

FAZEWELL CO. DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court. Robert C. Jackson, Judge; H. Bane Harman, clerk. Terms of court—1st Monday in April, 4th Monday in August, and 1st Monday in December.

County Court. J. H. Stuart, Judge; T. E. George, clerk. Terms of court—Tuesday after 3d Monday in each month.

Officers. Barnes Gillespie, Com. Th. Atty. James Bandy, Sheriff. Jno. W. Crockett, Deputy Sheriff. H. P. Brittain, Treasurer. H. G. McCall, County Surveyor. S. V. Kelly, County School Officer. Address, Unaka, Va. P. H. Williams, County Supt. Schools. Address, Snapps, Va.

THE CHURCHES. Methodist Episcopal Church South. Public worship of God on the 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 A. M., on the 2nd and 4th at 8:00 P. M.

Church of Christ. Preaching 1st and 3rd Sunday at 8:00 p. m. and 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11 a. m.

Presbyterian Church. First Sundays, morning and afternoon. Burke's Garden; second, third and fourth Sundays, morning and night, at Tazewell, Va.

SECRET ORDERS. CLINCH VALLEY COMMANDERY, NO. 20. KNIGHTS TEMPLAR. Meets first Monday in each month.

FAZEWELL LODGE, NO. 62, A. F. & A. M. Meets the 3rd Monday in each month.

FAZEWELL TABERNACLE, PILGRIM KNIGHTS. Meets 4th Monday in each month.

FAZEWELL LODGE, NO. 100, K. OF P. Meets every Thursday night in Odd Fellows Hall.

A. & S. D. MAY, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Tazewell, Va. Practice in the courts of Tazewell county and in the Court of Appeals at Wytheville, Va.

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J. H. STUART, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Tazewell, Va. Land titles in Melrose and Logan counties, West Virginia, a specialty. Office in Strasburg, Va.

HENRY & GRAHAM, LAWYERS, Tazewell, Va. Office in building near Court House. R. E. Terry, S. C. Graham.

OPPORTUNITY.

Outside the castle walls one called for aid. A page who dallied with a lute inside. Peered from the door-barred casement.

And then again that about rang through the air. It came to knight and squire who sat at play.

And then one of the princesses smiled and swore. One told of what he had endured in sleep. Another boasted of his sword and shield.

Within the walls. "Had we but known," cried all. "We knew it was a man's call."

—Anne M. L. Hawes, in Youth's Companion.

The Over-Educated Whale

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A FISHER LAD'S STORY.

His Hard Work and Dangerous Adventures in Helping His Father at the Nets.

Abram Fisher, of Grandville, Mich., writes an interesting story of his experiences in the American Boy.

"Well, I was worried all the time, for I didn't know where all this was going to end. Little Willie kept growin' bigger and bigger."

"Well, I never saw a man so crazy with rage as what Abram Fisher was. Although the thing was entirely his own fault, he laid it all to that poor, inoffensive beast, and when Little Willie swam up, expectin' to be praised and rewarded, as he had a perfect right to, Kearney yelled: 'Get away, you lubber!' and gave him a kick."

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LOSING FLESH

In summer can be prevented by taking Scott's Emulsion.

ARE IMITATION PEOPLE. That is What an English Critic Says of Heroes and Heroines of Modern Novels.

The author or authoress of to-day does not seek to give his or her reader a friend or an enemy in his or her hero or heroine.

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VANITY OF THE DRAKE.

Entertaining Exhibition of Man's Line Weakness Given by a Solitary Mallard.

William Saunders, of Arkansas county, Tex., known commonly as "Goose Bill," killed a good many ducks and geese last winter.

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THE COSTLY GAME PRESERVE OF A FAMOUS FRENCH WRITER, AND A NEIGHBOR'S TRICK.

An amusing story is told by the Courier des Etats-Unis concerning Guy de Maupassant, who once maintained near his home a rabbit-warren of a few acres in the midst of cultivated fields.

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