Such is Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It positively cures coughs and all Pulmonary diseases. One of the best known merchants in Mobile, Ala., says: "For five years my family has not been troubled with the winter coughs and all we owe this to Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I know it has saved my children from many sick spells." Sold by Sequachee Supply Store.

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