

PLATEAU GAZETTE.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Shaver, Hall & Frisbee's next at Rugby Road will be removed next week to Hantsville, Scott County.

The *Tennessean* a new Republican paper started at Nashville has reached our exchange table. It is neatly arranged and well gotten up.

Mr Onderdonk has finished Mr Russell Struggess' house on Jackson St., and is now well on with the work connected with Mr Thomas Hughes' house near the church.

Mr Bert Thorne, well known as a builder in Rugby's first year, has resided at Williamsburg, Ky., for some time, and finds plenty of employment as a building contractor.

Squire A. J. Young is making considerable improvement upon his farm, in the erection of a new dwelling house. The carpenter work will be by the skillful hand of Mr Kennington.

We don't know how the item was obtained, but the *Chattanooga Commercial* says "The postmaster at Rugby made the largest deposit of postal balance last quarter of any fourth-class office in East Tennessee."

A subscriber sends us a *New York Herald* and a postal card, the former containing an editorial upon the rapid manufacturing strides of the South during the last ten years, with an incidental allusion to Rugby as among the coming cities, while the postal says "There will be plenty of big smoky cities down in those parts, and their people will come to Rugby for fresh air and send their boys (and girls) there for education."

That the Cumberland plateau, from its salubrity, its accessibility to markets, its adaptability to fruits and vegetables, its wealth of coal and timber, will in time become a populous region, there can be no doubt.—Col. Killebrew, late State Commissioner of Agriculture.

To the man of moderate capital and enterprise, who can afford to clear up his land, engage in stock raising, making of butter and cheese, sheep raising and fruit growing, I know of no section of the Cumberland plateau where he could make a more profitable investment, and at the same time have such a delightful climate, noted for its pure water, fine atmosphere, and exemption from all malarial diseases.—Mr. John Moffat, Nashville.

Mr Walton and Mr C. H. Wilson are attending the Federal Court at Knoxville in the interests of the Board in the case of Fielder vs The Board of Aid to Land Ownership. This important suit will very shortly be a thing of the past, terminating, without a doubt, in favor of the defendants.

Saturday morning, soon after day break, U. S. deputy Marshall Alonzo Mc Donald, at Monroe, Overton County, with J. M. Phillips, his son, and W. Harris, were at an illicit distillery in the woods near Travistville, Picket county, seeking to arrest the owner of it, a man named Ryley Piles. A lad named Luper, bringing up some meal, was first arrested, and at 6 A.M. Piles appearing, McDonald covered him with his pistol, and he threw up his hands. The next moment, Luper making a movement as though to escape, and McDonald turning aside to speak to him, Piles rapidly stooped and seized a gun, discharging its contents into the breast of the Marshall, who instantly died. Piles ran and was fired at many times but was not captured. McDonald was an excellent officer and highly esteemed.

It is estimated that this year's wheat crop will be 100,000,000 bushels in excess of last year's crop.

A correspondent of the *Chattanooga Commercial Gazette* writing of the "possibilities of the Cumberland Plateau," and a visit to Rugby, says she "had the pleasure of making the tour of a rye-field at Treforest farm, that had been pronounced by a native expert to be fit only to raise a crop of grasshoppers. The average stalks in that field were full six feet high, some ambitious spears standing up a foot or so above their fellows." The writer also well describes the Savage Club garden, under the care of Mr. Dyer, as "the model vegetable garden on the plateau. Here are raised in perfection peas, beans, tomatoes, English lettuce—the heads sixteen inches high, bound up to bleach the leaves, and make them as white and crisp as celery; cabbages as big as water-buckets, a very thrifty plantation of vines, and much else &c."

Of "the culture of the vine, which has been quietly in progress for the past two years, and which 'promises to be, in the near future, the leading agricultural interest at Rugby,' the writer names several local experimenters who have given special attention to this matter, and have demonstrated that the soil is wonderfully well suited to grape culture." Mr. Letorey's well known success at Wartburg is instanced, and a prophecy thrown out that in some ten years hence we shall "drink 'Yundilla' and 'Chateau Uffington' worth half a sovereign a bottle, and made from grapes grown in Rugby vineyards."

The many friends of Mr H. B. Blair will be pleased to hear of his advancement since leaving Rugby. He made good progress at Louisville, on the Kentucky geological survey, under the care of Professor Procter, and then was promoted to the U. S. geological survey at Washington, D. C. Last year he did a good deal of work in East Tennessee, at its close returning home to England for a holiday. He has now a good job on the U. S. survey from Bristol, along the slope of the Smoky mountains, to Chattanooga.

