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C. F. Montgomery a Candidate.

Hon. Chas. F. Montgomery, of Casey county is a Democratic candidate for Congress to succeed Mr. Helm, from the Eighth district. He is somewhat identified with Adair county, his father and mother having both been born and reared near Columbia, and naturally he has a very tender feeling for Adair, and our people hold him in the highest esteem. He has served four years as State Senator from the Casey-Lincoln district, and was one of the most earnest workers in the Upper branch of the Kentucky Legislature. He is a Democrat in whom there is no guile, a lawyer of ability and a forceful and ready debater. His formal announcement appears in The News to day. The Stanford Journal gives Mr. Montgomery the following write up:

Hon. Charles F. Montgomery, of Liberty, Casey county, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress, in this, the Eighth district of Kentucky, subject to the primary to be held the first Saturday in August. In making this announcement, Senator Montgomery is responding to the solicitation of prominent Democrats all over the district that he stand for the nomination, as well as a laudable ambition to represent the 11 counties of this splendid district of Kentucky in the halls of congress. His friends say he has been assured of the support of a splendid majority in every county of the district, and that he starts with the enthusiastic support of a majority of the men who have won Democratic victories in the counties of the district in recent years.

Senator Montgomery is already well known over the counties of the Eighth district. He has served four years as State Senator from the counties of Casey, Boyle, Lincoln and Garrard, and those who have examined his record with a critical eye say that it is without a flaw, in that he has always been found voting for fundamental Democratic doctrines, and always with the best interests of the people and the wishes of his constituents constantly in mind.

Senator Montgomery is one of the younger Democratic leaders of the State with whom rests the future of that party. Born in Lincoln county, the son of a beloved Christian minister, Rev. J. Q. Montgomery, he moved with his father to Casey county when a child, where he has since made his home. After graduating from Transylvania University and studying law at Washington and Lee University, he entered upon the practice of Law at Liberty, and has made a signal success in his profession. He is a splendid speaker, convincing and keen in oratory, and he will be heard and judged from the stump all over the district in this campaign. Up until a few years ago Casey county, his home, was in the "bloody" Eleventh district, hopelessly Republican, and the mettle of which Democratic workers had to be made in combatting the Republican hordes had to be staunch indeed. Several times under the leadership of Senator Montgomery the Democratic banner was carried to victory over the normal Republican majority of 500 in Casey. He was himself elected County Attorney, and later led the ticket to victory in the county judgeship and County Attorney races at the time he was the party's nominee three years ago. He knows what it is to fight for what Democrats want and his friends say he will make just that sort of campaign for the nomination, and if nominated, will carry the Eighth district over the common enemy by an old-time majority, in November.

Senator Montgomery has been a staunch supporter of President Woodrow Wilson at all times, is fortunate in never having been embroiled in factional fights which have often hurt the party, and is in every way remarkably well qualified to carry his party's banner to victory and then to most ably represent his people in the congressional halls.

A door key, left at this office.

Miss Mary Miller, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Miller, this place, was operated on for goiter, in Louisville, last week. The operation was a success and in a very short time the young lady will return home.

The Self Culture Club has postponed its meeting. Further announcements will be made later.



HON. CHAS. F. MONTGOMERY,
Democratic Candidate for Congress from the Eighth District.

Our Boys Win.

Messrs. Oliver Poppewell and Dudley Hays, students of Lindsey-Wilson, attended the Interscholastic Track Meet at Danville last Friday. There were many contestants from all over the State, but each of our boys brought back a medal. Mr. Hays took second in the broad jump, and Mr. Poppewell broke all former State High School records in the one-mile race, time 4.59.

Dr. Z. A. Taylor, who is a graduate of Optics and watchmaking, has located in Columbia, and his office is over Alvin Murray's store. Dr. Taylor has been practicing in the West for several years, and believing that there is an opening in his home town for his profession, decided to open an office. He will test eyes and keep a full stock of optical goods. He also solicits watches that are out of repair. He makes a specialty of prescription work in optics. All work guaranteed. 27-1t

Mr. J. B. Barbee, of this place, received a letter from Mrs. J. T. Barbee, Louisville, Saturday night, stating that her husband, Mr. J. T. Barbee, Jr., was not expected to live but a few days, that he had not taken any nourishment for about a week. He is afflicted with a cancer. She also stated that her father-in-law, Mr. J. T. Barbee, Sr., who is now 86 years old, had received a fall, cutting a severe gash in his head which had to be closed by a surgeon.

Mrs. Ada Taylor, and her children have removed from Montpelier to Columbia. They are occupying Mr. A. O. Taylor's residence, on Bomar Heights. This is an excellent family and our people are glad that it has become residents of this place.

Mrs. W. B. Patten, who submitted to a serious operation in St. Anthony Hospital, last Wednesday morning, is doing as well as her surgeon and nurses could expect. At this writing every indication points to her recovery. Her son, Mr. Tom Patten, returned from the hospital Friday night, greatly encouraged. Her husband will remain in the city some days yet.

We learn that Jas. Garnett, Jr., little son of former Attorney General Garnett, fell at the hotel in Louisville where his parents board, and was badly hurt about the head. It is hoped that the hurt is not so serious but he will recover in a short time.

Eld. Z. T. Williams was called to preach to his people at Greensburg last Sunday. When he left he stated that it was likely he would deliver a series of discourses before returning home.

Rev. R. V. Chapin has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church of Manchester, Ohio. He and family will leave the last of this month.

The Presbyterian prayer meeting will be at the church Wednesday night. All are urged to attend.

Pete Won.

Last Wednesday morning Mr. Ernest Young Garvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Garvin, this place, was married, in the suburbs of Campbellsville, to Miss Bessie Virginia Rhodes, of that city. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. L. C. Kelley, while the couple were seated in an auto.

The groom is an industrious young man who is in the employ of W. R. Myers & Son. His determination to never say nay won his bride, who is a popular and deserving young woman. Her foster mother, for weeks, refused her consent to the marriage, but Pete sawed wood, saying but little, but got in a communication to the young lady every few days. She never wavered in her plighted love, and the old lady seeing that it was no use to stand out against the determination of the young couple, consented to the union, and the ceremony was said.

The groom has many friends in Columbia, and they extend to him and his bride, their best wishes. There is no doubt but there is a good living for them, and there is no doubt but Pete's industrious habits will make it.

The couple visited the groom's parents here last Thursday afternoon and evening, but their home will be Campbellsville. A boy who has sticktoitiveness will succeed and that is the reason we admire young Garvin's course.

Attention.

I am in need of ready cash. Short accounts make long friends. This means you. D. M. Moore, 27-2t Garlin, Ky.

Arm Broken.

Master George Staples had the misfortune to get his left arm broken last Tuesday afternoon. He is a pupil in the Graded School, and was at the school building, playing with some small boys, fell with the result as above stated. Dr. Flowers was called and reduced the fracture. George is now going about town, but it will be several weeks before his arm is well.

For Sale—a good kitchen range for wood or coal, also a heating stove for wood. R. V. Chapin. 27-2t

A Painful Accident.

G. M. Collins, of Glensfork, in trying to bridle a young animal last Friday was kicked, breaking his left leg above the knee. At present he is resting easy.

The will of the late Henry Baldauf, who recently died at Henderson, Ky., was probated last week. He left an estate valued at \$150,000 which is to be divided equally between his five sons. The deceased was the father of Mr. Leo Baldauf, who is a son-in-law of Mr. Sam Lewis, this place, and who has made Columbia his headquarters for the past five or six months.

Mrs. Jas. Gilmer, who lived in one of the Western States, recently died. She was a native of Adair county and was a sister of the late O. B. Patten. She was quite an old lady. Her husband, who was also a native of Adair county, a nephew of Mrs. Easter Dooney, is yet living.

Capt. Schoeber, of the Salvation Army, will be in Columbia this week. Tuesday and Wednesday nights he will speak on the square. Wednesday he will visit the Graded School and Thursday the Lindsey-Wilson. He is working for a good cause and the people should hear him.

Last Sunday was the 5th Sunday in April. A very large crowd attended the services at Zion. Preaching by Revs. Kelly and Hamilton, and an address by Prof. Garnett Graves, all of Campbellsville. An abundance of the very best of edibles on the ground.

John G. Sublett, Cane Valley, sold Leslie Tupman, last week, forty acres of land, on the west side of the pike, in the suburbs of Cane Valley, for \$3,100. This is very desirable meadow land.

There will be no preaching service at Union Church next Sabbath. All are invited to attend the baccalaureate service in the Presbyterian Church at Columbia.

Waiting.

The directors of the Columbia Railroad Company are negotiating with the parties who propose to build the railroad to Columbia and a definite understanding is expected at an early day. We are not in position to make any announcement concerning its success or failure but merely to say that this end of the line proposes to secure its building so far as agreed to. In next week's issue we hope to be warranted in making a positive statement as to whether or not it will be build under the proposition submitted a few weeks ago.

T. E. Waggener, merchant at this place, has accepted the agency for the Globe Tailoring Company, one of the very best. If you want a suit made in the latest style, call at Mr. Waggener's store. 27-2t.

Closed Last Friday.