Mr Frisbee, who the last two years has resided at Sedgemoor, superintending the mills of his firm, left last week for his home at Delhi, N. Y. Mr Caskey will in future represent the firm in Tennessee and Kentucky.

In reply to an application for particulars necessary to the opening of a Money Order office at Rugby, Mr Tucker received notice that from July 21st money order business would be added to his office. This will be a convenience much appreciated by residents and neighbors.

East Tennessee is rapidly taking to modern agricultural machinery, and the adoption of a system of farming very different from that of even ten years ago. Unless the long gun and yellow dog style of farming on the Cumberland plateau, too, is not discarded before long, this side of ten years will see the mountain farmers land under the intelligent and energetic hands of the Northerner, who already has one hand well stretched over the soil.

We note by the *Knoxville Chronicle* that ten car loads of threshers are being daily shipped from that city to different parts in East Tennessee.

The "Society" department of the *Cincinnati Commercial Gazette*, in keeping with Queen City tendencies to floods, widely overflowed its banks, on Sunday, its gushing eloquence spreading to a column and a half deep over Rugby.

The Walden's Ridge Railroad, upon which 250 men are now working, is expected to be completed and in working order by September 1st. It will tap the C. S. R. R. at Byrd's Gap, two and a half miles above Emory Gap, and extend northeasterly to Oliver's Spring, Anderson county, and thence two miles into the Poplar Creek Mountains, where coal is more abundant than in any other section of Tennessee. The line will be eighteen miles long. Six coal companies have already begun to mine on the last two miles of the road, and are preparing to ship thousands of tons per week. This will have the effect of reducing the price of coal at Chattanooga fully twenty-five per cent.

The present is a very suitable time to record in the black and white of newspaper immortality, the ability, untiring energy and patience shown by Mr. Walton, during the past two years, in working to put the case of the Board of Aid, in its defence against Mr. Fielder, before the Federal Court in such a way as to secure—and of that there is no doubt whatever—a decision in favor of the Board. Very few persons, outside of those immediately acquainted with Mr. Walton, know the zeal, not only of duty, but of affection—if such a term may be used—he has displayed in working up the case, and otherwise leaving no stone unturned that promised to further the work of defence.

In having two such able assistants as Messrs. C. H. Wilson and C. H. Blacklock, Mr. Walton, we are very sure, would be the first to admit he has been exceptionally fortunate.

We would draw attention to Mr. Dorehill's advertisement of 2½ acres of land, and cottage.

At this time when all interested in Rugby are looking forward to the establishment of a high class school, somewhat on the lines of the famous Rugby School in England, and energetic efforts are making to raise funds, to fairly start such an institution, it may be interesting to refer to an article on the University of the South, at Sewanee, written by the late Mr. Osmond Dakeyne, and published in one of the early copies of *The Rugbyian*. Mr. Dakeyne wrote "The University of the South was first suggested and a plan of it outlined by the late Bishop of Louisiana in a pamphlet addressed to the Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the South. This pamphlet was warmly received. The Bishop issued an address on the subject, and a Board was formed, which met for the first time on Lookout Mountain, Tennessee, on July 4th, 1857, their object being to take steps to found a university of the highest order. So well was the scheme received that in a short time the projected university was in possession of an estate of ten thousand acres and an endowment fund of \$500,000. On Oct. 10th, 1860, the foundation stone was laid in the presence of nearly 6,000 people, and there seemed every promise of a brilliant and useful future. Here the curtain falls for a while. The war came and passed over Sewanee, and when peace was made the university found itself spoiled of everything save the land. In 1868, those of the founders who had survived the war bestirred themselves, and aided by Bishop Quintard, raised enough money to warrant them in engaging a staff of professors and beginning instructions. The good work has since gone on surely, and about eleven hundred young men have been educated, the yearly average being now over two hundred."

Mrs. Blacklock, Senr., the venerable mother of Mr. J. H. Blacklock, entered on the 15th, inst., the 91st, year of her age, and, with the exception of a little increasing feebleness, enjoys a strength rarely maintained so far into life's "sere and yellow leaf."

Oliver Springs, known at present to so few people outside of Anderson county, boasts, it is said, a dozen varieties of mineral and healing waters. To get there, and the trip is a delightful one, go to Oakdale junction, in this county, and then by the little railway over the mountains and among some of the finest and roughest scenery to be had anywhere in the country. Forty years ago they were first known, and a few years hence they will probably be largely visited by invalids and tourists.

The Federal Court is in session at Knoxville, and in the course of a few days the important case of Fielder vs. the Board of Aid to Land Ownership (Limited) will be finally disposed of, and the troublesome claims made to certain lands of the Board satisfactorily and for ever settled.

Among recent arrivals at the Tabard we note, W. Howard Ogborn, C. T. Ogborn and Geo. R. Stuntz, of Cincinnati, S. C. Jones, Hobart, Mich., Anna Jones, Banker Hill, Ind., Miss Lina B. Florer, Chicago, S. B. Borbaley, Indianapolis, Mrs. Caldwell and two children, Allardt, and W. B. Shepherd, Kentucky.

Mr. Ross is not untouched by the advertising genius. He has lately brought out a neat folding card of Rugby and its business firms.

About forty ladies and gentlemen took part in the dance at the Tabard Hotel, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Ross has taken the Garden Cottage, to accommodate guests who cannot get room in the main hotel.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
We are authorized to announce S. H. STABLES, a candidate for the office of Attorney-General of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. John M. D. Mitchell.
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Figure on prices of land in Arkansas, the products per acre and their marketing. Raise early crops. Get large prices. Figure on the days of out-door labor, clothing and food; then contrast the stock-feeding in the North. Figure on constant employment. Find that sensible and careful people are healthy. Learn of good seasons, fine climate and favorable showers.
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| Davis' Pain Killer | Mustang Liniment |
| Schell's Peppine | Swayne's Ointment |
| Ayer's Pills | Brandreth's Pills |
| Roback's Pills | Cook's Pills |
| Jayne's Pills | Warner's Liver Cure |
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| Wright's Pills | Pierce's Golden Mince |
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Trains Northbound—	Fast Line	Fast Mail
	Daily	Daily
Lea. Rugby Road.....	11:18 p.m.	9:40 a.m.
Arr. Somerset.....	1:40 a.m.	11:45 a.m.
Arr. Lexington.....	4:20 "	2:40 p.m.
Arr. Cincinnati.....	7:16 "	5:25 "
Trains Southbound—		
Lea. Cincinnati.....	8:50 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
Lea. Lexington.....	11:35 "	11:40 "
Lea. Somerset.....	2:20 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
Arr. Rugby Road.....	4:55 "	5:16 "

Chattanooga, Birmingham, Meridian, Vicksburg, New Orleans and all points South:

Lea. Rugby Road.....	4:35 a.m.	5:16 p.m.
Arr. Oakdale.....	5:30 "	6:30 "
Arr. Chattanooga.....	8:10 "	9:25 "
Arr. Birmingham.....	3:15 p.m.	2:35 a.m.
Arr. Meridian.....	10:20 "	7:50 "
Arr. New Orleans.....	6:00 "	4:10 "
Trains Northbound—		
Lea. New Orleans.....	10:00 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Arr. Meridian.....	5:20 a.m.	7:15 p.m.
Arr. Birmingham.....	12:25 p.m.	3:30 a.m.
Arr. Chattanooga.....	7:30 "	5:30 "
Arr. Oakdale.....	10:10 "	8:40 "
Arr. Rugby Road.....	11:18 "	9:40 "

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Non-Resident Notice.
In Chancery Court at Jamestown, Tenn.

Matthew Bell et al vs. Loncrey Duncan et al
In this case, it appearing from the complainant's bill that William Duncan and James Duncan two of the respondents, are non-resident of the State of Tennessee. It is ordered by the Clerk and Master that the said William Duncan and James Duncan, be required to appear before the Chancery Court at Jamestown, Tenn., on or before the First Monday after the Fourth Monday in July, 1884, and make defense to said bill or the same will be taken for confessed, and the cause set for hearing *ex parte* as to them. It is further ordered that this notice be published for four consecutive weeks in the PLATEAU GAZETTE, a newspaper published in Rugby, Tenn. This 6th day of June, 1884.
S. V. BOWDEN, Clerk and Master.

Non-Resident Notice.
In the Chancery Court at Jamestown, Tenn.

S. B. Northrup vs. Edward Bishop, et al.
In this case it appearing from complainant's amended bill that Henry W. Adams, one of the respondent's, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee; it also appears that the land involved in this case has been attached in the interest of the complainant. It is therefore ordered by the Clerk and Master, in obedience to a decree of said Court entered at its last term, that the said Henry W. Adams be required to appear before the Chancery Court at Jamestown, Tenn., on or before the First Monday after the Fourth Monday in July, 1884, and make defense to said bill or the same will be taken for confessed, and the cause set for hearing *ex parte* as to him. It is further ordered that this notice be published for four consecutive weeks in the PLATEAU GAZETTE, a newspaper published in Rugby, Tenn. This 6th June, 1884.
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