Prof. E. F. Richardson, of Buffalo, Ky., taught a very successful class in penmanship at the Lindsey-Wilson Training School during the past four weeks, and on last Thursday a contest was entered into which 26 prizes were given. Prof. Richardson is an excellent penman, and his teaching shows good results. Those winning in the contest for the best improvements were:

First prize, May Feese;
2nd, Dudley Hayes;
3rd, Esther Dodson;
4th, Bert Gardner;
5th, Opal Garnett;
6th, Almer Reece;
7th, William Browning;
8th, Claude Buster;
9th, Hattie Wilborn;
10th, Herbert Holladay;
11th, James Hayes;
12th, Attis Hopper;
13th, Susan Rainwater;
14th, Orion Drake;
15th, Howard Garner;
16th, Myrtle Morgan;
17th, Everett Wilson;
18th, Ovalene Humble;
19th, Ora Humber;
20th, Charlie Herron;
21st, Laura Hopper;
22nd, Walter Landis;
23rd, Ira Powers;
24th, Chester Stevenson;
25th, John Rose.

Robert Willis won first prize for the best writer.

Greensburg Wedding.

Mr. Wm. Sandidge, who is a son of the late Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge, and Miss Mary Lewis, who is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Lewis and a grand daughter of Mr. B. W. Penick, were married at Greensburg last Saturday night. It is a popular young couple and their many friends were busy Sunday extending congratulations.

There are two packages in my store that has been there since 1915. One directed to Mary A. White, the other to Miss Annie Shepherd, Tarter, Ky. If they are not called for in 15 days they will be sold. Sam Lewis.

Mr. J. D. Grider, of Russell Springs, was here last Friday, en route home. He was returning from Louisville in company with his son, Ruel, and granddaughter, Virginia Grider. The former was conveyed to the city to have his eyes treated, and the latter to undergo an examination for defective hearing. In both cases Mr. Grider was given great encouragement.

A market for edibles will be opened at 9 o'clock Saturday morning by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church. The proceeds will go toward assisting in the paying for a furnace for the church. Everybody is invited to call during the day. The place will be Butler building.

The optical company advertised to be here this week, writes that it will be impossible to reach Columbia for several days. The company is now at Campbellsville and is rushed with business. It will make this place soon, and due notice of the date will be given.

Death of Rollin Keltner.

Rollin J. Keltner, son of Uriah and Alta Keltner, of Adair county, departed this life April the 23rd, 1916, aged 21 years. This sad event brought deep sorrow to a wide circle of friends, and was a crushing shock to his devoted father, brother and sister, his mother having preceded him to the grave some thirteen years ago.

Nearly two years ago he entered the Lindsey-Wilson Training School at Columbia, in order to get an education to aid him in preaching the Gospel, as he felt that he was called to preach, and there was no doubt in the minds of all who knew him, and heard his conversation, that God had surely laid His hand on him. For some reason he gave up school, came home, but never failed to cling to the Bible and hold on to God. He took great interest in all kinds of religious services—was a good worker and great help in revival meetings, and enjoyed himself many times shouting and praising God for the love he had in his heart.

Some five weeks ago, for some unknown reason, he secretly joined the army at Springfield, Ill., and went from there to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., where he took the measles, and that terminated in acute bronchial pneumonia, and resulted in death.

It is indeed painful and grievous to us to think that poor Rollin passed away without father, brother or sister near to say good bye. But we know that God in His wisdom knows best and doeth all things well, so we have no doubt that Rollin to-day is in heaven shouting and praising God as he did here on earth.

His funeral was preached by Rev. Joe Furkin and W. C. Christie, a large congregation of relatives and friends being present, to await the arrival of his body, which was neatly attired in a soldiers uniform of brown, placed in a beautiful coffin. After the services his remains were laid to rest in the burying ground to await the resurrection mornng.

"The golden gates were open,
A gentle voice said come!
And with farewells unspoken
Rollin safely entered home."
His step Mother.

Announcement.

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M., will be in the chapel of the Christian Church May 9, 1916, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. The following program will be given.

Song.
Invocation—Mrs. R. F. Rowe.
Bible Reading, Psalm 90—Mrs. Myers.

Song.
Sentence prayers.
Business period.
Response to roll call by giving an item of the C. W. W. M. work in the N. S. Review of Bible study in March Tidings—Mrs. W. B. Rowe.

Talk on "The Christian Relation of the United States to the World"—Miss Vic Hughes.

Hidden Answers—Mrs. Maggie Ruberts.

Nuggets caught at the meeting of Council Women for Home Missions—Mrs. Blakeman.

Song.
Benediction.

Mrs. Z. T. Williams, Pres.
Mrs. W. M. Wilson, Sec.

Announcement.

The Epworth League will render a program at the Methodist church Sunday evening May 7, at 7:30, to which the public is cordially invited. Special music will be rendered and an interesting program is arranged.

Mr. Young E. Hurt, son of Mr. L. B. Hurt, of this place, who has been living in California for five or six years, was married on April 26, 1916, to Miss Katherine Elizabeth Ryan, of San Francisco.

A barn belonging to Mr. Ruel Hutchison was consumed by fire last Monday afternoon. A great deal of corn and hay were destroyed.

The remains of Mrs. Myrtle Gooden, who died in Illinois, reached here last Monday. Interment at Bearwallow.

This is the one hundredth anniversary of a year without a summer.